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MBAS 570

IV Semester M.B.A. Degree Examination, September/October 2022 (Regular & Repeater) BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION Warehousing, ICD and Packaging

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 70

SECTION - A

Note: Answer to the question should **not** exceed **six** pages.

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1. Explain the evolution of warehousing. Elaborate the warehouse operating principles.

SECTION - B

Answer **any five** questions. **Each** question carries **8** marks. Answer to the question should **not** exceed **5** pages. (5×8=40)

- 2. What do you understand by the containment and protection function of packaging? Give examples for different categories of products.
- 3. What are the different models of inventory used by warehouses for managing stock?
- 4. What are fire safety hazards and how to avoid them in a warehouse? Explain the procedure to manage the trip and slip hazards.
- 5. Which factors do warehouse strategists need to consider while selecting the location of warehouses?
- 6. Explain the importance and significant role of marking on export boxes. Explain the types of marking.
- 7. What is ICD? Explain the role and functions of ICD.
- 8. Write a short note on:
 - a) U.N certification of hazardous goods.
 - b) Warehouse performance measures.



SECTION – C (Compulsory)

Note: Answer to this question should **not** exceed **6** pages.

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9. Case Study.

How will the supplier plan dispatches at minimum cost, taking into consideration the cost of inventory holding at various stages?

- a) Manufacturing.
- b) Finish goods storage.
- c) Inventory during Transit.
- d) Warehousing at 3PL.