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# B.Tech I Year (R09) Supplementary Examinations June 2016 ENGLISH

(Common to all branches)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

Answer any FIVE full questions at least one from Part B All questions carry equal marks

## <u> PART – A</u>

- 1 (a) The construction of Himayatsagar and Osmansagar in Hyderabad & Secunderabad is the result of the planning of Visvesvaraya .What are his contributions to the twin cities?
  - (b) How did Visvesvaraya help in solving water problem in Aden and Sakkur?
- 2 (a) Give an account of Raman's research conducted in IACS.
  - (b) Write a note on the famous Raman's Effect.
- 3 An incident during his young days at Dhaka was the basis on which Amartya sen research and analysis in economics were to be formed. How did it lead to his research?
- 4 Gender discrimination hampers the progress of women. How did Gertrude overcome this in her life?
- 5 (a) How was the new millennium particularly felicitous for Viswanathan Anand?
  - (b) How is Viswanathan Anand variously described?
- 6 Chaplin was a writer/director/actor/producer/musician without peer. Discuss.

## <u> PART – B</u>

7 Rajasthan has been facing severe drought conditions for the third year in succession. In order to mitigate the sufferings of the drought affected areas, the state Government is fully geared up to start drought relief operations with the objective of generating employment, maintaining cattle conservation, providing drinking water supply, etc. As Secretary to the state minister for relief operations, you have been asked to write a report on the drought relief operations, to be sent to the council of ministers. Prepare only the outline for the this report.

#### 8 (a) Correct the following sentences:

- (i) Physics were my best subject at school.
- (ii) I am getting up at 8 o' clock every morning.

#### (b) Fill in the blanks with the most appropriate form of the verbs in brackets:

(i) The sun\_\_\_\_\_(set) by the time we \_\_\_\_\_(leave) for home.

(ii) I \_\_\_\_\_(see) the charminar earlier and \_\_\_\_\_(go) only to keep Ram happy.

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- (c) **Provide question tags:** (i) Everyone speaks English now-a days (ii) He hasn't done very well\_\_\_ (d) Use the following idioms in your own words: (i) Blood is thicker than water. (ii) Jack of all trades. (e) Fill in the blanks in the following sentences with the right form of adjective in brackets: (i) Of all the boxes in the van, the black steel one is the (heavy). \_(urgent) than all others. (ii) This task is (f) Choose the alternative that best fits the blank in each sentence: (i) He was rich by sheer\_\_\_\_\_ of birth. (incidence, accidence, coincidence) (ii) The story ended with a \_\_\_\_\_reunion of the family. (hearty, heart-burning, heart-warming) (g) Choose the right option for the underlined word: (i) I find modern painting quite appalling. a. appealing b. shocking c. satisfying d. enjoyable www.FirstRanker. (ii) The author's new book received accolades from readers. a. criticism b. praise
  - c. blame
  - d. prize