

2053

B. Voc. (Logistic Management)

Fourth Semester

LEM-404: International Logistics Management

Time allowed: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

NOTE: Attempt five questions in all, including Question No. 1 which is compulsory and selecting one question from each Unit.

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I. Attempt any four of the following:-

- a) What are the issues involved in movement of goods?
- b) What is the total cost approach to logistics? Discuss briefly.
- c) Elaborate on freight structure and practices.
- d) Discuss in brief inland water transport.
- e) Discuss in brief the issues in sea transport.
- f) Write a short note on integrated logistics provided by road transport companies.

(4x4)

UNIT - I

II. Define logistics information system. Explain fully the logistics information systems design and strategic information linkage.

(16)

III. What is international logistics management? How is it important in international business? Also explain the intermediaries involved in international logistics management.

(16)

UNIT - II

IV. Detail the structure of the shipping industry with special emphasis on linear operations, tramp operations and chartering of bulk ocean carriers.

(16)

V. Write detailed notes on:-

- a) Cargo types, vessels and vessel characteristics
- b) Role of forwarding and clearing agents, freight brokers and shippers' agents

(2x8)

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(2)

UNIT - III

- VI. Define warehousing. What are the various types of containers and ICDs? Also explain the layout & working of container terminals. (16)
- VII. Write detailed notes on:-
- a) Responsibilities of port trusts, growth and status of ports in India
 - b) Regulatory authorities for sea transport and their roles (2x8)

UNIT - IV

- VIII. Write detailed notes on:-
- a) Road network in India
 - b) Road parcel service business (2x8)
- IX. What are the problems in road transport and regulatory authorities involved with road transport system? Explain fully. (16)

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