FINAL EXAMINATION

June 2013

F-P13(MSM) Syllabus 2008

Management Accounting—Strategic Management

Time Allowed: 3 Hours

Full Marks: 100

Section I (60 Marks) (Strategic Management)

Answer Question No. 1 and any other two more from the rest in this section.

(Please answer all parts of the question at one place.)

- 1. (a) In each of the cases/statements given below, one of four alternatives is correct. Indicate the correct answer:
 - (i) The role of leadership can be best evaluated by looking at
 - (A) Vision
 - (B) Strategy
 - (C) Succession Planning
 - (D) All of the above
 - (ii) Successful differentiation strategy allows the company to
 - (A) Gain buyer loyalty to its brand
 - (B) Charge to high a price premium
 - (C) Depend only on intrinsic product attributes
 - (D) Segment a market into distinct group of buyers
 - (iii) '3C' model in business management (value based) consists of
 - (A) Customers, costs and competition
 - (B) Customers, context and channels
 - (C) Cost, capital and capability
 - (D) Competitors, channels and context
 - (iv) BSNL's plan behind introduction of 'Internet Plan 99', ISDN Virtual Private Network etc. would be an example
 - (A) Utilisation of newer technology
 - (B) Portfolio generation
 - (C) Diversification of business
 - (D) Product development
 - (v) The corporate governance framework should ensure
 - (A) Rights of stakeholders are established by law
 - (B) Equitable treatment to all stakeholders
 - (C) Timely and accurate disclosure of all material matters finance, performance and ownership of the company
 - (D) All of the above and social responsibility
 - (vi) The difference between strategic alliances and joint ventures can best be explained by
 - (A) All strategic alliances are joint ventures
 - (B) All joint ventures are strategic alliances
 - (C) All strategic alliances are temporary phenomena
 - (D) All joint ventures involve equity participation