2005-PUNJAB TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY

B.TECH IV SEMESTER DEGREE EXAMINATION

INDUSTRIAL ECONOMICS

(MECHANICAL ENGINEERING)

TIME-3HOUR

Note: Section A Is Compulsory. Attempt Any Four Questions From Section B And Any Two From Section C.

SECTION A MARKS 2 EACH

- 1. (a) Cost
- (b) Engineering Economics
- (c) Time value of money
- (d) Trial balance
- (e) Reducing balance method of depreciation
- (f) Double entry system
- (g) Salvage value of an asset
- (h) Balance sheet
- (i) Cost estimation
- (j) Overhead cost

SECTION B MARKS 5 EACH

- 2. Discuss in detail the causes of depreciation with the help of examples.
- 3. Why book-keeping is necessary for a business enterprise?
- 4. Elaborate the major factors to be considered in replacement studies.
- 5. What is importance of economics for an engineer in context of modern business environment?
- 6. What are the drawbacks of pay-back period method?

SECTION C MARKS 10 EACH

- 7. Differentiate between depletion and depreciation. Elaborate the straight line method of depreciation along with its advantages and disadvantages.
- 8. (a) What type of information is required for estimating labour and material costs?
- (b) How will you distribute overhead costs in case of a manufacturing unit?
- 9. Write short notes on the following:
- (a) Profit and Loss account.
- (b) Elements of cost.