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Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 100

PART – A

Answer all questions :

- I. Fill in the blanks with suitable preposition :
 - a) The burglar jumped _____ the compound wall.
 - b) There is nothing new _____ the sun.
- II. Point out the verbs in the following sentences and name their mood and tenses :
 - a) It is time we left.
 - b) Beware lest something worse happen to you.
- III. Insert articles where necessary :
 - a) Time make worst enemies friends.
 - b) My favourite flower is rose.
- IV. Change the voice :
 - a) The recitation pleased the inspector.
 - b) Do not insult the weak.
- V. Change the degree of comparison, without changing the meaning :
 - a) Lead is heavier than any other metal.
 - b) Very few countries are as rich as England.
- VI. Combine the sentences into **one** simple sentence by using participles :

He felt tired. He laid his work aside.
- VII. Punctuate the following :

The shepherd finding his flock destroyed exclaimed I have been rightly served.
Why did I trust my sheep to a wolf.



VIII. Report in indirect speech :

“Bring me a drink of milk”, said the Swami to the villagers.

IX. Add question tags :

- a) Gopal hasn't passed exam _____ ?
- b) They will go home soon _____ ?

X. Rewrite the following sentence by improving the arrangements :

I was rather impressed by the manner of the orator than by his matter. (10×2=20)

PART – B

Answer any seven :

- B1. Explain the importance of visual aids in technical communication.
- B2. What are the different types of technical report ?
- B3. What do you mean by IPR ?
- B4. Explain the view of modern thinkers is in science and technology.
- B5. Mention the importance of having a scientific temper.
- B6. Why is it important that a technical communication be brief ?
- B7. Explain the steps involved in obtaining a patent.
- B8. What are the effects of improper encoding in communication ?
- B9. Explain how copy right is important while preparing a report.
- B10. What are contribution of Arabs to science and technology ? (7×5=35)

PART – C

- C1. Explain the importance of professional ethics in engineering.
OR
- C2. Discuss the importance of studying humanities in engineering. 15
- C3. Explain the skills required for technical communication.
OR
- C4. What are the different formats for technical reports ? 15
- C5. Explain the role of information technology in the current education system.
OR
- C6. Explain the recent advances in communication field in India. 15