

WEST BENGAL STATE UNIVERSITY

B.Com. Honours 5th Semester Examination, 2020, held in 2021

FACADSE04T-B.Com. (DSE1/2)

PRODUCT AND PRICING MANAGEMENT AND MARKETING COMMUNICATION

Time Allotted: 2 Hours Full Marks: 50

The figures in the margin indicate marks of question.

Candidates should answer in their own words and adhere to the word limit as practicable.

GROUP-A

Answer any *five* questions from the following $2 \times 5 = 10$

- 1. Define Product.
- 2. What is a service?
- 3. What do you mean by width of product mix?
- 4. Point out two advantages of branding.
- 5. What is a new product?
- 6. Mention two advantages of test marketing.
- 7. What is package aesthetics?
- 8. What is leader positioning?
- 9. Mention two importance of pricing.
- 10. What is 'illustration' in advertising?
- 11. What is sales promotion?
- 12. What is a price cartel?
- 13. What is a sales force?
- 14. Name two factors which govern pricing of a product.
- 15. What is a consumer sweepstakes?

GROUP-B

Answer any four questions from the following

 $5 \times 4 = 20$

- 16. Discuss the characteristics of product.
- 17. Briefly explain the levels of product.
- 18. Write a short note on "product failure".
- 19. Discuss the advantages of branding.

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- 20. Write a short note on "packaging notes and packaging lists".
- 21. Discuss the functions of advertising.
- 22. Differentiate between media planning and media scheduling.
- 23. What are the functions of sales promotion?
- 24. Explain five major advertising media.
- 25. Write a short note on "personal selling".
- 26. What is a premium plan?
- 27. Briefly discuss the functions of the advertising department.

GROUP-C

Answer any two questions from the following

 $10 \times 2 = 20$

- 28. Discuss about the concept of marketing mix and its elements.
- 29. What is Product Life Cycle (PLC)? Discuss its stages.
- 30. Discuss the stages of New Product Development.
- 31. Discuss the various aspects of service pricing.
- 32. Briefly discuss the elements of a Print Advertising copy.
- 33. Discuss about four popular methods of sales promotion.
 - **N.B.:** Students have to complete submission of their Answer Scripts through E-mail / Whatsapp to their own respective colleges on the same day / date of examination within I hour after end of exam. University / College authorities will not be held responsible for wrong submission (at in proper address). Students are strongly advised not to submit multiple copies of the same answer script.

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