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STRATEGIC COST MANAGEMENT - I

Paper-8.6

Semester-VIII

Time allowed: 3 Hours] [Maximum Marks: 70

Note: The candidates are required to attempt two question each from section A and section B carrying 10 marks each and the entire Section C consisting of 10 short answer type questions carrying 3 marks each.

SECTION-A

- Explain the advantage and disadvantages of activity based costing.
- Discuss different linkages in value chain analysis.
 Discuss the importance of value chain analysis and steps needed in value chain analysis.

- 3. "Strategic cost management has become an essential area these days." Discuss. 10
- 4. What are the difference between traditional and modern costing systems? Explain and illustrate.

SECTION-B

- 5. Distinguish between traditional budgeting and activity based budgeting. Discuss the steps required in preparing an activity based budget.
- 6. Explain the key principle of target costing. Also state its limitation.
- 7. Why is transfer pricing necessary in an organization? Show the impact of transfer prices to the selling and buying profit centres.
- 8. "Balance Score Card is a strategic tool for measuring and evaluating the performance of an organisation." Justify the statement. Also explain the steps for developing a Balanced Score Card.

SECTION-C

- 9. Describe any **ten** of the following: $3 \times 10 = 30$
 - (i) Cost Management
 - (ii) Cost Assignment
 - (iii) Activity Based Costing
 - (iv) Cost Driver Analysis
 - (v) Strategic Positioning
 - (vi) Kaizen Costing
 - (vii) Activity Based Management
 - (viii) MVA
 - (ix) Divisional Performance
 - (x) Back Flush Costing
 - (xi) Strategic Based Control
 - (xii) Balanced Score Card.