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M.B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – JUNE 2008.

(AY 2005–2006 onwards)

ADVERTISING AND SALES PROMOTION

Time: 3 hours Maximum marks: 75

Answer for 5 marks questions should not exceed 2 pages.

Answer for 10/15 marks questions should not exceed 5 pages.

PART A — $(3 \times 5 = 15 \text{ marks})$

Answer any THREE questions.

- 1. How is advertising different from publicity and propaganda?
- 2. What do you mean by comparative advertising?
- 3. What are the functions of full service agency?
- 4. What are the different types of media available?
- 5. What are the objectives of sales promotion?

PART B — $(4 \times 15 = 60 \text{ marks})$

Answer any FOUR questions.

- 6. Examine the role of personal selling as a tool of direct marketing.
- 7. What are the different steps in you would follow for selling of FMCG goods? Explain.
- 8. What are the verbal and visual elements of advertising? Are they both important? Give reasons.
- 9. What are the various types of advertising? What is the difference between local and retail advertising?
- 10. Explain the advertising budget making process.
- 11. What is meant by media planning? What is involved in media planning?
- 12. Discuss the merits and demerits of print advertising.
