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**Third Semester B.Tech. (Reg./Sup./Imp. – Including Part Time) Degree
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PT2K6/2K6 EE/EC/AEI/CS/IT 302 : HUMANITIES

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 100

**PART – A
(Answer all questions)**

1. Point out the verbs in the following and name their moods and tenses.
 - a) It has been raining all night.
 - b) Be good, sweet maid.
2. Insert articles where necessary.
 - a) How blue sky looks
 - b) Umbrella is of no avail against thunderstorm
3. Change the degree of comparison without changing the meaning.
 - a) The pen is mightier than sword.
 - b) Bombay mango is the best in India.
4. Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions.
 - a) The river flows _____ the bridge.
 - b) Do not cry _____ split milk.
5. Change the voice :
 - a) Why should I be suspected by you ?
 - b) The doctor despaired of his recovery.

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6. Change the degree of comparison, without changing the meaning.
- 'The Times' is the most powerful newspaper in England.
 - Very few boys are so industrious as Agi.
7. Combine the following sentences to one simple sentence by using participles :
The magician took pity on the mouse. He turned it into a cat.
8. Punctuate the following :
None of Tellegrand's mots is more famous than this speech was given to man to conceal his thoughts.
9. Add question tags.
- He is very strong, _____ ?
 - This book is not good, _____ ?
10. Report in indirect speech :
"Cheer up, mother, I'll go and get work somewhere," said Jack. (10×2=20)

PART – B
(Answer any seven)

- Mention the importance of patenting in the current scenario.
- What are the different types of technical reports ?
- Distinguish between verbal communication and non-verbal communication.
- Discuss the importance of humanities to education and society.
- Explain the development of science and technology in ancient India.
- What are the different technical communication skills ?
- Explain the recent developments in Indian space research.
- Mention the factors to be considered during an interview.
- Explain the need of a scientific temper.
- Discuss the need of accuracy in technical communication. (7×5=35)



PART – C

21. Explain the flow of communication in a manufacturing organisation.

OR

22. Explain the different types of technical reports. **15**

23. "Copy rights and patents play a significant role in current scenario". Explain.

OR

24. Explain the organisation in technical communications. **15**

25. What are the contributions of Arabs to science and technology ?

OR

26. "Computers and information technology have great impact on our life today".
Explain. **15**
