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BCACAC 317

**Credit Based Fifth Semester B.C.A. Degree Examination,
October/November 2017
(Common to all Batches)
Elective : Stream – II
MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 100

Note : Answer any ten questions from Part – A and answer one full question from each Unit in Part – B.

PART – A

1. a) Define a system. (10×2=20)
- b) What are policies ?
- c) Define strategy.
- d) What is the importance of Planning in a Management ?
- e) What do you mean by Decision Making ?
- f) Write any two characteristics of Decision-Assisting Information Systems.
- g) What do you mean by Non-Programmed Decision Making ?
- h) Write any two key tasks performed during conceptual design.
- i) What is the need of establishing constraints ?
- j) What is a Gantt chart ?
- k) What is a cost schedule ?
- l) What is cutover ?

PART – B

Unit – I

2. a) What is the need of MIS within the company ? Explain.
- b) What is the need of information for planning ? Explain.
- c) Explain short range planning and long range planning. (7+7+6)

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3. a) Write a note on increase in the complexity of business.
- b) Write a note on systems view of business.
- c) Explain the strategic planning process. (6+7+7)

Unit – II

4. a) Write a note on Financial Information System.
 - b) Write a note on Programmed Decision Making and MIS.
 - c) What are the needs and objectives of MIS Planning ? Explain. (6+7+7)
5. a) With the help of an example explain the complexities of growth.
 - b) Write a note on Marketing Information System.
 - c) Briefly explain MIS planning and systems view. (7+6+7)

Unit – III

6. a) Why is the need of information for managers and management ?
 - b) How the information sources are determined in the system design ? Explain the categories of sources of information.
 - c) Develop a list of criteria for company's alternative conceptual design. (6+7+7)
7. a) How to establish system constraints explain.
 - b) Briefly explain different information sources.
 - c) Write a short note on alternative conceptual design. (7+6+7)

Unit – IV

8. a) Explain the developing procedures for implementation.
 - b) Explain the pitfalls in MIS development.
 - c) What are design problems in MIS ? Explain. (7+7+6)
9. a) Explain the process of MIS evaluation.
 - b) Write a short note on forms for data collection and information.
 - c) Explain a short note on soft spots in planning. (7+7+6)