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## B.TECH.

Regular Theory Examination (Odd Sem-I), 2016-17

## PROFESSIONAL COMMUNICATION

Time: 3 Hours Total Marks: 70

Note: Attempt all Sections. If require any missing data; then choose suitably.

### **SECTION-A**

- 1. Attempt all questions in brief.  $(7\times2=14)$ 
  - a) With a specific example, illustrate how clarity can be introduced in technical writing?
  - b) Define in brief pitch and syllable.
  - c) Correct the wrongly used underlined words in the following sentences.

- Her sufferings have been caused by her i) negligible attitude to her work.
- We are expected to discharge our sociable ii) responsibilities with sincerity.
- iii) If we dessert our friends, we will lose all self -esteem.
- The journey by car was **Quiet** comfortable. iv)
- Define Deductive and Inductive methods of paragraph writing.
- e) Transform the following sentences as directed
  - i). He is too fast to be caught by the police. (Remove too)
  - No other king of India was as great as Akbar. ii) (Comparative)
- f) What is a proposal? How solicited proposal is different from unsolicited proposal.
- How is literature helpful in bringing about social g) welfare?

## **SECTION-B**

#### Attempt any three of the following: 2. $(3 \times 7 = 21)$

- Technical Communication and general a) communication are poles apart as they differ in all aspects. Elucidate.
- Write any four rules of word formation and give b) four examples of each.
- How many types of reports are there? Describe all c) in detail.
- What suggestion will you give to your friend to d) improve his listening skills.
- How is question of A machine or a self, crucial to e) an enquiry into the identity of man? Pin point briefly apropos of J. Bronowski's views.

#### **SECTION - C** $(5 \times 7 = 35)$

#### 3. Attempt any One part of the following:

"A free flow of information ensures the success of an organization." Elaborate this statement in the light of the flow of communication in an' organization.

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b) Discuss any three kinds of barriers to communication and substantiate your answer with one example for each.

# 4. Attempt any one part of the following:

- a) What is a paragraph? What are the components of a good paragraph? Write in detail.
- b) i) Give antonym of the following words-
  - 1) Tentative
  - 2) Reward
  - 3) Capricious
  - 4) Exhume
  - ii) Give Synonym of the following words-
    - 1) Curtail
    - 2) Derogatory
    - 3) Lethargy
    - 4) Fortitude

- iii) Add prefix to the following words-
  - 1) Fold
  - 2) Frost
  - 3) Mature
  - 4) Clinic
- iv) Use the following in your own sentences to bring about meaning-

Prescribe

Proscribe

## 5. Attempt any one part of the following:

- a) You are working in a manufacturing company. Write a proposal to replace an outdated machine that is no more useful for production. Be imaginative and invent details. Your proposal should include all the sections of proposal as-
  - Introduction
  - Technical Section

- Management Section
- Cost Section
- Conclusion
- b) Resume is the stepping stone to enter in the professional world. Make your own resume including all the necessary details of your achievements.

## 6. Attempt any one part of the following:

- a) "Success of a presentation depends on proper audience and locale analysis and proper use of audio visual aids." Comment.
- b) It is not just the body language but other paralinguistic features also which determine the effectiveness of a professional speech or presentation. Comment on this statement and support your views with proper examples.

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## 7. Attempt any one part of the following:

- a) How does literature share with Science the capacity to formulate concepts as propounded by M.E. Prior in his essay? Elucidate.
- b) Summarize Moody .e. Prior's views on the difference and sameness of Science and humanities.

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