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B.Com. (Hons.) 3rd Semester

MANAGEMENT OF INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS OPERATIONS

Paper—I (Group—IV)

Time Allowed—Three Hours] [Maximum Marks—50

SECTION-A

- I. Short answer type questions (any **TEN**): 10×1
 - (i) What are characteristics of MNCs?
 - (ii) Describe various communication styles.
 - (iii) Compare international marketing with domestic marketing.
 - (iv) What are benefits of international trade?
 - (v) Define culture.
 - (vi) What are disadvantages of global outsourcing?
 - (vii) What is offshoring?
 - (viii) How culture affects decision making?
 - (ix) What is social responsibility perspective?
 - (x) Differentiation vs. Integration.
 - (xi) How Foreign Corrupt Practices Act affects global managers ?
 - (xii) Differentiate between mergers and acquisitions.

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SECTION—B

(Essay Type Questions, any TWO)

- II. Discuss the scope and significance of international business.
- III. What are the political risks faced by the MNCs?
 What steps should be taken by MNCs to minimize political risks?
- IV. Compare different direct and indirect entry modes.

 Discuss the suitability of different modes. 10
- V. Discuss various dimensions of culture. How culture affects international negotiations?

SECTION—C

(Essay Type Questions, any TWO)

- VI. Explain different types of organization structures of MNCs. Also discuss their pros and cons. 10
- VII. What are ethics and social responsibility? Do you agree with the view that MNCs should stick to their home country ethics while operating in the host country?
- VIII. Discuss the factors responsible for outsourcing. Explain the trends towards outsourcing.
- IX. Explain competitive strategy and its impact on international business environment.