

(Following Paper ID and Roll No. to be filled in your Answer Book)

PAPER ID : 1229

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**B.Tech.**

(SEM. III) ODD SEMESTER THEORY  
EXAMINATION 2013-14  
**TECHNICAL WRITING**

*Time : 3 Hours*

*Total Marks : 80*

**Note :- Attempt all questions.**

**SECTION-A**

1. Attempt all questions. (2×8=16)
- (a) What is the scope of evaluation in the process of listening?
  - (b) Discuss Grapevine communication briefly.
  - (c) What is the scope of unity in paragraph development?
  - (d) Define Topicalising.
  - (e) Difference between general articles and Conference papers.
  - (f) What is the significance of Chronemics in presentation?
  - (g) Give technical description of any engineering objects.
  - (h) What is Slogan Writing?

### SECTION-B

2. Answer any **three** parts in 200-300 words each : **(8×3=24)**
- (a) What are different types of barriers to effective communication ?
  - (b) Discuss various methods of paragraph development.
  - (c) Prepare a report on technical fest organized in your Institute. Invent necessary details by yourself.
  - (d) Discuss the elements of technical articles.
  - (e) Prepare a handsome resume for the post of software engineer in MNC. Add the necessary details by yourself.

### SECTION-C

**Note :-** Answer the following questions in 300-400 words each :  
**(8×5=40)**

3. (A) Distinguish between upward and downward communication alongwith its merits and demerits.

**OR**

(B) Discuss the role of subject competence in technical writing.

4. (A) Difference between general and technical writing.

**OR**

(B) Write a paragraph on any one of the following topics by using inductive or deductive method of paragraph development.

- (i) Technology in India
- (ii) Brain Drain
- (iii) Value based education system.

5. (A) Write short notes on :
- (i) Dissertation and thesis writing
  - (ii) Project reports.

**OR**

(B) Elaborate the writing strategies of an effective technical report.

6. (A) Write short notes on the following :
- (i) Difference between technical article and research paper.
  - (ii) Importance of note-making.

**OR**

(B) Discuss proposals in detail by giving their meaning, structure and significance.

7. (A) Role of kinesics and paralinguistic in making an effective presentation. Discuss.

**OR**

- (B) Write short notes on any two of the following :
- (i) Video conferencing
  - (ii) Speech advertising
  - (iii) Preparation of agenda.