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**P.E.S. College of Engineering, Mandya - 571 401**  
 (An Autonomous Institution affiliated to VTU, Belgaum)  
**Fifth Semester, B.E. – Industrial and Production Engineering**  
**Semester End Examination; Dec. - 2014**  
**Work Study and Ergonomics**

Time: 3 hrs

Max. Marks: 100

*Note: i) Answer any FIVE full questions, selecting at least TWO full questions from each part.  
 ii) Assume suitable missing data if any*

**PART – A**

1. a. What are the resources used in the course of production in an industry? Explain them. 6
- b. What is “Ineffective time within the control of the worker”? How to reduce it? 8
- c. The following data is available ;
  - Basic Rate = Rs. 10 per hour
  - Allowed time for task = 8 hours
  - Actual time taken = 6 hours 6
 Calculate
  - i) Actual earning under Rowan plan.
  - ii) Total earning for 8 hours shift.
2. a. “The savings resulting from properly applied work study start once and continue as long as the operation continuous in the improved form” Substantiate this statement. 6
- b. “Work study is a direct means of raising productivity”. How? 8
- c. Name and explain the qualifications and qualities which are essential for work-study man for his success. 6
3. a. Define method study. Narrate its procedure. 8
- b. Distinguish clearly between the following: 6
  - i) Delay activity and permanent storage activity.
  - ii) Man type and Material type of flow process chart.
- c. Draw the flow process chart (man type) for an activity “Turning of a rod of material at your machine shop”. State your assumptions. 6
4. a. Define the following: 6
  - i) String diagram
  - ii) Travel Chart
  - iii) Multiple activity chart
- b. Discuss about the “Classification of movements”. 6
- c. Make two handed process chart for an activity “Disassembly of a dot pen”. State your assumptions. 8

**PART – B**

- 5. a. State the purpose of work measurement. 6
- b. Narrate briefly the conduction of work sampling study. 8
- c. A sampling study was conducted in a workshop of a highly productive machines. Downtime was recorded as 30%. Determine the number of observations required for the study for a 95% confidence level and an accuracy of  $\pm 5\%$ . 6
- 6. a. List the general rules concerning the way in which a job should be broken down into elements. 8
- b. With the help of the example explain the “REACH” fundamental motion of the MTM. 6
- c. A Job involves five operations and the related data is given below. Assuming allowances as 20% of the basic time, find the standard time for completing the job. At 8 hours shift, What would be the production per shift?

Operation No.	Observed time (Minutes)	Rating (0 – 100)
1	0.25	100
2	0.30	110
3	0.27	105
4	0.38	85
5	0.20	80

- 7. a. List the characteristics of present day tools / machines. 6
- b. Sketch and explain the input – data for man job matching. 8
- c. Name the Anthropometric data required for the design of a “Readymade Shirt”. 6
- 8. a. List and explain the causes of fatigue. 8
- b. Name some of the important “Displays and controls” in “Mobile phone Hand Set”. 6
- c. Write a note on “Design of workplaces”. 6

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