

# GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

BE - SEMESTER– VII (New) EXAMINATION – WINTER 2019

Subject Code: 2172502

Date: 23/11/2019

Subject Name: Productivity Improvement Methods

Time: 10:30 AM TO 01:00 PM

Total Marks: 70

Instructions:

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

|            |   | MARKS     |
|------------|---|-----------|
| <b>Q.1</b> | (a) Differentiate production and productivity in light of economic progress of India. Take an example of ship breaking industries.                                      | <b>03</b> |
|            | (b) Define flow process chart. Explain types of flow process chart.   | <b>04</b> |
|            | (c) Define method study. Take an example of a manufacturing industry, and discuss economic, technical and human factors' consideration in selection of a job for study. | <b>07</b> |
| <b>Q.2</b> | (a) Write a brief note on construction of a SIMO chart.   | <b>03</b> |
|            | (b) Write a brief note on Therbligs and PMTS.   | <b>04</b> |
|            | (c) Discuss implementation methodology of BPR. Take a suitable example.   | <b>07</b> |
|            | <b>OR</b>   |           |
|            | (c) Discuss various causes of low productivity. Explain factors that help increasing productivity.  | <b>07</b> |
| <b>Q.3</b> | (a) Explain performance rating.   | <b>03</b> |
|            | (b) Explain human behavior and equipment design in concern with ergonomics.   | <b>04</b> |
|            | (c) Write a detail note on motion economy.  | <b>07</b> |
|            | <b>OR</b>   |           |
| <b>Q.3</b> | (a) Discuss why it is considered crucial to know as to 'when to reengineer'.  | <b>03</b> |
|            | (b) Discuss effect of environment on performance of worker, with suitable illustration  | <b>04</b> |
|            | (c) Discuss development of BPR. Write steps involved in BPR.  | <b>07</b> |
| <b>Q.4</b> | (a) Define outline process chart.   | <b>03</b> |
|            | (b) List methods of work measurement.   | <b>04</b> |
|            | (c) Explain string diagram for productivity improvement.  | <b>07</b> |
|            | <b>OR</b>   |           |
| <b>Q.4</b> | (a) Define standard time.   | <b>03</b> |
|            | (b) Write a brief note on allowances.   | <b>04</b> |
|            | (c) Explain man-machine chart in detail.  | <b>07</b> |
| <b>Q.5</b> | (a) Enlist time estimating techniques.  | <b>03</b> |
|            | (b) Prepare a two handed process chart for filling ink in a fountain pen.   | <b>04</b> |
|            | (c) Write a note on Contemporary issues in productivity.  | <b>07</b> |
|            | <b>OR</b>   |           |
| <b>Q.5</b> | (a) What is NPC?  | <b>03</b> |
|            | (b) Discuss various incentive schemes followed by organization.   | <b>04</b> |
|            | (c) Explain various methods used to determine the basic time required to perform any operation from time study record   | <b>07</b> |

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