

## B.Tech 1st Semester Exam., 2017

## COMMUNICATIVE ENGLISH

Time : 3 hours

Full Marks : 70

## Instructions :

- (i) The marks are indicated in the right-hand margin.
- (ii) There are **NINE** questions in this paper.
- (iii) Attempt **FIVE** questions in all.
- (iv) Question No. 1 is compulsory.

1. Write the meaning of any seven of the following homophones and frame them in sentences : 2×7=14

- (a) Altar—Alter
- (b) Ascent—Assent
- (c) Serial—Cereal
- (d) Canvas—Canvass
- (e) Fair—Fare
- (f) Wring—Ring
- (g) Week—Weak
- (h) Night—Knight
- (i) Loose—Lose
- (j) Lessen—Lesson

Answer any four of the following :

14×4=56

2. Explain whether Communication is an Art or a Science.
3. What is the objective of interview? List out the various types of interview relevant to an organization.
4. What are the steps involved in planning for an interview?
5. Do you agree that feedback is a two-way process? Explain with the help of a model.
6. How is the Group Discussion different from Debate? Discuss the types of Group Discussion in detail.
7. Mention the characteristics of effective feedback. How is positive feedback different from negative feedback?
8. What is the difference between effective and ineffective feedback?
9. Write a letter of application to study in a foreign university requesting them to send you relevant information for Graduate students. Assume the details.

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