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Time: 3hours Max. Marks: 60

Answer any <u>five</u> questions All questions carry equal marks

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- 1. Explain the 'Technology innovation process' and mention the factors contributing to the technology innovation. Support your answer with suitable examples.
- 2. Discuss the various techniques for evaluating R & D projects.
- 3. What is the significance and role of market research in New Product Development? Take any one case of product failure/success and discuss the reasons for the failure/success and the lessons that can be learnt out of this.
- 4. Which are the four methods of creative problem-solving? Describe the method "Check List of Questions" with an example.
- 5. What is the significance and need for technological forecasting by the corporate?
- 6. What is Competitive Advantage (CA)? Why should firms relentlessly pursue CA in today's dynamic market environment?
- 7. Describe the techniques used for planning and controlling R&D projects.
- 8. Write short notes on
 - a) Product design and architecture
 - b) Technology transfer
