

I Semester M.B.A. Examination, June/July 2024 (CBCS) (Repeaters) (2014-15 and Onwards) MANAGEMENT

Paper – 1.5: Marketing for Customer Value

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 70

SECTION - A

Answer **any five** from the following questions. **Each** question carries **five** marks: (5×5=25)

- 1. What is marketing management? What are the tasks of marketing management?
- 2. Define sales promotion. Discuss the tools of sales promotion.
- 3. What are the 5 Ms of advertising?
- 4. Explain with illustration the BCG matrix.
- 5. Discuss the strategies used by a market leader in order to maintain market leadership.
- 6. Differentiate between consumer markets and business markets.
- 7. What is branding? What is meant by brand loyalty and brand equity?

SECTION - B

Answer three questions from the following. Each question carries ten marks: (3×10=30)

- 8. Briefly discuss with illustrations the product life cycle. Also explain the product development process.
- 9. What is meant by segmentation? Why is it important for marketers? What are the different types of segmentation possible in the Indian market?
- 10. Discuss the micro and macro environment that a marketer faces in India in detail.
- 11. What is meant by marketing channels? How are they designed? What are the reasons for channel conflicts?



SECTION - C

12. Compulsory case study.

 $(1 \times 15 = 15)$

Alpha Company has manufactured a chapathi making machine. As head of marketing you are expected to do the following:

- a) Name the product, explain packaging and labelling segment target and position the market.
- b) Design a marketing program for the whole of India.
- c) Plan a communication campaign advertising, sales promotion personal selling and publicity.

Your answer should not be general in nature. Specifically target the product sales to the Indian consumer.

What is meant by marketing characters for channel conflicts?