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# TOURISM MARKETING

Time Allotted: 3 Hours Full Marks: 70

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

#### **GROUP - A**

# ( Multiple Choice Type Questions )

1. Choose the correct alternatives for the following:

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- i) Tourism Product is
  - a) Tangible
- b) Separable
- c) Perishable
- d) Invariable.
- ii) Setting a high price when the market is price insensitive is
  - a) prestige pricing
  - b) penetration pricing
  - c) skimming pricing
  - d) product bundle pricing.

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- iii) Cost based pricing is
  - a) quality plus
- b) cost plus
- c) market plus
- d) sales plus.
- iv) MIS in marketing stands for
  - a) Marketing Information System
  - b) Marketing Indicative System
  - c) Marketing Informative System
  - d) Marketing Intensive System.
- v) Market survey is a part of
  - a) Marketing Research
  - b) Advertising Research
  - c) Motivation Research
  - d) All of these.
- vi) Which of the following is not included in tourism distribution?
  - a) Travel Agent
  - b) Tour Operator
  - c) Destination Marketing offices
  - d) Tourist.
- vii) STP stands for
  - a) Segmentation Targeting & Positioning
  - b) Segmentation Targeting & Packaging
  - c) Segmentation Targeting and Pricing
  - d) Segmentation Targeting and Promotion.



- viii) Demographic segmentation variable includes
  - a) age and gender
- b) climate
- c) opinion
- d) attitude.
- ix) The first stage of PLC is
  - a) maturity
- b) decline

- c) growth
- d) introduction.

- x) GIT means
  - a) General Independent Tour
  - b) Group Inclusive Tour
  - c) Group Individual Tour
  - d) Gross Independent Travel.

#### **GROUP - B**

# ( Short Answer Type Questions )

Answer any three of the following.

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- 2. What does branding a tourism destination really mean? Explain with suitable examples.
- 3. Discuss the different priceing strategies a tour operator should consider while marketing their packages.
- 4. What are the variables a Tourism Marketer can use to segment a Tourism Market?
- 5. Discuss the concept of Total Quality Management in Tourism.
- 6. Discuss the important characteristics of Tourism Marketing.

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#### GROUP - C

# (Long Answer Type Questions)

Answer any three of the following.



- 7. What is Destination life cycle? What are the different stages of destination life cycle?
- 8. Discuss the role of advertising in selling a tourist destination with suitable examples.
- 9. What is service quality? Discuss the importance of quality management in Tourism Industry.
- 10. What is Pricing? What strategies can a regional tourism organisation adopt while considering a Pricing decision?
- 11. Discuss the relevance of "People, process and physical evidence" in Tourism Marketing.

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