



**2021/TDC/CBCS/ODD/
ARBHCC-502T/205**

**TDC (CBCS) Odd Semester Exam., 2021
held in March, 2022**

**ARABIC
(5th Semester)**

Course No. : ARBHCC-502T

(History of Arabic Literature—II)

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 28

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

SECTION—A

Answer any *ten* of the following questions : $2 \times 10 = 20$

1. What is مقامة? Who first introduced Maqama literature?
2. Who was الجاحظ? Write the name of a book written by him.



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3. عبدالله ابن مقفع belonged to which tribe?
When was he born?
4. Describe two characteristics of Abbasid poetry.
5. What is the full name of أبونواس and where was he born?
6. Define Hadith.
7. What are the original name of Masudi and Yaqut al-Hamawi?
8. What is Tafsir? Mention two famous Tafsir books in Arabic.
9. What is the meaning of بديع الزمان? Who was entitled with this name?
10. What is the full name of المتنبي? Why he is called المتنبي?

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11. Mention two philosophers of the Abbasid period.
12. What is Jurisprudence? Mention two experts in Jurisprudence?
13. Mention two books of Medicine written in the Abbasid period.
14. Who was Abul Ala al-Ma'arri? Give the name of book written by him.
15. Give some writings of al-Jahiz.

SECTION—B

Answer any *five* of the following questions : 10×5=50

16. Write in detail about the life and works of al-Jahiz.
17. Write the development of Maqama literature in Arabic keeping in mind the contribution of Hamadani.

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18. Write a note on *either* of the following :

المتنبى (a)

ابو تمام (b)

19. Write an essay on the development of Hadith literature.

20. Why ibn al-Muqaffa is considered as one of the all time greats in the history of Arabic literature? Discuss in detail.

21. Write short notes on any two of the following :

(a) Al-Tabari

(b) Al-Baladhuri

(c) Masudi

22. "Abbasid period is the Golden age in the history of Islam." Discuss.

23. Write a note on the development of historiography during the Abbasid period.

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4. Write an essay on the life and works of Imam Abu Hanifa.

5. Write an essay on the life and poetry of Abu Tammam.

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