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FACULTY OF ARTS

B.A. (Third Year) (Sixth Semester) EXAMINATION

MARCH/APRIL, 2017

(New Course)

ENGLISH (Optional)

Paper XII

(Modern English Structure (B) An Introduction to English Grammar)

(Saturday, 22-4-2017)

Time : 10.00 a.m. to 12.00 noon

Time—Two Hours

Maximum Marks—40

N.B. :— (i) All questions are compulsory.

(ii) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

1. (A) Identify and analyse the structure of any *two* of the following phrases
drawing tree diagrams for each : 4

(1) All the fiest twenty students

(2) My first good experience

(3) Very naughty

(4) Has been working.

(B) Say whether the following sentences are correct. Comment on their
incorrectness if (any *two*) : 4

(1) One of my brother is a doctor.

(2) Sandhya prefers coffee than tea.

(3) Anil is a engineer.

(4) Where she lives ?

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2. (A) Identify the subordinate clauses in any *two* of the following sentences, specifying 'form' and 'function' for each : 4
- (1) That the earth moves round the sun is an established fact.
 - (2) The bottle which is on the table is mine.
 - (3) Wherever Hamid goes, he is admired by everyone.
 - (4) The fact is that he wants to sell the land.
- (B) Comment on the difference in form and meaning of the sentences in the following pairs (any *two*) : 4
- (1) John plays football well.
John is playing football well.
 - (2) There are few chairs in the class.
There are a few chairs in the class.
 - (3) Can you pass me the salt, please ?
Could you pass me the salt, please ?
 - (4) Rahul goes to hospital.
Rahul goes to the hospital.
3. (A) Analyse any *two* of the following sentences into their constituent parts, using functional and form/class labels for each : 4
- (1) His name is Raja Malhotra.
 - (2) Rajabhau was esting apples in the garden.
 - (3) He told us an interesting story.
 - (4) Pratibha went to London.
- (B) Combine each of the following pairs of sentences to form a single sentence (any *two*) : 4
- (1) I know the man.
The man is ill.

- (2) The book is on the table.
It belongs to me.
- (3) Shed your blood.
Be a slave forever.
- (4) It is my belief.
They don't work.
4. (A) Explain the ambiguity in any *two* of the following : 4
- (1) A good life depends on a liver.
- (2) Foreigners are hunting dogs.
- (3) He gave her cat food.
- (4) She was on the phone.
- (B) Comment on the process of word formation in any *two* of the following : 4
- (1) Unhappy
- (2) Readjustment
- (3) Nationalization
- (4) Newspapers.
5. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : 8
- (1) Transitive and Intransitive Verbs
- (2) Direct and Indirect Object
- (3) Basic Clause Elements
- (4) Features of British English.