## B. COM. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION - OCTOBER 2019 SEMESTER -5: COMMERCE (CORE COURSE) COURSE: 15U5CROM12, COST ACCOUNTING

(Common for Regular 2017 admission \& Improvement 2016 /Supplementary 2016/2015 admission) Time: Three Hours Max. Marks: 75

## SECTION A

Answer ALL questions. Each question carries $\mathbf{2}$ marks.

1. What is the meaning of cost?
2. What is Cost Period?
3. What do you mean by MRN?
4. What are Bin Cards?
5. What do you mean by Time-Booking?
6. What is time rate system of wage payment?
7. What do you mean by labour productivity?
8. What do you mean by fixed overhead?
9. What do you mean by idle capacity?
10. What do you mean by depreciation?

## SECTION B

Answer any FIVE questions. Each question carries 5 marks.
11. Briefly describe Two-Bin system.
12. What are the advantages and disadvantages of Halsey System?
13. Briefly describe the reasons for classifying overheads into fixed and variable.
14. Jyothika Labs sells Jwala washing soaps in packets containing a dozen bars in each packet at Rs. 60 per packet. The product has a constant demand at 200 packets per month. The company procures the product from a local manufacturer at a price of Rs. 20 per packet with a lead time of 3 days. Ordering cost is Rs.1.50 per order and holding cost is 10\% per annum. Calculate EOQ and ordering cost.
15. Find out the (a) Reorder Level (b) Minimum Level (c) Maximum Level (d) Average Level and (e) Danger Level from the following information:

Maximum usage $=300$ units per day; Minimum usage $=100$ units per day; Average usage $=180$ units per day; Re-order period = 6 to 10 Days; Reorder quantity $=2500$ units.
16. Calculate the effective rate of earnings per hour and employer savings under Halsey Plan from
the following information:
Standard time needed to complete a job is 30 hours. The hourly wage rate is Rs.8. The job was actually completed in 20 hours. The factory overhead charges are $75 \%$ of the standard time.
17. Calculate the average cost per day of engaging labour from the given information:
(a) Number of working hours in a day
$=8$ Hours
(b) Number of working days in a month
$=25$ days
(c) Basic salary per month
$=$ Rs.8,000
(d) Dearness Allowance
$=50 \%$ of Basic salary
(e) Leave salary
$=12 \%$ of ( $c+d$ )
(f) Employer contribution to PF
$=12 \%$ of $(c+d)$
(g) Employer contribution to ESI
$=10 \%$ of ( $c+d$ )
(h) Prorata expenditure on amenities to labour $=$ Rs.1,000

## SECTION C

Answer any Three questions. Each question carries 10 marks.
18. What is labour turnover? Discuss the causes of labour turnover and methods of computing labour turnover.
19. Apportion the expenses of service departments to production departments using simultaneous equation method. Take whole numbers only for all except overhead rate.

| Particulars | Total (Rs) | Production Departments (Rs) |  |  | Service Departments <br> (Rs) |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A | B | C | D | E |
| Lighting | 800 | 160 | 320 | 120 | 120 | 80 |
| Fire Insurance | 160 | 40 | 60 | 20 | 20 | 20 |
| Electricity | 400 | 40 | 40 | 40 | 160 | 120 |
| Total | 1360 | 240 | 420 | 180 | 300 | 220 |
| Estimated <br> working hours |  | 200 | 300 | 150 | - | - |

Expenses of service departments $D$ and $E$ are to be apportioned as under:

|  | A | B | C | D | E |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| D (in \%) | 20 | 30 | 40 | - | 10 |
| E (in\%) | 30 | 40 | 10 | 20 | - |

20. Prepare a Stores Ledger Account from the following information using FIFO method.

1-6-19 Opening Balance
4-6-19 Issued material vide RN 102
5-6-19 Received from Fifo Co. vide GRN 201
6-6-19 Issued vide RN 103
7-6-19 Returned to Fifo Co
9-6-19 Issued material vide RN 105
11-6-19 Issued material vide RN 106

13-6-19 Received from Lifo vide GRN 203
15-6-19 Issued material RN 107
16-6-19 Received replacement from Fifo GRN 204
18-6-19 Returned from Department, materials
from Lifo Co MRR 301
20-6-19 Transfer from Job J1 to Job J2 MTR 401
21-6-19 Issued material RN 108
25-6-19 Transfer from Dept A to Dept B
30-6-19 Shortage in stock taking

30 units valued at Rs.2,100
10 units
40 units at Rs. 65 per unit
15 units
5 units
10 units
20 units

30 units at Rs. 68 per unit
10 units
5 units
5 units

10 units
10 units
5 units
5 units
21. The optimum capacity of a factory is 54,000 units per annum. The cost of production is estimated as under
(a) Direct materials
(b) Direct Labour
(c) Expenses (fixed)
(d) Expenses (variable)

- Rs. 4 per unit
(e) Semi-variable expenses- At 50\% capacity Rs.50,000 per year and Rs.10,000 extra per year for every $25 \%$ increase in capacity or part thereof.

The factory does not produce for its own stock, but is against orders only. Compute the selling price so that a profit of Rs. 100,000 can be ensured. The company operates at $50 \%$ capacity for the first three months and at $80 \%$ capacity for the remaining 9 months.
22. Calculate the machine hour rate from the following information.

| Cost of machine | Rs. 62,000 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Scrap value | Rs.8,000 |
| General lighting for the workshop | Rs. 250 per month |
| Electricity charges | Rs.30 for every 100 units |
| Consumption of power | 25 units per hour |
| Workshop rent | Rs.36,000 per year |
| Administrative expenses allocated to <br> machine | Rs.6,000 per year |
| Repairs and maintenance | Rs.6,000 per month |
| Workshop supervisor's salary | 50 weeks of 40 hours each |
| Estimated working time per year | 200 hours per year |
| Setting up time which is regarded as <br> productive time with nil electricity <br> consumption | The machine occupies $1 / 4^{\text {th }}$ area of the workshop. The supervisor is required to <br> spend 1/3rd of his time in supervising the machine. |

$(10 \times 3=30)$

