

Subject : Intellectual Property Rights (Elective – II)

Max. Marks: 75

PART - A (25 Marks)

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9. State TRUE or FALSE :
- i) Naturally occurring micro-organisms are patentable. [T/F]
 - ii) Trade names cannot be protected under trademark law [T/F]
 - iii) Author is the first owner of copyright [T/F]
 - iv) Copyright is the weakest form of IPR. [T/F]
 - v) Non-working of a patented invention is a ground for grant of compulsory licensing. [T/F]
10. Problems :
- i) A publisher modified a work of another without any authorization from the author. Which IPR is violated by the publisher.
 - ii) An engineering professor used a patented invention for teaching purpose without permission from the patentee. Has he violated any patent right?
 - iii) How can a computer programme be protected in India?
 - iv) Can a popular folk song be copyrighted?
 - v) Can a pharmaceutical invention be granted a product patent?

PART - B (5 x 10 = 50 Marks)

- 11. Explain the nature and classification of IPRs.
- 12. Discuss the role of World Intellectual Property Organisation (WIPO) in Promotion and protection of IPRs.
- 13. Explain the subject-matter of patent protection. What are the essential conditions for grant of a patent?
- 14. Explain the grounds for revocation of a patent.
- 15. What is an Industrial Design? Explain the procedure to register a design.
- 16. Explain the meaning of Trademarks. What are the functions and purposes of a trademark?
- 17. What amounts to infringement of copyright? Are there any exceptions thereto?