

(b) Indicate primary stress in following words : 10

Activity, Prayer, Sure, Daughter, Society, Human,  
Bottle, Master, Silence, Island

(c) Write a short note on stress in Spoken English. 5

5. Imagine that you are participating in a group discussion on "Increasing Life Style Diseases (Depression, Diabetes etc.) in India". Write down a discussion on behalf of the participants A, B, C, D. 20

6. Write a paragraph on your visit to a youth welfare camp. 20

### SECTION – C

7. Write a press report on Prime Minister Narendra Modi's visit to America. 20

8. Write an E-mail to your friend sharing with him your views about social networking sites. 20

9. Write a letter to the manager of a Refrigerating company as a supplier of nut-bolts for the pending payments. 20

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## B. Tech. 2nd Semester (Common for all Branches) Examination – May, 2017

### COMMUNICATION SKILLS IN ENGLISH

Paper : HUM-102-F

*Time : Three Hours ] [ Maximum Marks : 100*

*Before answering the questions, candidates should ensure that they have been supplied the correct and complete question paper. No complaint in this regard, will be entertained after examination.*

*Note : Attempt five questions in all, selecting at least one question from each Section. Question No. 1 is compulsory. Each questions carries 20 marks.*

1. Give short answers : 5 × 4 = 20

(i) What is a vowel sound ?

(ii) Write down two important points to be remembered in a debate.

(iii) Use following phrases in sentence :

Break-up, Call off, Hold back, Stand by

(iv) Give the English meanings of following foreign words :

Homicide, Via, Modus Operandi, Versus

(v) Write an article (200 words) on Materialistic Attitudes of Modern Man.

### SECTION – A

2. (a) Correct errors in any *ten* of the following sentences : 10

- (i) Our team is chatting to relax themselves.
- (ii) Fish is found in plenty in Goa.
- (iii) Gymnastics involve a lot of physical work.
- (iv) None of the books here have the required information.
- (v) Bread and butter are my main worry.
- (vi) She could not help to laugh.
- (vii) He told he was coming.
- (viii) I am twenty-two years.
- (ix) We should pray God.
- (x) Neither of the movies are interesting.
- (xi) We have sent you all the informations.
- (xii) I'll see you after a hour.

(b) Make nouns of the following : 5  
Deny, Famous, Solve, Manage, Poor

(c) Explain the meaning of the following idioms by using them in sentences of your own (any *five*) : 5  
A turn coat, Spick and Span, From pillar to post, To get into hot water, To cry for the moon, Down to Earth, To fall flat.

3. (a) Give *two* synonyms each of the following words :  
5 × 4 = 20

Escape, Paralyze, Divine, Awcsome, Lament

(b) Give antonyms for the following words :  
Entrance, Noble, Import, Rich, Pure

(c) Add suffixes :  
Certain, Clase, Supreme, Survive, Eliminate

(d) Differentiate between the following pairs of words by making sentences (any *five*) :  
Hoard – Horde, Pray – Prey, Eminent – Imminent, Refuse – Refuge, Lovable – Lovely, Ghastly – Ghostly

### SECTION – B

4. (a) Give weak forms of the following words (any *five*) : 5  
am, should, must, were, do, have