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M.A. (English)

IV - Semester Examination, May - 2015

Paper E-117 : Indian Literature in English

Time : 3 hours

Total Marks : 70

1043

## Part A (Short Answer)

1. Write short notes on any TWO of the following:

5 x 2 = 10

- a) Kamala Das
- b) Historical Noyel
- c) Aziz
- d) Rangi

## Part B (Essays)

Note: Answer all the following questions:

15 x 4 = 60

2. a) Elucidate with illustrations how Kanthapura explores the Freedom Movement which had its impact even in the remotest villages across India.  
or  
b) Examine the greatness of Raja Rao giving examples from Kanthapura.
3. a) Comment on the style of Narayan with special reference to The Man- Eater of Malgudi.  
or  
b) Compare and contrast the characters of Nataraj and Vasu.
4. a) "There is a conflict between Tughlaq the clever and ruthless administrator and Tughlaq the sensitive philosopher-poet." Discuss with reference to the play.  
or  
b) Write a note on the narrative technique of The River of Fire.
5. a) "Ramanujan's vision of life is ironic". Justify this view with reference to the poems you have studied.  
or  
b) Evaluate Ezikiel's portrayal of themes and concerns in the poems prescribed for your study.

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