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

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(1st Semester)

Course No.: SANHCC-102T

(Critical Survey of Sanskrit Literature)

Full Marks: 70
Pass Marks: 28

Time: 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks

SECTION—A

Answer any ten questions:

2×10=20

- 1. Give the derivation and meaning of the word 'वेद'.
- 2. What are the two divisions of the Yajurveda?
- 3. What is वेदाङ्ग?
- 4. How many Kāṇḍas are there in the Rāmāyaṇa? Name any one of them.

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SECTION—B

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- 5. Name two Sanskrit dramas based upon the epic, Rāmāyaṇa.
- 6. How many Ślokas are there in the Rāmāyaṇa? Mention the first Śloka of the Rāmāyaṇa.
- 7. How many verses are there in the Mahābhārata in earlier stage? What is the other name of the Mahābhārata?
- 8. How many Parvans are there in the Mahābhārata? Name any one of them.
- 9. Name two dramas based on the Mahābhārata.
- 10. How many Upapurāṇas are there? Name any one of them.
- 11. Name the सात्त्विक पुराणs.
- 12. What are the three classifications of Purānas?
- 13. What is स्मृति literature?
- 14. Mention any two Smṛti Śāstras.
- 15. How many Chapters are there in the *Manusmṛti?* Name any one of them.

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Answer any five questions:

 $10 \times 5 = 50$

- **16.** Give an account of the society reflected in the *Rgveda*.
- 17. Show your acquaintances with the contents of the Atharvaveda.
- 18. Estimate the influence of the Rāmāyaṇa on Indian society.
- 19. Discuss why the Rāmāyaṇa is called an Ādikāvya.
- 20 "The Mahābhārata is the storehouse of Indian wisdom." Justify.
- 21. Estimate the influence of the *Mahābhārata* on Indian culture.
- 22. Discuss the characteristic features of Purāṇa.
- Discuss the importance of the Purāṇa literature with regard to Indian history and religion of India.

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- 24. Give a brief discussion on Smrti literature.
- 25. Write short notes on Manusmṛti and Yājñavalkyasmṛti.

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