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**FACULTY OF ARTS**

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**FUNCTIONAL ENGLISH**

Paper I

(Introduction to Phonetics)

(MCQ + Theory)

**(Wednesday, 20-4-2016)**

**Time : 10.00 a.m. to 12.00 noon**

*Time—2 Hours*

*Maximum Marks—40*

*N.B. :— All questions are compulsory.*

**MCQ**

1. Attempt the following : 10

(1) Identify the trisyllabic word in the following :

- (A) young (B) remember  
(C) kill (D) re-examination

(2) Identify the number of syllables in the word 'Inject' ?

- (A) 2 (B) 3  
(C) 4 (D) 5

(3) Find the odd one out :

- (A) /ɪ/ (B) /æ/  
(C) /i:/ (D) /ɑ:/

(4) Allophones are positional variants of .....

- (A) Morpheme (B) Phoneme  
(C) Morph (D) Phone

P.T.O.

- (5) The syllabic structure of 'Allow' is ..... .  
(A) V-CV (B) CV-C  
(C) V-CC (D) V-VC
- (6) Identify the odd one out :  
(A) |eI| (B) |ʊə|  
(C) |ɔI| (D) |ɔI|
- (7) Identify the passive articulator from the following :  
(A) Lip (B) Tongue  
(C) Teeth (D) All of these
- (8) What is IPA ?  
(A) International Phonemic Alphabet  
(B) Indian Phonemic Alphabet  
(C) International Phonetic Alphabet  
(D) Indian Phonetic Alphabet
- (9) Which of the following is *not* true ?  
(A) R.P has 09 fricatives  
(B) Nasals sounds cannot be continued  
(C) R.P. has 05 long vowels  
(D) All are not true
- (10) What is not true about plosives ?  
(A) They are articulated in 03 stages  
(B) They are oral sounds  
(C) In final position they are released audibly  
(D) None of the above is true

**Theory**

2. (a) Give *three* term description to the following sounds (any *five*) : 5

(1) /əʊ/

(2) /n/

(3) /p/

(4) /dʒ/

(5) /s/

(6) /m/

(7) /f/

(b) Identify the IPA symbols for three term tables given below (any *five*) : 5

(i) Front close unrounded vowel

(ii) Voiced Labio-dental Fricative

(iii) Voiceless Dental Fricative

(iv) Voiced Velar Nasal

(v) Back open rounded vowel

(vi) Central unrounded short vowel

(vii) Back unrounded vowel just below the half open position

3. (a) Write on any *one* of the following : 5

(i) Alveolar plosives

(ii) Dental fricatives

(b) Write on any *one* of the following : 5

(i) Back vowels

(ii) Closing diphthongs gliding to /ʊ/

4. (a) Show the syllable division and CVC structure in the following words  
(any *five*) : 5
- (i) Burn
  - (ii) Record
  - (iii) Politics
  - (iv) Entertainment
  - (v) Democracy
  - (vi) Philosophy
  - (vii) Electricity
- (b) Write a short note on any *one* of the following : 5
- (i) Vocal cords
  - (ii) Active and Passive Articulators.