

MAULANA AZAD NATIONAL URDU UNIVERSITY

Master of Arts (English)

IV SEMESTER EXAMINATION June 2021

Paper : (MAEN402DST) Advanced Phonetics

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks 70 marks

Note : This question paper consists of two parts : Part – A and Part-B. Number of words to answers each question is only indicative. Attempt all parts.

Part-A contains 10 questions of which students are supposed to answer 08 questions. Answer each question in approximately 100 words. Each question carries 05 marks. (8x5=40 marks)

Part-B contains 05 questions of which students are supposed to answer 03 questions. Answer each question in approximately 250 words. Each question carries 10 marks. (10x3=30 marks)

Part-A (Short Answer)

1. Describe '*Respiratory System*' with suitable examples.
2. Briefly comment on '*Articulatory Phonetics*'.
3. Write a short note on '*International Phonetic Alphabet (IPA)*'.
4. Discuss the *consonant sounds* of English with appropriate examples.
5. Explain the nature of *word stress* in the English language.
6. Write a brief note on *English rhythm*.
7. Explain *word –accental patterns* in English with examples.
8. Explain the role of '*Intonation*' in day to day spoken communication.
9. Write a short note on '*Mother Tongue Influence ((MTI)*' with relevant examples.
10. Discuss the pronunciation problems of Indian English speakers.

Part-B (Essays)

11. Write an essay on '*speech mechanism*' in English.
12. Write a detailed note on the sounds of Standard British English.
13. Explain the different tones of intonation with examples.
14. Write an essay on pronunciation problems of Indian Urdu speakers of English.
15. Do you think teaching and learning English Phonetics is essential for Indian students? Enlist your reasons.