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**FOURTH SEMESTER B.Com. DEGREE (SUPPLEMENTARY/IMPROVEMENT)
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(UG—CCSS)

Core Course

BC 4B 05—COST ACCOUNTING

(2010 Admission onwards)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 30 Weightage

I. Answer the following :

- 1 The technique and process of ascertaining cost.
 - (a) Costing.
 - (b) Cost accounting.
 - (c) Cost accountancy.
 - (d) Cost unit.
- 2 The cost incurred in the past and has no effect on future decision making.
 - (a) Opportunity cost.
 - (b) Sunk cost.
 - (c) Conversion cost.
 - (d) Historical Cost.
- 3 The expenses incurred for the placement of purchase order.
 - (a) Carrying cost.
 - (b) Purchase cost.
 - (c) Ordering cost.
 - (d) Sunk cost.
- 4 Time for which the employer pays, but derives no benefit from the worker.
 - (a) Time keeping.
 - (b) Time booking.
 - (c) Idle time.
 - (d) Direct labour.
- 5 The expenses which are incurred for the overall management of the concern.
 - (a) Production overhead.
 - (b) Works overhead.
 - (c) Administrative overhead.
 - (d) Selling and Distribution overhead.
- 6 Factory overhead is usually estimated on the basis of :
 - (a) Prime cost.
 - (b) Direct Labour.
 - (c) Factory cost.
 - (d) Office cost.
- 7 Profit on incomplete contract.
 - (a) Profit and Loss account.
 - (b) Gross profit.
 - (c) Net profit.
 - (d) Notional profit.

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8 Incidental residue from manufacture with recoverable value.

- (a) Scrap. (b) Spoilage.
(c) Defective. (d) Loss.

Match the following :

- 9 Benefit sacrificed — Process Costing.
10 Fringe benefits — Idle time.
11 Advertisement — Opportunity cost.
12 Abnormal Gain — Medical facilities.
— Selling overhead.

(12 × ¼ = 3 weightage)

II. Answer *all* questions :

- 13 Define a Profit centre.
14 What do you mean by perpetual inventory system ?
15 What is time booking ?
16 Explain the term Machine Hour Rate.
17 What is EBQ ?
18 What is escalation clause ?
19 What do you mean by Composite unit ?
20 What is Variance Analysis ?
21 Define Master Budget.

(9 × 1 = 9 weightage)

III. Answer any *five* questions :

- 22 What are the Objectives of Cost Accounting ?
23 Explain the term ABC analysis.
24 What are the rules for crediting profit on incomplete contracts ?
25 What is Zero Base Budgeting ? Mention the advantages of it.
26 The standard quantity of material and standard price per kg. of material required for the production of one unit of product P is as follows :

- Material — 5 kg.
Standard price — Rs. 15 per kg.

The actual production and related material data are as follows :

- Product P — 400 units.
Materials used — 2,200 kg.
Price of materials — Rs. 14.40.

Calculate Material Cost Variance, Usage Variance and Price Variance.

- 27 Calculate the total earnings of three workmen under the Halsey and Rowan plans ; the bonus under Halsey plan is 50% of the time saved.

Standard time — 20 hours

Hourly rate of wages Rs. 4

Time taken by A-16 hours ; B-10 hours ; C-8 hours

- 28 900 units were introduced from process X to Y at a cost of Rs. 60 per unit. The expenses of the process were - Labour Rs. 12,000, Materials Rs. 3,240 and overhead at 50% of labour. Normal wastage expected in the process was 10% of the units introduced to the process with a scrap value of Rs. 8 per unit. The actual output of the process Y was 820 units to be transferred to the Process Z. Prepare Process Y Account, Abnormal gain account and Normal Wastages account.

(5 × 2 = 10 weightage)

IV. Answer any two :

- 29 A company has three production departments and two service departments, and for a period the departmental distribution summary has the following totals :

Production Departments : A - Rs.80,000 ; B - Rs. 40,000 ; and C - Rs. 20,000

Service Departments : X - Rs. 20,000 and Y - Rs. 10,000

Expenses of service departments are to be allocated as follows :

	A	B	C	X	Y
X	20%	30%	40%	—	10%
Y	20%	25%	50%	5%	—

Work out the final overhead cost of each of the production departments including re-apportioned cost of service centers using simultaneous equation method.

- 30 From the following information prepare a cost sheet of Glaxo Ltd. showing the cost of production and profit per unit.

Units produced	—	100
Units sold	—	80
Direct materials consumed	—	Rs. 400 per unit
Direct labour hours worked	—	1000
Hourly rate of labour	—	Rs. 10
Factory overheads	—	Rs. 5 per labour hour
Office overhead	—	10% of works cost
Selling overhead	—	Rs. 15 per unit sold
Margin of profit	—	20% on selling price

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- 31 Draw up a flexible budget for overhead expenses on the basis of the following data and determine the overhead rates at 70%, 80% and 90% plant capacity.

	Capacity levels		
	70%	80%	90%
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Variable overheads :			
Indirect labour	----	12,000	----
Stores including spares	----	4,000	----
Semi-variable overheads :			
Power (30% fixed, 70% variable)	----	20,000	----
Repairs and maintenance (60% fixed)	----	2,000	----
Fixed overheads :			
Depreciation	----	11,000	----
Insurance	----	3,000	----
Salaries	----	10,000	----
Total Overheads	----	62,000	----
Estimates direct labour hours	----	1,24,000	----

(2 × 4 = 8 weightage)