



# DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION QUESTION BANK FOR BBA PRINCIPLES&METHODOLOGY OF MANAGEMENT

## MODULE I (CO-describe management principles and functions) (LEVEL-2, Understand) SECTION A

- I. Define the term 'Management'.
- 2. What is spirit de corps?
- 3. What is PODSCORB?
- 4. Classify the levels of management.
- 5. List out the management functions.
- 6. What is scalar chain?
- 7. Describe the elements of scientific management.
- 8. Outline the importance of Management.
- 9. Describe the objectives of Management.
- 10. What is Unity of Command?

#### **SECTION B**

- 11. Compare the contributions of F.W Taylor & Henry Fayol.
- 12. Explain the contribution of Henry Fayol.
- 13. Explain the contribution of Chester Barnard.
- 14. Illustrate the characteristics of Management.
- 15. Enumerate Management as a Science.
- 16. Enumerate Management as a Profession.
- 17. Describe the functions of Management.





18. Explain the Managerial Functions.

#### **SECTION C**

- 19. Describe Henry Fayo'l principles of Management.
- 20. Discuss the principles of scientific management.
- 21. Explain the features of Gilbreths& Peter Drucker.
- 22. Explain Max Weber's school of Management.

#### MODULE 2 (CO-develop planning and decision making strategies)

(LEVEL-3,APPLY)

#### **SECTION A**

- 1. Illustrate the elements of decision making.
- 2. Indicate the relationship between planning and decision making.
- 3. Compare programmed and non-programmed decsions.
- 4. Illustrate administrative decisions.
- 5. Illustrate operational decisions.
- 6. Explain the meaning of schedule.
- 7. Explain the meaning of decision making.
- 8. Illustrate decision tree.
- 9. Report the importance of strategy for the success of an organization.
- 10. Indicate the meaning of imposed policies.
- II. Explain derivative plans.

#### **SECTION B**

- 12. Determine the features of decision making.
- 13. Construct the steps in formulation of strategies.
- 14. Construct the steps in policy formulation.
- 15. Illustrate the different types of decisions taken in a business.
- 16. Demonstrate the limitation of MBO





- 17. Illustrae the importance of policies.
- 18. Construct guideline sfor effective decision making.

#### **SECTION C**

- 19. Construct the steps in MBO and explain its benefits
- 20. Illustrate the different types of plans.
- 21. Illustrate the techniques of forecasting
- 22. Discuss the essential steps in decision making. How can you make quick and correct decisions in a big business enterprise.

### MODULE 3 (CO-Compare organizational structures) (Level-4,Analyse)

#### **SECTION A**

- I. Explain span of Control.
- 2. Differentiate between centralization and decentralization.
- 3. List out the different organizational structure.
- 4. Compare Line and functional organization structure.
- 5. List out the advantages of Line organization structure.
- 6. List out the advantages of matrix organization.
- 7. Compare matrix and committee organizational structure.
- 8. Point out the features of line and staff organization.
- 9. Differentiate between authority and responsibility.
- 10. Explain the factors determining delegation.

#### **SECTION B**

- 11. Distinguish between formal and informal organization.
- 12. Explain delegation.
- 13. Distinguish between delegation and decentralization.





- 14. Examine the importance of organization.
- 15. Examine the nature of organization.
- 16. Distinguish between line organization and Line and staff organization.
- 17. Explain the advantages of functional organization.
- 18. Examine the merits and demerits of organization chart.

#### **SECTION C**

- 19. Explain in detail the process of organizing.
- 20. Explain in detail the organization structure.
- 21. Examine the obstacles to delegation.
- 22. Explain the principles of delegation.

#### MODULE 4 (CO-demonstrate the process of staffing)

(Level-4, Analyze)

#### **SECTION A**

- 1. 'Employment interview' conducted in the process of selection. Elaborate
- 2. Estimate the importance Aptitude test in the process of selection
- 3. Mention specialized activities of Human Resource Management
- 4. Why do selection process takes place in an organisation
- 5. 'Induction is not required in the internal source of recruitment'. Examine
- 6. Describe placement in staffing function
- 7. Summaries how transfers and promotions act as internal source of recruitment.
- 8. Restate the concept of 'Grapevine'.
- 9. Interpret the term 'Autocratic Direction'.
- Define gestural communication

#### **SECTION B**

11. Explain briefly 'transfers' and 'promotions' as internal sources of recruitment.





- 12. Provide any four limitations of using internal sources of recruitment.
- 13. Point out the steps involved in the process of staffing.
- 14. A newly appointed Personnel Manager is of the view that there is no need for training the workers. Do you agree with this statement? Give reasons in support of your answer.
- 15. Explain why staffing is considered as the most important part of Human Resource Management?
- 16. Which source of recruitment is needed to bring new blood in the organisation?
  Explain the advantages and disadvantages of this source
- Examine the benefits of training
- 18. 'Staffing makes for higher performance by putting right person on the right job.' Discuss.

#### **SECTION C**

- 19. Explain external sources of recruitment. Which of these sources is ideal for a manufacturing organisation?
- 20. Compile the sources of recruitment.
- 21. Describe the Leadership styles
- 22. Discuss in detail the process of selection

#### **MODULE 5 (CO-Assess controlling techniques)**

(Level-5, Evaluate)

#### **SECTION A**

- Define flexible budgeting
- 2. Enumerate statistical control reports
- 3. How do you calculate Return on Investment (Rol)
- 4. State the objects of coordination





- 5. Demonstrate how co-ordination and co-operation related
- 6. Interpret Break Even Analysis
- 7. Explain capital budget
- 8. What is program planning and budgeting
- 9. Define cost control
- 10. State the concept of ratio analysis

#### **SECTION B**

- 11. Examine the methods in PERT
- 12. Distinguish between PERT and CPM
- 13. Describe the importance of control
- 14. Evaluate the essentials of a sound control system
- 15. Describe the elements of management by exception.
- 16. Define co-ordination and elaborate its objectives.
- 17. Discuss the features and elements of co-ordination
- 18. State the principles of co-ordination

#### **SECTION C**

- 19. Illustrate the steps involved in the process of control
- 20. Examine the methods of control and grade the tools of control.
- 21. Discuss co-ordination as a function of management. Elaborate the steps in effective co-ordination
- 22. Explain the term Management by exception. Describe the benefits of MBE.