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APJ ABDUL KALAM TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY
EIGHTH SEMESTER B.TECH DEGREE EXAMINATION, MAY 2019

Course Code: MR464

Course Name: Agile Manufacturing Systems

Max. Marks: 100

Duration: 3 Hours

PART A

Answer all questions, each carries 5 marks.

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| 1 | Interpret about the concept of agile manufacturing. | (5) |
| 2 | Write the importance of interdisciplinary design methodology. | (5) |
| 3 | Identify the nature of management required for implementing agile manufacturing practices. | (5) |
| 4 | Mention the role of technology in agile manufacturing. | (5) |
| 5 | List out the four concepts of agile manufacturing and give a brief description for each concept. | (5) |
| 6 | Write a short note on key elements of agile enterprise. | (5) |
| 7 | Elucidate in detail about knowledge driven enterprise. | (5) |
| 8 | Define benchmarking and give a brief description about the types of benchmarking in agile manufacturing. | (5) |

PART B

Answer any three full questions, each carries 10 marks.

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| 9 | Compare agile manufacturing with lean manufacturing. | (10) |
| 10 | Explicate in detail about the 4 concepts of agile manufacturing. | (10) |
| 11 | Discuss about the past failures in manufacturing. | (10) |
| 12 | Identify the market forces driving the evolution of agility and agile manufacturing in business. | (10) |
| 13 | What are the various issues/problems in implementing the agile technologies? Clarify each issues. | (10) |

PART C

Answer any two full questions, each carries 15 marks.

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| 14 | With a neat sketch, justify about the development of AMS. | (15) |
| 15 | Develop an idea about the design of framework of AMS. | (15) |
| 16 | Investigate about the future scope of agile manufacturing. | (15) |
| 17 | Give an overview of the problems faced by agile manufacturing in detail. | (15) |
