

**I B. Tech I Semester Regular Examinations, January, 2015**  
**English**

**(BME, EEE, ECE, CSE, IT)**

**Time: 3 hours**

**Max Marks: 70**

**PART – A**

**Answer ALL questions**

**All questions carry equal marks**

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**2 \* 10 = 20 Marks**

- 1). a What was the turning point in C.V.Raman's life? [2]
- b How did the "call within the call" influence Mother Teresa? [2]
- c Write one word substitutes for the following descriptions: [2]  
 (i) Rule by officials (ii) First written copy of a book
- d Write the meaning of the following phrasal verbs and construct a sentence each in your own words: [2]  
 i) to fall out ii) to call off
- e According to Sam Pitroda, what are the basic needs required for the process of modernization of a country? [2]
- f Write briefly the contents of the black trunks of Miss Krishna. [2]
- g Sketch the character of the priest in "Bubbling Well Road". [2]
- h What did Amartya learn from the death of Khader Mia in Dhaka? [2]
- i How did the district authorities resolve water problem at Cuddalore after Tsunami? [2]
- j What does Luther King say about liberty and equality to the civil rights activists? [2]

**PART – B**

**Answer any FIVE questions**

**All questions carry equal marks**

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**10 \* 5 = 50 Marks**

2. a. "The dark blue of the deep sea has nothing to do with the colour of water but is simply the blue of the sky seen in reflection." Explain the statement through Raman's scientific achievements. 5M [10]  
 b. Give an account of the Missionaries of Charity established by Mother Teresa.
3. a. Discuss the salient features of public speaking. 5M [10]  
 b. Write a short note on non-verbal communication. 5M

4. a. Elucidate Sam Pitroda's concept of IT. 5M [10]  
 b. Is the title, "Connoisseur" relevant to the story? Discuss. 5M
5. How does the writer unravel the mystery of the "Bubbling Well Road"? [10]
6. a. Give an account of the health services rendered by the district administration of Cuddalore after Tsunami. 5M [10]  
 b. Give a brief account of Martin Luther King's dream. 5M
7. A. Present the following information in a flow chart: 5M [10]  
 Rice is procured by the Government and is supplied to the consumers through fair-price shops. Normally, farmers sell it to the rice millers from whom the Government Department of Civil Supplies buys it at a price fixed by the Government. There are zonal branches of the Department of Civil Supplies. These branches supply the rice so procured to the local fair-price shops within their areas of operation. Consumers buy the rice from these fair-price shops. In addition, rice is also available in the open market. That is, only a portion of the rice produced in the State is sold at a controlled price. The rest of it is sold at different prices according to its quality. We can say, therefore, that rice which is the staple food in our State is distributed through two channels: the public distribution system and the open market system.
- B. Fill in the blanks with appropriate verb forms: 2M  
 i) I thanked her for what she \_\_\_\_\_ (do).  
 ii) He \_\_\_\_\_ (finish) this work by six o'clock.  
 iii) They \_\_\_\_\_ (arrive) this morning.  
 iv) He \_\_\_\_\_ (buy) Royal Enfield a fortnight ago.
- C. Fill in the blanks with appropriate prepositions: 2M  
 i) You must comply \_\_\_\_\_ the regulations.  
 ii) We have been playing cricket \_\_\_\_\_ yesterday.  
 iii) The maid-servant was accused \_\_\_\_\_ theft.  
 iv) The climate of Darjeeling does not agree \_\_\_\_\_ him.
- D. Fill in the blanks with appropriate articles: 1M  
 i) Hari Prasad plays \_\_\_\_\_ flute beautifully.  
 ii) \_\_\_\_\_ boy on your left is dull.
8. a. Write a paragraph on "Where there is will, there is a way". 5M [10]  
 b. Fill in the blanks with the correct words. 2M  
 i) It would be better to \_\_\_\_\_ (adapt/adopt) American methods of examination in our universities.  
 ii) He is the \_\_\_\_\_ (oldest/eldest) of the three sons.
- c. Write meanings for the following idiomatic expressions and use them in sentences of your own. i) Square the Circle ii) Through thick and thin 2M
- d. Fill in the blank with an appropriate question tag: 1M  
 i) You take tea, \_\_\_\_\_?

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