Time: Three hours Maximum: 100 marks

SECTION A — $(5 \times 8 = 40 \text{ marks})$

Answer any FIVE questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

Each answer should not exceed 300 words.

- 1. Examine the levels and methods of studying the market environment.
- 2. What is the importance of analyzing industries and its competition in marketing environment?
- 3. Elucidate product attributes with suitable example.
- 4. What is marketing survey? How can it be done systematically?
- 5. Distinguish innovation strategy from differentiation strategy.
- 6. Describe improving customer satisfaction.
- 7. Elucidate the key features of demographic segmentation with examples.
- 8. Describe the types of positioning strategies of cosmetic soaps.

SECTION B — $(3 \times 20 = 60 \text{ marks})$

Answer any THREE questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

Each answer should not exceed 1200 words.

- 9. Explain marketing plans and auditing.
- 10. Describe the role of marketing functions in improving a firm's profit.
- 11. Explain Tele Marketing procedure for launching a new product.
- 12. Explain the application of psychographic segmentation in marketing management.
- 13. Explain marketing mix with suitable example.