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# PRESIDENCY UNIVERSITY

## BENGALURU

### Mid - Term Examinations – October 2025

**Date:** 28-10-2025

**Time:** 11.00am to 12.30pm

<b>School:</b> SOC	<b>Program:</b> B.COM CMA	
<b>Course Code:</b> CBS1035	<b>Course Name:</b> Financial Planning and Performance	
<b>Semester:</b> I	<b>Max Marks:</b> 50	<b>Weightage:</b> 25%

<b>CO - Levels</b>	<b>CO1</b>	<b>CO2</b>	<b>CO3</b>	<b>CO4</b>	<b>CO5</b>
<b>Marks</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>26</b>	-	-	-

**Instructions:**

- (i) *Read all questions carefully and answer accordingly.*
- (ii) *Do not write anything on the question paper other than roll number.*

### Part A

**Answer ALL the Questions. Each question carries 2 marks.**

**5Q x 2M=10M**

1	Name the strategic document used to explain how the company wants to achieve its goals or objectives in the long run.	2 Marks	L1	CO1
2	Outline the basic features of products that are identified as problem child in the BCG Growth-Share Matrix.	2 Marks	L1	CO1
3	Describe the concept of rolling budgets.	2 Marks	L1	CO2
4	Differentiate between ideal and currently attainable standards.	2 Marks	L3	CO2
5	Describe the concept of learning curve effect.	2 Marks	L1	CO2

### Part B

**Answer ALL the Questions. Each question carries 10 marks.**

**4Q x 10M=40M**

6.	Describe the attributes of successful strategic goals.	10 Marks	L2	CO1
<b>Or</b>				
7.	Explain Porter's Five Forces Model.	10 Marks	L2	CO1

8.	Describe SWOT analysis technique.	10 Marks	L2	CO 1
<b>Or</b>				
9.	Differentiate the cost leadership and the cost focus strategies.	10 Marks	L3	CO 1

10.	Describe the process of zero-based budgeting.	10 Marks	L3	CO 2
<b>Or</b>				
11.	Carlisle Manufacturing is trying to estimate the level of production for the month of June. Assume that Carlisle wants safety stock in beginning inventory of 30 percent of estimated sales and that estimated sales for June and July are as follows:  June: 40,000 units July: 30,000 units  Required: Compute the budget for production quantity for June.	10 Marks	L3	CO 2

12.	Bortamord anticipates that a 90% learning curve will apply to the production of a new item. The first item will cost \$2,000 in materials, and will take 500 labour hours. The cost per hour for labour and variable overhead is \$5.  You are required to calculate the total cost for the first unit and for the first eight units.	10 Marks	L3	CO 2																
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13.	A company is considering two mutually exclusive products, named A & B.  Product A is expected to earn a profit of \$1,800.  The estimates for Product B are given below:  <table style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"> <thead> <tr> <th>Demand</th> <th>Probability</th> <th>Revenues</th> <th>Variable Costs</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Strong</td> <td>0.2</td> <td>28000</td> <td>20000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Moderate</td> <td>0.5</td> <td>22000</td> <td>17000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Weak</td> <td>0.3</td> <td>18000</td> <td>14000</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> Fixed costs related to the product is \$4,000. What will be the decision of a manager based on EV technique? Provide necessary calculations.	Demand	Probability	Revenues	Variable Costs	Strong	0.2	28000	20000	Moderate	0.5	22000	17000	Weak	0.3	18000	14000	10 Marks	L3	CO 2
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