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MANIPAL UNIVERSITY

SIXTH SEMESTER B. DES. (FD) DEGREE EXAMINATION – MAY 2017 SUBJECT: BFD 306 – FASHION MERCHANDISING

Monday, May 08, 2017

Time: 14:00 - 17:00 Hrs.

Max. Marks: 50

- Answer any FIVE full questions.
- Any missing data to be assumed suitably.
- 1A. Explain the different types of retailing.
- 1B. What are the 7 'P's of marketing? Explain.
- 1C. Write the different forms of ownership.

(3+3+4 = 10 marks)

- 2A. Explain the retailer's relationship with customers.
- 2B. Briefly explain the entry strategies.
- 2C. Differentiate between direct investment and franchise in retailing.

(3+3+4 = 10 marks)

- 3A. Explain the term demand risk.
- 3B. How do you identify the critical paths in supply risk?
- 3C. Explain the different modes of logistics used in supply chain management.

(3+3+4 = 10 marks)

- 4A. What are the principles of visual merchandising?
- 4B. Explain the store elements of visual merchandising.
- 4C. What are the different types of fixture's used in the store?

(3+3+4 = 10 marks)

- 5A. What is merchandised plan?
- 5B. Describe brand strategy.
- 5C. What are the different methods of budgeting?

(3+3+4 = 10 marks)

- 6A. What is fashion merchandising?
- 6B. Explain the method of preparing sales forecast.
- 6C. What are the key concepts ad steps for a successful brand strategy?

(3+3+4 = 10 marks)