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## BACHELOR OF ENGINEERING (HONS) DEGREE

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#### TEE 5205 ENGINEERING MANAGEMENT

#### **Duration of Examination - 3 Hours**

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- 1. This question paper consists of 3 printed papers and 8 questions.
- Answer any <u>FIVE</u> questions.
- 3. Each question carries 20 marks.
- 4. Start the answers for each question on a fresh page.
- 5. Use relevant concrete examples to support your answers

## QUESTION 1

a) What is motivation?

[2]

b) Briefly explain 4 of Herzberg's hygienic factors.

- [12]
- c) Explain 3 main differences between Douglas McGregor's Theory X and Theory Y. [6]

#### **QUESTION 2**

- a) What is the significance of an organisation's mission statement?
- [2]
- b) How does the mission statement differ from the vision statement? Provide an example for your answer? [6]
- c) Using examples describe each of the following forms of power and how they affect an organisation's performance:
  - i. Position power
  - ii. Influential power
  - iii. Expert power
  - iv. Ascetic power

[12]

#### **QUESTION 3**

- a) With the aid of a diagram and appropriate examples, describe the impact of the Porter's Five Forces Model on a small start-up company's survival.
- b) Explain why an organization with all the necessary money, material resources and a highly skilled workforce does not necessarily translate into a successful organization. [5]

## **QUESTION 4**

a) Draw the BCG Matrix diagram.

[4]

b) A company has a product portfolio consisting of products code-named W, X, Y and Z in ascending order of product life maturity. Describe how you would use the BCG Matrix as a market strategizing tool, state any assumptions you made about these products.

[12]

c) State two major disadvantages of using the BCG Matrix in 4 b) above.

[4]

### **QUESTION 5**

- a) What is the meaning of Critical success factors (CSFs) for an organisation?
- b) Outline the Regulatory and Industry specific CSF concepts using 2 relevant examples for each case. [10]
- c) State the difference between a KPI and CSF.

[4]

d) Show how KPI and CSF may be measured by a mobile phone service provider who wants to increase their coverage by 40% within two years. [4]

#### **QUESTION 6**

- a) What is the main difference between CPM and PERT in project management? [2]
- b) Using some project's activities illustrated by the table below:
  - i. Draw the Activity-on-Node model network diagram.
  - Determine and label the slack, the earliest start and earliest finish times on each node. [15]

ACTIVITY	IMMEDIATE PREDECESSORS	ESTIMATED TIME (WEEKS)
A		2
В	A	2
C	В	5
D	A	3
E	D	3
F	C,D	1
G	A,F	7
H	F	3
I	G,H	2
J	I	1
K	G,J	4

c) Determine the critical path for the project?

[3]

## **QUESTION 7**

a) Briefly state what a balance sheet is.

[6]

b) The following is a mixed list of financial records for Japhet Cobblers Pvt Ltd. The list is derived from transactions that ended on the 30<sup>th</sup> of March 2013.

Bank \$3500 Machinery \$1000 Capital \$5000 Creditor \$300

Cash \$500

Loan \$500

Stock \$800

Re-arrange the listed record items to come up with a properly classified balance sheet.

Justify the classification for each record entry.

[14]

## **QUESTION 8**

a) Briefly discuss the 5M's of management.

[10]

b) State 5 leadership attributes and how they can each be applied by the Engineer in his/her work environment. [10]

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