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PRINCIPLES OF ECONOMICS & MANAGEMENT (HM - 253)

Time: 03 Hours

Instruction to Candidates:

- 1) Section A is Compulsory.
- 2) Attempt any Four questions from Section B.
- 3) Attempt any Two questions from Section C.

Section - A

Q1)

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- a) Management
- b) Planning
- c) Equilibrium
- d) Difference between Fixed cost & Variable cost
- e) Complementary Goods
- f) Universality of Management
- g) Decentralisation
- h) Economics
- i) Differentiate between Authority & Responsibility
- j) Monopoly

Section - B

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- Q2) What did Henry Fayol mean by Unity of command? How does it differ from unity of direction?
- Q3) Distinguish between Maslow's theory of need hierarchy & Herzberg's two factor theory of motivation?

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- Q4) What is law of Demand? What are the exceptions to this law?
- Q5) Explain the concept of Income elasticity of demand? Explain its importance in business decisions?
- Q6) Price of a product falls from Rs.20 to Rs.10. The fall in price causes an increase in demand from 43 to 75 units. Calculate the price elasticity of demand?

Section - C

 $(2\times 10=20)$

- Q7) Why is it necessary to delegate authority? Explain the obstacles in the process of delegation? What steps help in achieving effective delegation?
- Q8) What is meant by monopolistic competition? How does a firm take its pricing & output decisions under it?
- **Q9)** Discuss the managerial uses of Break-Even analysis as a tool for profit planning? What are its limitations?