



BCM 211: FUNDAMENTALS OF SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

SPECIAL EXAM- Roysambu Day

Instructions

- i. This exam paper contains SIX questions containing 10 marks each.
 - ii. Answer Question 1 (COMPULSORY) and any other THREE questions
 - iii. Read each question carefully before attempting.
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QUESTION 1

- a) State THREE advantages of using Mpesa to pay suppliers. (2 Marks).
- b) Using examples, explain FOUR types of fraud related to purchasing. (8 Marks).

QUESTION 2

- a) Highlight Four effects of Bullwhip effect in an organization. (4 Marks)
- b) Discuss THREE techniques under Match strategy as a way of demand management. (6 Marks)

QUESTION 3

- a) Describe two benefits of Information Technologies in supply chain (4 Marks)
- b) Explain THREE customer service elements in supply chain management. (6 Marks)

QUESTION 4

Fundamentals of supply chain management

- a) Highlight FOUR emerging technologies in supply chain management. **(4 Marks)**
- b) Explain THREE reasons why companies outsource their production process.
(6 Marks)

QUESTION 5

- a) Highlight TWO types of inventories. **(2 Marks)**
- b) The selection of suppliers is an integral part of a procurement process. Explain the importance of selecting appropriate suppliers for the supply chain management.
(8 Marks)

QUESTION 6

- a) Discuss the advantages of the following modes of transportation.
 - i. Road **(2 Marks)**
 - ii. Air **(2 Marks)**
 - iii. Pipeline **(2 Marks)**
- b) Explain the role of reverse logistics in supply chain management. **(4 Marks)**

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