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Maximum: 80 Marks

FOURTH SEMESTER B.B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2018

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

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CC15U BB4 B05 - MARKETING MANAGEMENT

(Core Course)

(2015 Admission onwards)

Time: Three Hours

Part A

Answer *all* questions. Each question carries 1 mark.

Choose the correct answer:

- When consumer decides to buy without much logical thinking, his decision is said to be
 - (a) Emotional (b) Rational (c) Learned (d) Inherent
- 2. is the marketing and financial value associated with a brand's strength in a market.
 - (a) Brand loyalty (b) Brand cohorts (c) Brand Equity (d) Brand Awareness
- 3. is a paid form of communication by an identified sponsor.
 - (a) Sales promotion (b) Advertisement (c) Personal selling (d) Publicity

4. is called shopping by post.

- (a) POP (b) Direct marketing (c) Kiosk Marketing (d) MOB
- 5. Which is the retailer who has no fixed place of business?
 - (a) Hawkers (b) Street stall holders (c) Multiple shops (d) Specialty stores

Fill in the blanks:

- 6. In Marketing concept, business firms have to adopt socially responsible marketing policies in order to assure social welfare in addition to customer welfare.
- 7. A is an intangible product involving a deed, a performance or an effort that cannot be stored or physically possessed.
- 8. is the practice of charging low price from the beginning to stimulate the growth of the market.
- 9. is the process of contacting the prospective buyers personally and persuading them to buy the products.

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Part B

Answer any *eight* questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 11. Define marketing mix.
- 12. What are the characteristics of services?
- 13. What is product line?
- 14. Differentiate between institutional buyers and ultimate consumers.
- 15. Explain the functions of packaging.
- 16. Differentiate between brand and trade mark.
- 17. What is skimming price policies?
- 18. What is an advertisement copy?
- 19. Differentiate between sales promotion and advertisement.
- 20. What is length of a channel?

(8 x 2 = 16 Marks)

Part C

Answer any six questions. Each question carries 4 marks.

- 21. Briefly explain different types of marketing environment.
- 22. State different types of consumer behavior.
- 23. What are the economic factors affects the consumer buying behavior?
- 24. How can we classify consumer goods?
- 25. Discuss the various pricing strategies adopted by marketers.
- 26. Explain the factors effecting promotion mix.
- 27. What are the factors influencing choice of distribution channel?
- 28. Briefly explain the elements of promotion mix.

(6 x 4 = 24 Marks)

Part D

Answer any two questions. Each question carries 15 marks

- 29. Define market segmentation. Why and how are market segmented? Is segmentation always necessary?
- Define product life cycle. Explain the various phases of product life cycle. Discuss the importance of the concept.
- 31. Explain the various sales promotion methods undertaken at consumer's level and dealer's level.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30 \text{ Marks})$
