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MMPM-004

**MASTER OF BUSINESS
ADMINISTRATION
(MBA)**

Term-End Examination

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MMPM-004 : INTERNATIONAL MARKETING

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Weightage : 70%

Note : (i) Attempt any **three** questions from

Section A. Section B is compulsory.

(ii) *All questions carry equal marks.*

Section—A

1. (a) Briefly describe some of the forces that drive the firms to choose international

markets, with the help of suitable examples.

- (b) Explain the concept of International Product Life Cycle (IPLC). How is it different from the Product Life Cycle (PLC) concept as applicable to the domestic markets ?
2. (a) Identify and discuss regional economic agreement in each of the following areas :
- (i) Asia pacific and
 - (ii) Western Europe
- (b) Discuss the principles and functions of World Trade Organization (WTO). Do you think WTO has achieved its

objective of promoting international trade among nations ? Explain.

3. (a) Briefly explain how Hofstede's cultural typology may be used by firms in their attempts to understand consumer behaviour across various cultural boundaries amongst nations. Support your answer with relevant examples.
- (b) How the growth of internet has transformed international marketing ? Discuss with the help of suitable examples.
4. Write short notes any *three* of the following :
- (a) Standardization *vs.* Adaptation in international marketing communication.

- (b) Issues in International branding and Trade mark decisions.
- (c) Methods of export pricing
- (d) Scope of international market research
- (e) Incoterms

Section—B

5. A global firm manufacturing Air conditioners and refrigerators and among other regions has presence in South East Asian region. It wants to expand in international markets in the African region.

- (a) Describe its global marketing strategy. Should it use product extension strategy or a product adaptation strategy ?

- (b) What are the key lessons to be learnt from its experience in South East Asian markets, especially the emerging markets ?

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