

**B. TECH.****THEORY EXAMINATION (SEM–VIII) 2016-17****PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT****Time : 3 Hours****Max. Marks : 100****Note : Be precise in your answer. In case of numerical problem assume data wherever not provided.****SECTION – A****1. Attempt all of the following questions:****10 x 2 = 20**

- Define product development and design
- Explain the term Test marketing
- What is meant by adaptation?
- What is meant by synectics?
- Define CAD CAM
- Define MTBF
- Define value engineering
- Define QFD
- Define concurrent engineering
- Write a need statement for hand charging system in a hostel dining hall.

**SECTION – B****2. Attempt any five of the following questions:****5 x 10 = 50**

- What do you understand by design by evolution? Explain with examples.
- Define creativity. Explain difference between creative thinking and analytical thinking with an example.
- What is anthropometrics data? Explain man-machine interaction cycle.
- Define reliability. Explain reliability of system in series & parallel with an example.
- Explain the checklist which facilitates carrying out of need analysis.
- A company produces four different designs of fountain pens. Their performance may be summarized as follows :

Performance parameter (Design)	Writing time between refills (min.)	Nib life (months)	Cost	Writing Pressure
A	35	24	10	0.30
B	15	30	8	0.20
C	55	20	20	0.40
D	30	18	12	.25
Min acceptable value	10	15	20	0.20

Assign proper weights to the quality dimensions and determine which design gives the maximum utility.

- A company makes curtain rods of size 2 mts in length. Three materials A, B and C are available. Each material calls for a different process & machine for manufacturing and their cost data is given as below.

**Materials****Items**

	A	B	C
Raw material cost Rs./meter	2.25	2.75	3.00
Equipment cost Rs. /year	6000	5000	3000
Labor cost Rs. /rod	0.55	0.62	0.25

Plot the total cost v/s yearly production volume. If a sales volume of 10,000 rods/year is expected, which material should be used?

- (h) Write brief notes on any TWO of the following
- (i) Product life cycle1.
  - (ii) Bath tub curve
  - (iii) Design of displays

### SECTION – C

**Attempt any two of the following questions:**

**2 x 15 = 30**

- 3. A truck has two tyres on the front side and four tyres on the rear axle; each having a failure rate of 0.001 per hour. Calculate the reliability for a 10 hour journey, if there is no stepney in the truck.
- 4. Explain the utility concept with an example. Also discuss the law of diminishing marginal utility.
- 5. What are the creative design routes or phases in product design? Explain with figure.