2309 COST ACCOUNTING

COURSE CONTENTS

Unit - I

Introduction: Nature and Scope of Coast Accounting; Cost concepts and Classification; Methods and Techniques; Installation of Costing System.

Accounting for Material: Material control, Concept and techniques; Pricing of Material issues; Treatment of Material Losses.

Unit - II

Accounting for Labour: Labour cost control procedure, Labour turnover; Idle time and overtime; Methods of wage payment-time and piece rates: Incentive schemes (Individual and group both).

Accounting for Overheads: Classification and Departmentalization, Absorption of Overheads; Determination of Overheads rates; Under and Over absorption, and its treatment.

Unit - III

Cost Ascertainment: Unit costing; Job and Contract costing; Operating costing, Process costing – including Valuation of WIP Inter-process profits and joint and by-products.

Unit – IV

Cost Records: Integral and Non-integral System; Reconciliation of cost and financial accounts.

Activity Based Costing: Meaning Emergence, Advantages, Activity cost drivers and cost Determination (Elementary).

Unit - V

Marginal Costing: including Decision-making, Standard Costing including Calculation of Material, Labour and Overhead variances.

Suggested Readings:

- 1. Arora, M.N.: Cost Accounting Principles and Practice. Vikas, New Delhi.
- 2. Horngren, Charles, Foster and Datar: Costing Accounting A managerial Emphasis; Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi
- 3. Jain, S.P. and Narang, K.L.: Cost Accounting, (Hindi and English) Kalyani, New Delhi.
- 4. Khan, M.Y. and Jain, P.K.: Management Accounting. Tata MCGraw Hill.
- 5. Maheshwari, S.N.: Advanced Problems and Solutions in Cost Accounting. Sultan Chand, New Delhi.
- 6. Nigam, BML and Sharma: Cost Accounting
- 7. Roa, N.S.; Gupta, S.L. and Mundra, M.D.: Cost Accounting (Hindi) Apex Publishing House, Udaipur
- 8. Tulsian, P.C.: Practical Costing. Vikas, New Delhi