

I Semester MBA (Day)/II Sem. MBA (Eve.) Degree Examination,  
Sept./October 2003  
(New Scheme)

MANAGEMENT (Paper - 1.5)  
Accounting for Management

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75

*Instruction : As per the question paper,  
Section A six questions out of nine each carries 2 marks.  
Section B 4 out of six questions each carries 5 marks.  
Section C 3 out of 5 and each carries 10 marks and  
Section D is compulsory.*

SECTION - A

1. Answer any six questions from this Section. Each question carries 2 marks. (6×2=12)
- What is P/V ratio ?
  - What is Business Entity Concept ?
  - What are make or buy decisions ?
  - What is ROI ?
  - What are accounting standards ?
  - What is composite ratio ?
  - What is activity based costing ?
  - What is margin of safety ?
  - Explain gross working capital and net working capital.

SECTION - B

Answer any four questions from this Section. Each question carries 5 marks. (4×5=20)

- Distinguish between standard costing and budgetary control.
- What are the generally accepted accounting concepts ?
- "The effect of a price increase is always to increase the P/V ratio, to bring down the break even point and to widen the margin of safety" - Discuss.
- The following particulars relate to ABC limited involved in manufacturing x and y products. Prepare a statement showing cost and profit per unit sold.

|          | Product x | Product y |
|----------|-----------|-----------|
|          | Rs.       | Rs.       |
| Material | 35,000    | 1,20,000  |
| Labour   | 17,000    | 66,000    |

Works overhead is charged at 70% on labour and office overhead is taken at 20% on works cost. The selling price of x is Rs. 1,000 and that of y is Rs. 600. Product x sold were 80 and that of y were 575. The selling expenses of each product was Rs. 5.

6. Prepare the process account from the following :

| Process X                      |        |
|--------------------------------|--------|
| Rs.                            |        |
| Material                       | 60,000 |
| Labour                         | 20,000 |
| Overheads                      | 14,000 |
| Direct expenses                | 3,000  |
| Inputs (units)                 | 20,000 |
| Output (units)                 | 17,500 |
| Normal loss                    | 10%    |
| Sale value of scrap (per unit) | Rs. 2  |

7. The following was the expenditure on a contract for Rs. 6,00,000 commenced in Feb. 2002.

| Rs.             |          |
|-----------------|----------|
| Materials       | 1,20,000 |
| Wages           | 1,64,000 |
| Plant           | 20,000   |
| Office expenses | 8,600    |

Cash received on contract on 31-12-2002 amounted to Rs. 2,40,000 being 80% of work certified. The value of materials on hand on 31-12-2002 was Rs. 10,000. Plant is to be depreciated at 10% per annum. Prepare the contract a/c for 2002 showing the profit to be credited to the year's P&LA/c.

#### SECTION - C

Answer any three questions from this Section. Each question carries 10 marks. (3×10=30)

8. From the following information you are required to prepare a Balance Sheet :

|                           |               |
|---------------------------|---------------|
| Current ratio             | 1.75          |
| Liquid ratio              | 1.25          |
| Stock turnover ratio      | 9             |
| Gross profit ratio        | 25%           |
| Debt collection period    | 1½ months     |
| Reserves and surplus      |               |
| To capital                | 0.2           |
| Turnover of fixed assets  | 1.2           |
| Capital gearing ratio     | 0.6           |
| Fixed assets to net worth | 1.25          |
| Sales for the year        | Rs. 12,00,000 |

9. Discuss the various methods of Inventory valuation.
10. K B U Corporation provides air transport services for short distances. It acquired an air craft costing Rs. 10,00,00,000. The aircraft was expected to last 50,000 flying - hours with an estimated residual value of Rs. 40,00,000. At the beginning of year 4, the company carried out a modification to the aircraft engine at a cost of Rs. 80,00,000. At that time, the aircraft had completed 30,000 flying - hours.

As a result of the modification, the aircraft has a remaining useful life of 30,000 flying - hours and an estimated residual value of Rs. 75,00,000. In the year 4, the aircraft flew 8,000 hours.

