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THIRD SEMESTER M.B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, JANUARY 2021

(CUCSS)

M.B.A.

BUS 3C 17—ADVANCED STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT

(2016 Admissions)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 36 Weightage

Section A

Answer all questions given below. Each question carries 1 weightage.

- 1. Define Stake Holder.
- 2. What is functional strategy?
- 3. What do you mean by strategy formulation?
- 4. What do you mean by operation cost?
- 5. What is joint product?
- 6. What is cost reduction?

 $(6 \times 1 = 6 \text{ weightage})$

Section B

Answer any four questions given below. Each question carries 3 weightage.

- 7. What are the characteristics of Strategic Management?
- 8. What is the ethical consideration in Strategic Management?
- 9. Explain competitive analysis.
- 10. What are the different types of environment?
- 11. Explain the service cost units.
- 12. What are the different techniques of cost reduction?

 $(4 \times 3 = 12 \text{ weightage})$

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Section C

Answer any three questions given below. Each question carries 4-weightage.

- 13. Explain GE model.
- 14. Explain the business and global strategy.
- 15. What are the different types of product?
- 16. Explain need and importance of cost control.
- 17. Explain target costing.

 $(3 \times 4 = 12 \text{ weightage})$

Section D

Compulsory question.

18. Discuss the important role and functions of top management in Strategic Management.

 $(1 \times 6 = 6 \text{ weightage})$