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FACULTY OF HUMANITIES

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

MAY/JUNE, 2022

(New Course)

ENGLISH (Optional)

Paper XII

(Modern English Structure)

(Thursday, 23-6-2022)

Time : 10.00 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

Time— 2½ Hours

Maximum Marks—50

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

(ii) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

1. (A) Give short answers to the following questions in one or two sentences each : 5

1. What is a 'Compound Word' ?
2. What is a 'free morpheme' ?
3. Define the term 'Morphology'.
4. What is 'prefix' ? Give *one* example.
5. Give *two* examples of 'Acronymy'.

(B) Analyse the following words into their constituent morphemes, giving meaning to each morpheme (any *five*) : 5

1. Edited
2. Comfortable
3. Unrest

P.T.O.

4. Kindness
5. Newspaper
6. Friendly
7. Disallowed

2. (A) Give short answers to the following questions in *one* or *two* sentences each : 5

1. Which words are included in 'Closed word classes' ?
2. What is an 'Adjective' ?
3. What is 'proper noun' ?
4. What is the head of an 'adverb phrase' ?
5. What is a 'verb' ?

(B) Identify and analyse any *two* of the following phrases to the level of the words : 5

1. In the garden
2. Very interesting
3. All the beautiful girls
4. Is writing.

3. (A) Give short answers to the following questions in *one* or *two* sentences each : 5

1. How many types of 'Object' are there ?
2. What is a clause ?
3. What is a 'Compound Sentence' ?
4. What is a 'Subject' ?
5. What is a 'Subject Complement' ?

(B) Do as directed : 5

1. You are a doctor. (Add a question tag)
2. Sita sings a song. (Change the voice)
3. Gopal (go) to school daily. (Use the correct form of verb given in the bracket)
4. It is a very beautiful garden. (Make it exclamatory sentence)
5. Birds fly. Fish swim. (Make compound sentence)

4. (A) Give short answers to the following questions in *one* or *two* sentences each : 5

1. What is the function of an adverbial clause ?
2. What is a 'Verbless clause' ?
3. What is a 'Finite clause' ?
4. Give an example of a 'Non-finite clause'.
5. Which clause begins with Preposition ?

(B) Identify the subordinate clauses in any *two* of the following and state its form and function : 5

1. As you sow, so you will reap.
2. I don't know who built the university.
3. My sister who lives in Pune is your classmate.
4. It is a fact that the earth is round.

5. (A) Comment on the difference between form and meaning in any *two* of the following : 5

1. (a) Gopal plays cricket.
- (b) Gopal is playing cricket.

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- 2. (a) It may rain today.
(b) It might rain today.
 - 3. (a) Can I speak to you, Sir ?
(b) Could I speak to you, Sir ?
 - 4. (a) The man was drawing.
(b) The man drowned.
- (B) Say whether the following sentences are ambiguous. Comment on the ambiguity, if any (any *two*) :
- 1. The girl is in the car that belongs to me.
 - 2. Ram and Sita are married.
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 - 4. She can drive my car now.

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