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MBP-003

**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN
BOOK PUBLISHING
(PGDBP)**

**Term-End Examination
December, 2025**

**MBP-003 : PRODUCTION AND EMERGING
TECHNOLOGIES**

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : *Attempt any **five** questions. All questions carry equal marks. Answer each question in about **300-350** words, unless otherwise instructed.*

1. Discuss the factors that are key to successful book designing. 20

2. Discuss the organisational chart of book production and its functions. 20
3. What are the commonly used casting-off methods ? Discuss each in brief. 20
4. What are the *three* main parts of a book ? Discuss with examples/illustrations as appropriate. 20
5. What are the *five* major printing processes ? Discuss any *three* with examples. 20
6. Write a note on the commonly used varieties of paper and their characteristics. 20
7. Explain with examples the history of book binding. Illustrate your answer. 20
8. What are some of the faults of book binding ? Explain the importance of correctly binding a book. 20
9. What was the process of book production in the conventional system ? Elaborate on each of the processes. 20

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10. Write short notes on any *two* of the following
in **150-200** words each : 10+10

- (a) Binding in India
- (b) Perfect binding
- (c) Headbands
- (d) Digital printing
- (e) Design programs

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