



SM – 497

VI Semester B.Com. Examination, May/June 2018  
(CBCS) (2017-18 and Onwards) (Fresh)

COMMERCE

Paper – 6.5 : Elective Paper – III : Performance Management

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 70

*Instruction : Answer should be written in English or Kannada.*

SECTION – A

1. Answer **any 5** questions. **Each** question carries **2** marks. (5×2=10)
- What is Break even point ?
  - Name any 2 Profitability Ratios.
  - What is life cycle costing ?
  - What is management reporting system ?
  - What is Budgeting ?
  - What is variance analysis ?
  - What is Green Accounting ?

SECTION – B

Answer **any 3** questions. **Each** question carries **6** marks. (3×6=18)

- Explain the concept of Transfer Pricing.
- State the difference between Traditional Costing and Activity Based Costing.
- The expenses budgeted for the production of 10,000 units in a factory is furnished below :

| Elements of Cost                                      | Cost per Unit (₹) |
|---|-------------------|
| Materials   | 70                |
| Labour  | 25                |
| Variance overheads                                    | 20                |
| Fixed overheads (₹ 1,00,000)                          | 10                |
| Variable expenses (direct)                            | 05                |
| Selling expenses (10% fixed)                          | 13                |
| Distribution expenses (20% fixed)                     | 7                 |
| Administrative expenses (50,000 fixed for all levels) | 5                 |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>155</b>        |

Prepare a flexible budget for the production of 6000 units and 8000 units.

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5. From the following calculate cost driver rates :

- Volume related cost ₹ 1,10,000
- Purchase related cost ₹ 1,20,000
- Setup related cost ₹ 2,10,000
- Relating to handling of orders ₹ 45,000
- Shipment charges ₹ 50,000
- Relating to quality inspection ₹ 1,40,000

Cost allocation basis are :

- No. of Machine hour 22000
- No. of Purchase order 1200
- No. of setups 50,000
- No. of times materials handled 900
- No. of times quality inspected 700
- No. of shipments 250.

6. A mobile manufacturing company finds that while its costs ₹ 12.50 each to make a component X<sub>5</sub>-200. The same is available in the market at ₹ 11.50 with an assurance of continuous supply. The breakup of cost is

|                                       |                         |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Direct material                       | ₹ 5.50 per unit         |
| Direct labour                         | ₹ 3.50 per unit         |
| Other variable exp.                   | ₹ 1.00 per unit         |
| Depreciation and other fixed expenses | ₹ 2.50 per unit         |
| <b>Total</b>                          | <b>₹ 12.50 per unit</b> |

Give suggestions whether to make or buy.

### SECTION - C

Answer **any 3** questions. **Each** question carries **14** marks. **(3×14=42)**

7. Explain the process of Performance Management Information System.

- What is target costing and the steps involved ?
- Briefly discuss Risk Management and its types.



9. Prepare Cash Budget for the three months ending 30<sup>th</sup> June 2017 from the information given below :

(Amount in ₹)

| Month    | Sales  | Materials | Wages | Overheads |
|----------|--------|-----------|-------|-----------|
| February | 14,000 | 9600      | 3,000 | 1,700     |
| March    | 15,000 | 9000      | 3,000 | 1,900     |
| April    | 16,000 | 9200      | 3,200 | 2,000     |
| May      | 17,000 | 10000     | 3,600 | 2,200     |
| June     | 18,000 | 10400     | 4,000 | 2,300     |

- a) Credit terms are :
- Sales or debtors – 10% sales are on cash basis, 60% of the credit sales collected next month and the balance in the following month :
- Creditors – Materials 2 months  
 – Wages ¼ month  
 – Overheads ½ month.
- b) Cash and Bank balance on 01<sup>st</sup> April 2017 is expected to be ₹ 6,000.
- c) Other information :
- Plant and Machinery will be installed in February 2017 at a cost of ₹ 96,000. The monthly installment of ₹ 2,000 is payable from April onwards.
  - Dividends @ 5% on preference share capital of ₹ 2,00,000 will be paid on 1<sup>st</sup> June.
  - Advance to be received for sale of vehicles ₹ 9,000 in June.
  - Dividends from investments amounting to ₹ 1,000 are expected to be received in June.
  - Income tax (advance) to be paid in June ₹ 2,000.

10. ABC Limited manufactures four products A, B, C and D using the same plant and process. The following information relates to a production period.

| Product | Volume (units) | Material Cost per Unit (₹) | Direct Labour per Unit (₹) | Machine Time Unit (Hour) | Labour cost per Unit (₹) |
|---------|----------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| A       | 500            | 0.5                        | 0.025                      | 0.25                     | 3                        |
| B       | 5000           | 5                          | 0.5                        | 0.25                     | 3                        |
| C       | 600            | 16                         | 2                          | 1                        | 12                       |
| D       | 7000           | 7                          | 1.5                        | 1.5                      | 9                        |



Total production overhead recovered by the cost accounting system is analysed under the following headings :

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| Factory overheads applicable to machine oriented activity | ₹ 37,425 |
| Setup cost  | ₹ 4,355  |
| Cost of ordering materials                                | ₹ 1,920  |
| Handling materials  | ₹ 7,580  |
| Administration for spare parts                            | ₹ 8,600  |

These overheads costs are absorbed by product on a machine hour rate method.

However, investigation into the production overheads activities for the period reveals the following :

| Product      | No. of setups | No. of material ordered | No. of times material was handled | No. of spare parts |
|--------------|---------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------|
| A            | 1             | 1                       | 2                                 | 2                  |
| B            | 6             | 4                       | 10                                | 5                  |
| C            | 2             | 1                       | 3                                 | 1                  |
| D            | 8             | 4                       | 12                                | 4                  |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>17</b>     | <b>10</b>               | <b>27</b>                         | <b>12</b>          |

You are required to :

- Compute an overhead cost per product using traditional method of tracing overheads to production units by means of machine hour rate.
- Compute an overhead cost per product using activity based costing, tracing overheads to production units by means of cost drivers.
- Comment on the differences disclosed.

11. Anu Corporation has prepared the following budget estimate for the year

2017-18 :

|                        |            |
|------------------------|------------|
| Sales (units)          | 15000      |
| Fixed cost             | ₹ 34,000   |
| Sales value            | ₹ 1,50,000 |
| Variable cost per unit | ₹ 6        |

You are required to calculate :

- P/V ratio
- Break even point
- Margin of safety
- Calculate the revised P/V ratio, BEP and Margin of Safety in each of the following cases :
  - Decrease of 10% in selling price.
  - Increase of 10% in variable cost.
  - Increase of sales units by 2000.