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B.B.A. (CBCS) DEGREE EXAMINATION,  
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Fifth Semester

Business Administration — Main

Major Elective — PRODUCTION MANAGEMENT

(For those who joined in July 2017 onwards)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

PART A — (10 × 1 = 10 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

Choose the correct answers :

1. From start to finish production depends on

\_\_\_\_\_

(a) Policy

(b) Process

(c) Plant

(d) People

2. When a raw material is broken into different products then the type of production process is called \_\_\_\_\_
- (a) Synthetic                      (b) Mass  
(c) Analytic                      (d) Batch
3. Breakdown maintenance is otherwise known as \_\_\_\_\_ maintenance.
- (a) Corrective                      (b) Running  
(c) Shutdown                      (d) Predictive
4. Which one of the following is not a functional element of maintenance programme?
- (a) Inspection                      (b) Lubrication  
(c) Scheduling                      (d) Layout design
5. Tenacity is a personal quality essential for a \_\_\_\_\_ person.
- (a) Bridging                      (b) Scheduling  
(c) Expediting                      (d) Follow-up
6. Product sequencing is a basic problem in \_\_\_\_\_
- (a) Scheduling                      (b) Routing  
(c) Dispatching                      (d) Ridging

7. Inspection assures —————
- (a) The process is in control
  - (b) Workers are motivated
  - (c) Product meets specification
  - (d) Quality problems are solved
8. Cost of quality is affected by —————
- (a) Worker's performance
  - (b) Field failures
  - (c) Preventive actions
  - (d) All of the above
9. Purchase according to the requirements is also known as ————— purchase.
- (a) Speculative                      (b) Hand-to-mouth
  - (c) Scheduled                        (d) Contract
10. ————— store will temporarily stock materials which are under dispute.
- (a) Quarantine                      (b) Inward
  - (c) Rejection                        (d) Main

PART B — ( $5 \times 5 = 25$  marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b)

Each answer should not exceed 250 words.

11. (a) Discuss the reasons for relocation of an existing plant.

Or

- (b) Explain the various problems faced in production management.

12. (a) What are the objectives of motion study?

Or

- (b) Discuss the 'Economic aspects of Maintenance'.

13. (a) Briefly explain the elements of production planning.

Or

- (b) Describe the causes for production delay.

14. (a) State the objectives of quality control.

Or

- (b) List out the advantages and disadvantages of centralized inspection.

15. (a) What are the functions of materials management? Explain.

Or

- (b) What are the main activities carried on store keeping?

PART C — ( $5 \times 8 = 40$  marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b)

Each answer should not exceed 600 words.

16. (a) Describe the various types of production management strategies.

Or

- (b) Explain the different types of layout with its advantages and disadvantages.

17. (a) Discuss the procedure of work study.

Or

- (b) Describe the objectives of maintenance.

18. (a) List out the objectives of scheduling.

Or

- (b) Explain the activities carried out under dispatching.

19. (a) Describe the purpose of inspection.

Or

(b) Briefly explain the quality control tools.

20. (a) What are the various methods of purchasing?  
Explain.

Or

(b) Explain the advantages of JIT.

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