

**INDIAN MARITIME UNIVERSITY**  
**(A Central University, Government of India)**

**B.Tech. (Marine Engineering)**  
**Semester – I – December 2015 End Semester Examinations**

**Communicative English & Sociology**  
**Subject Code: UG11T2101/UG11T1101**

Time: 3 Hours  
Date: 09.12.2015

Max Marks: 100  
Pass Marks: 50

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**PART A Compulsory question**

- 1 Rewrite each of the following as directed (1x8=8 Marks)
- You have an hour ----- lunch (Write the correct preposition)
  - This is a comfortable place ---- stay. ( Write the correct preposition)
  - We will have to examine you. ( Change into passive voice )
  - A reward was given to him by the Governor. (Change into active voice)
  - “What do you want?” she asked him (Change into indirect speech)
  - He said that he had won. (Change into direct speech)
  - No other democracy in the world is as large as India(Change into superlative degree)
  - ship/violently/the storm/rocked/the (Re arrange the words to make a meaningful Sentence)
- 2 Make sentences of your own to bring out the meaning (1x2=2 Marks)
- All of a sudden
  - At large
- 3 Explain, Importance of Communication. (5 Marks)
- 4 Answer of the following (5x3=15 marks)
- What are the basis of Social stratifications?
  - Enumerate functions of 3- tier Panchayat Raj Institutions.
  - What are the social security benefits to employees under The ESI Act?

**PART-B**

- 5 Write a short essay in about 100 words on any ONE topic ( 10 Marks)
- Environment and Human society
  - Increasing Consumerism
  - Information technology transforms society

**6** Answer **any TWO** of the following (10x2=20 Marks)

- a) You had placed an order for the supply of sports goods to a dealer. As the dealer did not supply the goods before the due date you were forced to arrange for the goods from some other dealer. Write a letter to the first dealer for cancellation of the order placed by you and returning the advance money paid by you.
- b) Your Institute is organising a ship visit. Write a notice giving detailed information to the students and inviting them for joining it
- c) A career-counselling camp was organized for the students in your institute. Write a report to be published in a Magazine .

**7** Answer any **TWO** of the following (5x2=10 marks)

- a) Barriers of Communication
- b) Communication Process
- c) Different types of Communication

**6** Answer any **FIVE** of the following (2x5= 10 marks)

- a) What is the relevance of Sociology in day to day life?
- b) Distinguish between Ethics and Moral values ?
- c) What are the basic features of Capitalism ?
- d) What is Totalitarianism?
- e) How social justice is ensured in The Constitution of India?
- f) What are the objectives for enactment of various labour laws?
- g) What is the procedure for fixation/revision of minimum wages as per Section 5 of The Minimum Wages act 1948 ?

**8** Answer any **TWO** of the following (10x2=20 marks)

- a) Explain various social problems prevailing in Indian society
- b) Describe 'Social Contract theory' propounded by Hobbes and Locke
- c) What are the determining factors of Industrial relations?

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