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B.Com. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, OCTOBER 2015

Fifth Semester

ADVERTISING AND SALES PROMOTION

(Common for Model I and Model II B.Com., Optional Stream Marketing)
[2013 Admissions]

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 80 Marks

Answers may be written either in English or in Malayalam.

Part A

Answer all questions.
Each question carries 1 mark.

- 1. What is dealer promotion?
- Write a note on copy testing.
- 3. Define advertisement media.
- 4. Expand DAGMAR.
- 5. What is subliminal advertising?
- 6. What is meant by POP promotions?
- 7. What is brand equity?
- 8. What do you mean by sales promotion mix?
- 9. Define trade mirk.
- 10. Explain sales force management.

 $(10 \times 1 = 10)$

Part B

Answer any **eight** questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 11. State the legal apects of advertisement.
- 12. What is sales pronotion budget?
- 13. How to develop sees promotion campaign?
- 14. State the advantaes of outdoor advertising.
- 15. What do you mearby sales forecasting?
- 16. How are advertisity agencies selected?
- 17. What are the qualies of a good salesman?

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- 18. How to evaluate the training on sale force?
- 19. Distinguish between advertising and personal selling.
- 20. Explain the process of copy writing.
- 21. What is meant by gross rating points?
- 22. Explain the positive effects of sales promotion on brand equity.

 $(8 \times 2 = 16)$

Part C

Answer any six questions. Each question carries 4 marks.

- 23. What is advertising and explain its objectives?
- 24. What are the essentials of an advertisement appeal?
- 25. Explain the DAGMAR Model for measuring ad effectiveness.
- 26. What are the disadvantages of press advertisement?
- 27. How will you measure the effectiveness of advertising methods?
- 28. How would you determine the advertising strategy?
- 29. Explain the social aspects of advertising.
- 30. What are the steps involved in the process of budgeting for sales promotion?
- 31. Explain the importance of research in advertising.

 $(6 \times 4 = 24)$

Part D

Answer any **two** questions. Each questions carries 15 marks.

- 32. What is Advertisement copy? Discuss the essential characteristics of advertisement copy.
- 33. What do you mean by advertising agency? Explain the need and benefits of an advertising agency.
- 34. Define salesmanship. Describe in detail the different steps involved in selling process.