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Elective
BA 7013 – SERVICES MARKETING
(Regulations 2013)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 100 Marks

Answer ALL questions

PART-A

(10×2=20 Marks)

- 1. List down the unique characteristics of services.
- 2. Write a short note on service economy.
- 3. What are the conditions necessary for effective segmentation?
- 4. Explain the factors analysed in internal analysis.
- 5. Write a short note on service blueprint.
- 6. Write short notes on service gap.
- 7. What are the key elements of service delivery system?
- 8. Write a short note on service marketing triangle.
- 9. Write short notes on search qualities of a hotel.
- 10. List down the features of physical evidence of the service marketing mix.

PART - B

(5×13=65 Marks)

11. a) Explain the reasons for growth of service sector in India.

(OR)

b) Discuss the challenges and issues faced by service industry.

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12. a) Explain the classification of services with suitable example.

(OR)

- b) Explain the major bases for market segmentation in service industry.
- 13. a) Explain the stages in new service development process. Explain the critical issues in new service development.

(OR)

- b) Explain the five dimensions of SERVQUAL.
- 14. a) Explain the various pricing methods of services.

(OR)

- b) Explain the tools of integrated service marketing communication mix.
- 15. a) Discuss the strategies for improving productivity in financial sector.

 (OR)
 - b) What do you mean by differentiation? How it is possible in tourism industry?

PART - C

(1×15=15 Marks)

- 16. a) Discuss the Gap model with reference to financial service industry.

 (OR)
 - b) Discuss the key factors leading to Gap I with reference to hotel industry.