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## **B.Com.** DEGREE EXAMINATION – **COMMERCE**

#### FIFTH SEMESTER - NOVEMBER 2018

#### CO 5406 - LOGISTICS AND SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

Date: 30-10-2018	Dept. No.	Max.: 100 Marks
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Time: 09:00-12:00

#### SECTION – A

#### **Answer ALL questions**

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$ 

- 1) Explain the concept of 'logistics'?
- 2) Mention some of the contemporary issues faced by logistics?
- 3) What is supply chain?
- 4) How external customer differs from internal customer?
- 5) Bring out the uniqueness of Just-in-Time Supply Scheduling.
- **6)** What do you mean by virtual inventory?
- 7) What is the role of consolidation under storage function?
- 8) What is the uniqueness of containerization of transportation?
- 9) Which do you advocate leasing or owning the storage? Why?
- **10**) What is time window in transportation?

### SECTION - B

## **Answer any FOUR questions**

 $(4 \times 10 = 40)$ 

- 11) What are pressures faced by a business organisation in improving logistics.
- 12) Highlight the Decision Phases involved in the Supply chain process.
- 13) Distinguish Logistics from Supply chain.
- **14)** What do you mean by bullwhip effect in supply chain?
- 15) What are the impediments that stand against the effective customer service strategy?
- **16**) What are the points to be considered in the appraisal of selecting the transport service?
- 17) Outline the various principles for good routing and scheduling under transportation.

#### SECTION - C

## **Answer any TWO questions**

 $(2 \times 20 = 40)$ 

- **18)** Identify the role played by a Logistics consultant in a modern business concern.
- 19) Explain the basic steps in achieving the Strategic Fit.
- **20)** What are the seven rights of customers? Explain?
- **21)** Bring out the importance of storage and transportation in the supply chain management.

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