



VI Semester B.B.M. Examination, May/June 2014 (2011-12 and Onwards) (Repeaters) BUSINESS MANAGEMENT Strategic Management

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 90

Instruction: Answers should be written in English only.

SECTION - A

Answer any 10 questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

 $(2\times10=20)$

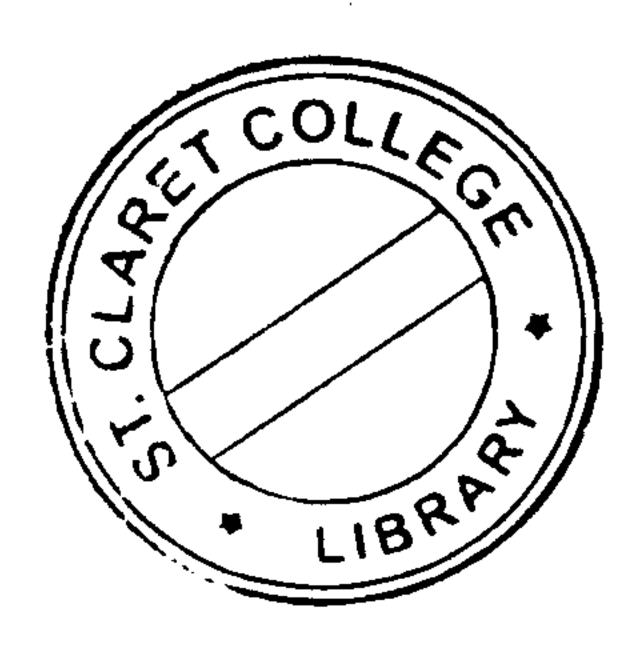
- 1. a) What is a business policy?
 - b) What is a vision statement?
 - c) What is environmental scanning?
 - d) What is KRA?
 - e) What is turn-around strategy?
 - f) Give the meaning of bench marking.
 - g) What is corporate social responsibility?
 - h) What is corporate politics?
 - i) Mention the types of social audit.
 - i) What is strategic planning?
 - k) Mention any two advantages of management control.
 - I) What is Merger?

SECTION - B

Answer any 5 questions. Each question carries 5 marks.

 $(5\times5=25)$

- 2. Explain any five limitations of strategic management.
- 3. Explain the need for environmental scanning.
- 4. State the need and relevance of business policies.



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- 5. Explain the merits of social audit to a firm.
- 6. Discuss the need of strategic management in detail.
- 7. Explain the factors determining cost leadership.
- 8. Discuss the advantages of mergers.
- 9. Explain turn around strategy in detail.

SECTION-C

Answer any three questions. Each question carries 15 marks.

 $(15 \times 3 = 45)$

- 10. Explain the steps involved in strategic planning process.
- 11. Discuss the various objectives of a business policy.
- 12. Explain stability strategy and growth strategy in detail.
- 13. Explain the importance of social responsibilities to a business firm.
- 14. Discuss the role of strategists in strategic decision making.