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(For candidates admitted during the academic year 2023-24)

B.A./ B.C.A./ B.Com /B.B.A./ B.S.W./ B.Sc./ B.V.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023
FOUNDATION COURSE - SANSKRIT
FIRST SEMESTER

COURSE : FOUNDATION – CORE
PAPER : VYAKARANA AND NITI DVISASTIKA
SUBJECT CODE : 23SN/FC/VN13
TIME : 3 HOURS

MAX MARKS : 100

Q.NO	SECTION A (10 questions x 2 marks) 10x2=20 Answer any TEN all carry equal marks	CO	KL
1	Enlist any six Avyayas/ Indeclinables with meaning	1	1
2	Identify and give the other two forms : a) पठन्ति b) गच्छसि	1	1
3	Fill up with appropriate pronouns : a)----- पतन्ति b) -----खादथ	1	1
4	Give the other forms of the following nouns : a)बालाय b) वनस्य c) कन्या	1	1
5	Define – शतकत्रयम्।	1	1
6	Name the type of the metre used by Sundarapandya to compose Nitidvisastika?	1	1
7	Who is विप्रलापी? and Who is वाग्मी ?	1	1
8	यथा मधुरभाषिणी वाणी – Bring out the comparison here?	1	1
9	What is known as खण्डकाव्यं?	1	1
10	Write a note on गाथासप्तशती	1	1
11	Give the other name of गीतगोविन्दम्	1	1
12	Who is बिल्हणः? Write a note on his lyrical work?	1	1

Q.NO	SECTION B (5 questions x 8 marks) 5x8=40 Answer any FIVE all carry equal marks	CO	KL
13	Annotate any two a) परितापयति च पुरुषं यथा कटुक भाषिणी वाणी ॥ b) शीलरहितस्य सर्वं द्विरदस्नानोपमं भवति ॥ c) स्मरणं च दुष्कृतानां त्रीणी कुमित्रस्य चिह्नानि ॥	2-3	2-3
14	Explain fully & Translate परगुणतत्त्व ग्रहणं स्वगुणनिरोधः परव्यसनमौनम्। मधुरमशठं च वाक्यं केनाप्युपदिष्टमार्याणाम् ॥	2-3	2-3

15	Fill up the blanks a) अहं आचार्यं ----- (नम्) b) वयं श्लोकं ----- (स्मर्) c) रामः वनं ----- (गच्छ) d) जनाः अत्र ----- (वस) e) शिशुः तत्र ----- (तिष्ठ) f) सीता गीतं ----- (गाय) g) त्वं अन्नं ----- (खाद्) h) ते पाठं ----- (पठ्)	2-3	2-3
16	Translate the following in Sanskrit a) This is her book. b) I speak truth. c) She is a student. d) You both remember Sanskrit. e) Father cooks food. f) We all go home. g) This is a tree. h) What is your name?	2-3	2-3
17	Give an account on the origin of Khandakavyas.	2-3	2-3
18	Write the numerals (संख्या वचनानि) in Sanskrit from 1 to 20	2-3	2-3
19	Frame Sanskrit sentences using any eight Avyayas as prescribed in the text.	2-3	2-3
20	Describe the contribution of Mahakavi Kalidasa to Khandakavyas.	2-3	2-3
21	Write short notes on : a) सूर्यशतकम्। b) श्रीकृष्णकर्णामृतम्।	2-3	2-3
22	Write a paragraph on : a) नारायणभट्टः। b) भर्तृहरिः।	2-3	2-3

Q.NO	SECTION C (4 questions x 10 marks) 4x10=40 Answer any FOUR all carry equal marks	CO	KL
23	Decline fully (any two) a) बाल b) माला c) फलम्	4-5	4-5
24	Conjugate the verbs in Present Tense (any three) a) भव् b) जी (जय) c) गम् (गच्छ) d) सर् e) हस्	4-5	4-5
25	Highlight the significance of नीतिद्विषष्टिका citing any five verses of your choice	4-5	4-5
26	Analyze the importance of Devotional lyrics in Sanskrit literature.	4-5	4-5
27	Give an account on the works of a) Jayadeva b) Vedantadesika c) Amaruka	4-5	4-5
28	Write an essay on Gnostic poems in Sanskrit literature.	4-5	4-5