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**BBA 5th Semester (N.S.) 2014-17**

**Examination – November, 2018**

**PRODUCTION & MATERIALS MANAGEMENT**

**Paper : BBAN-501**

***Time : Three Hours ]***

***[ Maximum Marks : 80***

*Before answering the questions, candidates should ensure that they have been supplied the correct and complete question paper. No complaint in this regard, will be entertained after examination.*

**Note :** Section – A is compulsory. Attempt one question from each Unit in Section – B. All questions carry equal marks.

**SECTION – A**

**1.** Briefly explain the following :

- (a) Meaning of production management.
- (b) Importance of location decisions.
- (c) Need for PPC.
- (d) Objectives of inspection.
- (e) Materials management.
- (f) Standardization.

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- (g) Benefits of codification.  
(h) Materials handling.

**SECTION – B**

**UNIT – I**

2. Explain the importance of production management in a manufacturing organization. Also describe the major short-term decisions of production management.
3. What is a production system ? Discuss the merits, demerits and applications of production to order system.

**UNIT – II**

4. Time taken (in minutes) by 5 persons in processing 5 jobs are shown in the following matrix :

| Jobs | Persons |    |    |    |    |
|------|---------|----|----|----|----|
|      | 1       | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  |
| A    | 11      | 17 | 8  | 16 | 20 |
| B    | 9       | 7  | 12 | 6  | 15 |
| C    | 13      | 16 | 15 | 12 | 16 |
| D    | 21      | 24 | 17 | 28 | 26 |
| E    | 14      | 10 | 12 | 11 | 13 |

Find the optimal assignment.

5. Why does a firm maintain inventories ? Explain the types of inventories and the costs associated with them.

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**UNIT – III**

6. Discuss the objectives of materials management. How can it help in reducing materials cost ?
7. Write notes on :  
(a) Simplification and variety reduction  
(b) Materials information system

**UNIT – IV**

8. (a) Differentiate among scrap, surplus and obsolete materials. How are they disposed ?  
(b) What are the major consideration in warehousing management ? What is its importance for a materials manager ?
9. Discuss the objectives and functions of stores management.

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