

# **MUTHAYAMMAL ENGINEERING COLLEGE**

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# DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT STUDIES QUESTIONS BANK

# 19MBB08- STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT

#### **UNIT-I**

# PART - A

- 1. What do you understand "strategy"?
- 2. Distinguish between programs and procedures.
- 3. Define Policy.
- 4. What do you meant by Vision?
- 5. Recall the elements of strategic Intent.
- 6. State the Difference between "Mission Versus Purpose".
- 7. Differentiate between Goals and objectives.
- 8. Outline "strategic decision making"
- 9. Define "strategy implementation".
- 10. List out the issues in strategic decision making.

#### PART-B

- 11. i. Describe strategic management model.
  - Ii.Examine "strategic decision making". Explain the issues in strategic decision making.
- 12. i Explain in detail about strategic conceptual framework.
  - Ii.Define strategic management? Give its conceptual framework.
- 13. i.Identify the different elements of strategy? Give the hierarchy of Strategy.
  - Ii.Describe strategic formation model.
- 14. I.Discuss the difference between strategy and policy.
  - ii.Briefly explains about elements of strategic intent.
- 15. i.Define vision. And also explain the features of vision.
  - Ii.Describe the guidelines for formulating the mission and significance of mission. .

#### **UNIT-II**

# PART - A

- 1. Define corporate strategy.
- 2. List out the various strategy.
- 3. Write any two types of competitive tactics.
- 4. What is a generic competitive strategy?
- 5. Recall the concept of internalization strategy.
- 6. Tell the various risks in diversification?
- 7. List out the limitations of business strategy.
- 8. Give Outline to polycentric orientation?
- 9. What do you meant by strategy alliance?
- 10. List out the types of diversification strategy.
- 11. Write any three advantages of diversification strategy.

# PART - B

- 11. i Define corporate strategy. Discuss the objectives and significance of corporate strategy.
  - ii. What is stability strategy? Explain the reasons to pursue stability strategy and the types of stability strategy.
- 12. iDescribe about expansion strategy. Also explain the types of expansion strategy. ii.Define business level strategy and explain its types.
- 13. i.State the meaning of retrenchment strategy. Also elaborate the types of retrenchment strategy
  - ii. Write a detailed note on types of differentiation strategies with suitable example.
- 14.i.Write a detailed note on Advantages and disadvantages of differentiation strategies with suitable example.
  - ii.Describe about strategy alliance. Also explain the types.
- 15.i. Write a detailed note on Advantages and disadvantages of strategic alliance.
  - ii.Discuss the types of corporate strategy.

#### **UNIT-III**

#### PART – A

- 1. What is core-competency?
- 2. Define strategic Group.
- 3. Recall the concept of Competitive intelligence.
- 4. What do you mean by business environment?
- 5. Define Competencies.
- 6. State the techniques to prepare ETOP analysis?
- 7. Write short notes on VRIO Framework.
- 8. What do you understand capability?
- 9. List out the determinants of competitive advantage.
- 10. What are the components of porters five forces model?

#### PART – B

- 11. i. What are the basic components of business environment?
  - ii. What is internal Analysis? Discuss various techniques of internal analysis.
- 12.i Briefly explain about Porter's five forces model.
  - ii. What is internal Analysis? Write down briefly frame work for internal appraisal.
- 13.i What is business environment? Write about its nature.
  - ii. What do you mean by resources? What are the different types of resources? How the power of resources can be analyses?
- 14. i.What do you mean by strategic groups? How an aviation industry can use strategic group tool.
  - ii. What are the different elements of distinctive competence? Give the methods of building distinctive competence.
- 15. I.Define organization capabilities. Discuss the organization capabilities factors.
  - ii. How competitive advantage can be achieved through low cost and differentiation.

#### **UNIT-IV**

# PART - A

- 1. What is strategic analysis?
- 2. Define strategic Choice.
- 3. What do you meant by gap Analysis?
- 4. State the uses of 7s model framework.
- 5. List out the perspectives of balanced score card.
- 6. What are the elements of Gap analysis?
- 7. List out the steps in strategic choice.
- 8. What are the tools for strategic analysis?
- 9. Write any four merits of BCG matrix
- 10. Differentiate between harvest/Divest zones in GE9 cell model?

# **PART-B**

- 11.i.Explain the process and benefits of strategic analysis and choice.
  - ii.Discuss in detail the tools of strategic analysis and choice.
- 12.i. Write a note on McKinsey's framework and BCG matrix.
  - ii.Discuss about GAP analysis with example.
- 13.i.Explain BCG Growth-Share Matrix.
  - ii.Discuss the importance of Environmental threat and opportunity profile (ETOP).
- 14.iExplain GE 9 cell model and derive its importance.
  - ii.Describe the market life cycle model with right illustrations.
- 15.i.Elaborate the perspectives of Balance scorecard.
  - ii. What is corporate portfolio analysis? Explains the stages of corporate development

#### **UNIT-V**

#### **PART-A**

- 1. Define strategy implementation.
- 2. What do you mean by resource allocation?
- 3. List the various roles of organizational structure.
- 4. What is strategic control?
- 5. Write the importance of organizational structure.
- 6. Recall the stages of organizational life cycle.
- 7. List out the approaches for designing organizational structure.
- 8. Differentiate Proactive and Reactive changes.
- 9. Record "Reassessing Goals".
- 10. What is benchmarking?

#### **PART-B**

- 11.iExplain the nature and processes for strategy implementation.
  - ii.Explain resource allocation and mobilization playing a vital role in strategy implementation.
- 12..iDescribe the different aspects and barriers in strategy implementation.
  - ii.Enumerate the key mechanisms used in designing organizational structure.
- 13.i.Describe the process involved in strategic control systems.
  - ii. What do you mean by strategy evaluation? Explain the steps involved in it.
- 14.i.Enumerate the techniques involved in strategic evaluation and control.
  - ii.Describe the problems faced by organizations in functional implementation.
- 15.i.Explain the types of organizational structure.
  - ii.Describe the nature of strategic evaluation and control.