- A. Prepare journal entries to record the cost of the modification and depreciation expense for the year 4.
- B. Assume that the modification was not carried out. In the beginning of year 4, the aircraft was estimated to have a remaining useful life of 10,000 flying -hours and a residual value of Rs. 40,00,000. In the year 4, the aircraft flew 8,000 hours. Calculate depreciation for the year 4.
11. From the following you are required to :
- Find the P/V Ratio, B.E.P., and margin of safety.
  - Calculate the revised P/V ratio, B.E.P., and margin of safety in each of the following cases :
    - Decrease of 10% of selling price
    - Increase of 10% variable cost.
    - Increase of Rs. 6,000 in fixed costs.

|                |                 |
|----------------|-----------------|
| Sales units    | 15,000          |
| Fixed expenses | Rs. 34,000      |
| Sales value    | Rs. 1,50,000    |
| Variable costs | Rs. 6 per unit. |

12. What is human resource accounting ? Discuss major models of human resource accounting.

SECTION - D  
(CASE STUDY)

(1×13=13)

Comparative financial information for the India Steels Company and United Steels Company for the years 1998 and 1999 is given below.

Income Statement for 1998 and 1999

|                      | (Rs. in crores)      |      |                       |      |
|----------------------|----------------------|------|-----------------------|------|
|                      | India Steels Company |      | United Steels Company |      |
|                      | 1999                 | 1998 | 1999                  | 1998 |
| Sales                | 1008                 | 845  | 400                   | 387  |
| Cost of Production** | 700                  | 600  | 290                   | 240  |
|                      | 308                  | 245  | 110                   | 147  |

|                            |     |     |     |     |
|----------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Operating Expenses         | 188 | 132 | 73  | 75  |
| Other Income or (Expenses) | 120 | 113 | 37  | 72  |
|                            | 3   | 3   | 5   | (4) |
| Interest Expenses          | 123 | 116 | 42  | 68  |
|                            | 18  | 22  | 10  | 8   |
| Income Tax                 | 105 | 94  | 32  | 60  |
|                            | 36  | 31  | 18  | 26  |
| Dividend :                 | 69  | 63  | 14  | 34  |
| Preference shares          | 4   | 4   | -   | -   |
| Equity shares              | 31  | 29  | 9   | 10  |
| Includes : **              | 34  | 30  | 6   | 24  |
| Depreciation provision     | 15  | 14  | 65  | 20  |
| Material consumption       | 300 | 250 | 195 | 190 |

**Balance Sheet**

|                          |     |     |     |     |
|--------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Fixed Assets (Gross)     | 227 | 210 | 250 | 200 |
| Accumulated Depreciation | 111 | 98  | 85  | 20  |
| Fixed Assets (Net)       | 116 | 112 | 165 | 180 |
| Investment               | 8   | 3   | 25  | 10  |
| Current Assets           | 424 | 379 | 106 | 114 |
|                          | 548 | 494 | 296 | 304 |
| Share Capital            |     |     |     |     |
| Equity Rs. 10 each       | 80  | 60  | 40  | 30  |
| 10% preference shares    | 40  | 40  |     |     |
| Reserves                 | 118 | 103 | 80  | 87  |
| Debentures               | 120 | 127 | 60  | 80  |
| Current liabilities      | 190 | 164 | 116 | 107 |
|                          | 548 | 494 | 296 | 304 |

**Details of Current Assets :**

|                  |     |     |     |     |
|------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Cash and Bank    | 10  | 5   | 10  | 5   |
| Receivables      | 113 | 101 | 50  | 59  |
| Raw Material     | 145 | 148 | 24  | 24  |
| Work-in-progress | 56  | 60  | 10  | 8   |
| Finished Goods   | 100 | 65  | 12  | 18  |
|                  | 424 | 379 | 106 | 114 |

*Details of Current Liabilities :*

|                           |            |            |            |            |
|---------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Trade creditors           | 110        | 80         | 60         | 40         |
| Other Current Liabilities | 80         | 84         | 56         | 67         |
|                           | <u>190</u> | <u>164</u> | <u>116</u> | <u>107</u> |

*Notes :*

1. Credit purchases during the year 250 200 200 180
2. Credit Sales included in Sales (%) 60 50 60 50
3. Both the companies issued bonus shares in the ratio 1:3.

**QUESTIONS FOR DISCUSSION :**

From the financial information given above, you are required to compute various financial ratios so as to discuss the following :

1. Which company has got a better liquidity position to pay off its short-term commitments ?
2. What is the rate of return on the total investment for both the companies ?
3. Which company has got a better rate of return ? Is the difference in the rate of return (as per 2 above) due to a better rate of profit on the business conducted or due to a higher volume of business per rupee invested ?
4. Which company provides the highest safety margin to its debenture holders ?
5. What is the return available to preference shareholders in India Steels Company ? and
6. Which company appears to have a higher return per rupee invested in operating assets ?