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THIRD SEMESTER M.B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, DECEMBER 2017

(CUCSS)

BUS 3C 20—SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

(2016 Admissions)

Time: One Hour and a Half

Maximum: 18 Weightage

Part A

Answer the following.

Each question carries 1 weightage.

- 1. Explain Bull Whip Effect.
- 2. What is Inventory Carrying Cost?
- 3. What are the economic benefits of Warehousing?
- 4. List a few principles of Material Handling.
- 5. What is Supply Chain Strategy?

 $(5 \times 1 = 5 \text{ weightage})$

Part B

Answer any two of the following. Each question carries 2 weightage.

- 6. Discuss the metrics of Supply Chain Performance.
- 7. Explain the role of IT in successful operation of a Supply Chain.
- 8. Explain the role of Collaboration and Cooperation in the Supply Chain.

 $(2 \times 2 = 4 \text{ weightage})$

Part C

Answer any one of the following. Each question carries 3 weightage.

- 9. List and explain the issues of inventory management in a supply chain.
- 10. Explain the procedure of Transport and Carrier Selection. What are its major characteristics?

 $(1 \times 3 = 3 \text{ weightage})$

Part D

Compulsory Question (6 weightage)
Case Study.

11. Your successful Indian company has aphenomenal reach in rural markets. Explain its supply chain management and outbound logistics operation in a detailed manner.

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