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M.C.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION - COMPUTER APPLICATIONS

FIFTH SEMESTER - NOVEMBER 2016

CA 5956 - KNOWLEDGE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM AND APPLICATIONS

Date: 14-11-2016	Dept. No.	Max.: 100 Marks
Time: 09:00-12:00		

Part - A

Answer ALL Questions

10*2 = 20

- 1. How is Knowledge different from Information?
- 2. "Knowledge impacts the market value and prosperity of a business" Comment in a few lines
- 3. Define the term tacit knowledge.
- 4. What is condensation?
- 5. What is a Primary Question?
- 6. What is the goal of profiling?
- 7. Define the term 'Knowledge map'?
- 8. What is Groupware?
- 9. What is collaboration?
- 10. What is a Knowledge Portal?

Part - B

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS

5*8 = 40

11.(a) Explain structural drivers.

OR

- (b) Discuss the various KM Perspectives.
- 12. (a) Explain the 5C process, with a neat diagram.

OR

- (b) Discuss the three fundamental steps of Knowledge Management.
- 13. (a) Explain the strategies 'Build In-home, buy or outsource' model of KMS.

OR

- (b) Explain about 'Phrasing Questions' while interviewing an expert.
- 14. (a) Discuss Frames with an example.

OR

- (b) Substantiate any two Knowledge Transfer Methods.
- 15. (a) How could businesses be transformed through portals?

OR

(b) Explain the Portal Feature benefits.

PART - C

Answer any Two Questions

2 * 20 = 40

- 16. (a) Explain Knowledge-centric and Process-focused drivers.
 - (b) Explain the Creation of Knowledge Edge.
- 17. (a) Discuss the qualifications of an expert.
 - (b) Write an essay on the knowledge codification tools and procedures.
- 18. (a) Provide a vivid description on Knowledge workers.
 - (b) Explain the strategies to be used for developing relationship with experts.
