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**M.B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION —
JUNE, 2010.**

Second Year

(AY 2005–2006 batch onwards)

MATERIALS MANAGEMENT

Time : 3 hours

Maximum marks : 75

PART A — ($3 \times 5 = 15$ marks)

Answer any THREE questions.

Each question carries equal marks.

1. Explain the steps involved in Material Planning.
2. Write short note on “Value Engineering”.
3. Explain the steps involved in Procurement Activities.
4. List out the function of Stores Management.
5. How is Material Accounting performed?

PART B — ($4 \times 15 = 60$ marks)

Answer any FOUR questions.

Each question carries equal marks.

6. How to design a Material Management organization? What are the challenges involved in material management organization design?
7. Discuss the procedures in International and Import Buying. What are the risks involved in this types of buying?
8. Explain the types of Inventory and Inventory Control System.
9. How a purchasing differs from Private Organization to Government organization. What types of issues arises in government purchase?
10. What types of transportation are practiced in Material Carrying System? Analyse the risks involved in each of these transportation system.
11. Explain the need and importance of operations research in Material Management. Give suitable illustrations.
12. “Material Managers are more responsible for best Inventory and also for loss reduction”. – Critically comment.