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FACULTY OF ARTS

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

MARCH/APRIL, 2018

ENGLISH (Optional)

Paper XII

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

(Tuesday, 17-4-2018)

Time : 10.00 a.m. to 12.00 noon

Time—2 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

(i) Neha's first blue dress

(ii) At the station

(iii) Very poor

(iv) Had been stolen.

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

(i) Why you want change ?

(ii) Roshan prefers tea than milk.

(iii) Royal umbrella was held on his head.

(iv) Mr. Patel was one of the richest businessman in Mumbai.

2. (A) Identify the subordinate clauses in any *two* of the following sentences specifying 'form' and 'function' for each : 4

(i) What he says is not true.

P.T.O.

- (ii) If you don't vote, you have no right to question or blame the government.
- (iii) The woman who works in the hospital is my aunt.
- (iv) That the earth moves round the sun is an established fact.
- (B) Comment on the difference in form and meaning of the sentences in the following pairs (any *two*) : 4
- (i) There are few chairs in the hall.
There are a few chairs in the hall.
- (ii) Amol plays Hockey well.
Amol is playing Hockey well.
- (iii) He went to college.
He went to the college.
- (iv) It may rain.
It might rain.
3. (A) Analyse any *two* of the following sentences into their constituent parts using functional and form/class labels for each : 4
- (i) The bell rang.
- (ii) They have made Neha their representative.
- (iii) Dr. Pawan is the chairman.
- (iv) Prakash gave me a notebook.
- (B) Combine each of the following pairs of sentences to form a single sentence (any *two*) : 4
- (i) I saw the boy.
The boy broke the window.
- (ii) Go to college.
Bring me a book.

(iii) He is my son.

His name is Raju.

(iv) He scored two hundred runs.

That was a miracle.

4. (A) Explain the ambiguity in any *two* of the following : 4

(i) They are Russian teachers.

(ii) I saw her crossing the road.

(iii) Modern language teaching.

(iv) Young boys and girls.

(B) Comment on the process of word-formation (any *two*) : 4

(i) Management

(ii) Unacceptable

(iii) Hunted

(iv) Newspapers.

5. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : 8

(i) Relative clause

(ii) Uses of simple present tense

(iii) Operator

(iv) British English.