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Time: 3 Hours Weightage: 30

Part A (Short Answer Questions)

Answer any **eight** questions.

Weight 1 each.

- 1. What is meant by strategic management?
- 2. Define the term strategic planning?
- 3. What is meant by task environment?
- 4. What do you mean by internal environment of a business?
- 5 Write a short note on the types of functional level strategies
- 6. What is Horizontal Integration?
- 7. What are the Production Factors in AD Little's Life Cycle Approach?
- 8. Define Strategic Funds Programming.
- 9. What is Strategic Leap Control?
- 10 Write any four benefits of a Balanced Score card.

(8×1=8 weightage)

Part B (Short Essay/Problems)

Answer any **six** questions.

Weight **2** each.



- 11. State the criteria which makes a business policy effective.
- 12. Discuss the important common entry barriers.
- 13. Describe the method of TOWS matrix.
- 14. Briefly explain the limitations of scenario planning.
- 15. Explain the process of strategy formulation.
- 16. Describe the types of Concentric diversification.
- 17. Discuss the Cash Flow Implication of Competitive Cost Dynamics.
- 18. Explain the process of Strategy implementation.

(6×2=12 weightage)

Part C (Essay Type Questions)

Answer any two questions.

Weight 5 each.

- 19. Define the terms mission and vision. Explain the relevance and need for mission and vision for any enterprise.
- 20. Explain the framework of SWOT matrix, Discuss the benefits and drawbacks of SWOT Analysis.
- 21. What do you mean by Merger? Explain its types and reasons behind its failure.
- 22 State the nature of strategic implementation and also enumerate the barriers to Strategic Implementation.

(2×5=10 weightage)