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B. Tech (First Semester - Regular) Examinations, December – 2025

25FYAE11001 – English for Technical Writing

(Common to All Branches)

Time: 3 hrs Maximum: 60 Marks

Answer ALL questions
(The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks)

PART – A **(2 x 5 = 10 Marks)**

Q.1. Answer *ALL* questions

		CO #	Blooms Level
a.	Blend the following words. i. Motor + Hotel ii. Television + Broadcast	CO2	K3
b.	Discuss the term Extensive Reading and illustrate with a suitable example.	CO3	K2
c.	Define salutation in formal writing and provide appropriate examples.	CO4	K1
d.	Identify any two common sources of conflict in professional settings.	CO5	K2
e.	State the Trio of Indian English Literature.	CO1	K1

PART – B **(10 x 5 = 50 Marks)**

Answer *ALL* the questions

		Marks	CO #	Blooms Level
2. a.	Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verb given in brackets. i. Each of the dancers ___ (performs / perform) with grace. ii. Neither of the answers ___ (is / are) correct. iii. The list of participants ___ (is / are) on the notice board. iv. The jury ___ (was / were) divided in their opinion. v. Ten thousand rupees ___ (is / are) a huge amount to donate.	5	CO2	K3
b.	Give suitable **Synonyms** for the following words: i. Eloquent ii. Diligent iii. Inevitable iv. Grateful v. Courageous	5	CO2	K2
	(OR)			
c.	Add a suitable **prefix** to form a meaningful word based on the meaning in brackets: i. The minister condemned all forms of _____ (against democratic values) activities in the country. ii. The experiment was rejected because the results were _____ (not scientifically valid). iii. The theory was _____ (against logic) and rejected. iv. The files were _____ (not visible) in the folder. v. Her argument was _____ (not relevant) to the topic.	5	CO2	K3

d.	Elaborate the following **figures of speech** with suitable examples: i. Metaphor ii. Paradox iii. Hyperbole iv. Understatement v. Irony	5	CO2	K1
3.a.	Discuss the values mentioned in the poem *If* to real-life situations. How can these values help young people face challenges in modern society?	5	CO3	K2
b.	Explain how Tagore portrays the emotional bond between Mini and the Kabuliwala. What makes their relationship unique?	5	CO3	K2
	(OR)			
c.	Describe George Bernard Shaw's views on standardized English. How does he differentiate between spoken English and broken English?	5	CO3	K2
d.	Lucubrate the techniques of effective writing to academic or workplace communication.	5	CO4	K2
4.a.	Describe the essential elements of a Resume and explain its demerits with suitable reasons.	5	CO4	K2
b.	Analyze the techniques of rapid reading and discuss how they improve comprehension.	5	CO3	K4
	(OR)			
c.	You are Rahul Verma, a recent B.Tech Computer Science graduate and have seen an advertisement for the post of Junior Software Developer at TechWave Solutions, Bengaluru. Draft a cover letter seeking the position.	5	CO6	K3
d.	Analyze the do's and don'ts of email writing.	5	CO4	K4
5.a.	List the structure of a Minutes of Meeting format and illustrate each component briefly.	5	CO6	K2
b.	Examine the need for adaptability and problem-solving skills in a competitive job market.	5	CO5	K2
	(OR)			
c.	Explain the difference between soft skills and hard skills.	5	CO5	K2
d.	Illustrate the Thomas–Kilmann Conflict Resolution Model with a suitable diagram and describe its modes in detail.	5	CO5	K2
6.a.	Lucubrate the types of conflicts and describe each type briefly.	5	CO5	K1
b.	Explain the key features of Lord Macaulay's Minute on Indian Education and discuss its effects on India.	5	CO1	K2
	(OR)			
c.	Discuss the historical development of the English language in India and highlight key phases of its evolution.	5	CO1	K2
d.	Describe how proficiency in English contributes to employability and career advancement in global organizations.	5	CO1	K2

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