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

SANSKRIT

(3rd Semester)

Course No.: SANHCC-301T

[Classical Sanskrit Literature (Prose)]

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 questions:

2×10=20

- 1. Who is the author of Kādambarī? How many Parts are there in it?
- 2. What is the meaning of the word 'कादम्बरी'? Name the hero of the prose-romance 'कादम्बरी'.
- 3. Name any two compositions of Bāṇa other than Kādambarī.

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- 4. Who composed Daśakumāracaritam? How many fragments are there in it?
- 5. Mention any two Kumāras of Daśakumāracaritam.
- 6. ''मे चरितार्था श्रोत्रवृत्तिः''
 Who said this and to whom?
- 7. Who is Rājavāhana? Name a friend of Rājavāhana.
- 8. Who is Avantisundari? Name the father of Avantisundari.

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- 9. Name two sons of Prahāravarmā.
- 10. What are the two varieties of Gadyakāvya?
- 11. Who is the author of Harşacaritam? Name another work of the author.
- 12. Who is the author of Pañcatantram? What type of work is Pañcatantram?
- 13. Who is Ambikādatta Vyāsa? How many Sanskrit works are composed by him?

14. Name two prose-romances composed by Bāṇabhaṭṭa.

15. Who is Subandhu?

SECTION—B

Answer any five questions: 10×5=50

16. Summarise the advice of Sukanāsa to Candrāpīḍa. 10

Discuss the merits and demerits of Bāṇa's style with special reference to his Kādambarī.

18. Who is Suratamañjari? How does she narrate her own story?

19. Discuss the prose style of Dandin.

20. (a) Explain with reference to the context:

''क: स महापुरुषो येनैतन्मानुषमात्रदुष्करं

महत्कर्मानुष्ठितम्।''

(b) Translate into English:

तस्मिन्नेव क्षणान्तरे हतो हतश्चण्डवर्मा सिंहवर्मदुहितुरम्बालिकायाः पाणिस्पर्शरागप्रसारिते बाहुदण्ड एव
बलवदवलम्ब्य सरभसमाकृष्य केनापि दुष्करकर्मणा तस्करेण
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21.	''कथं समस्त एव मित्रगणः समागतः? को नाम अयमभ्युदयः?''	
	Who is the speaker here? Why did he speak	
	thus? Clear the context fully. $1+2+7$	=10
22.	Write a critical note on the origin and	
	development of prose-romance in Sanskrit.	10
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23.	Discuss in detail the importance of prose-	
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24.	Discuss in detail the life and works of	
	Bāṇabhaṭṭa.	10
25.	Write short notes on Daśakumāracaritam and	
	Harşacaritam.	10

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