

**GANPAT UNIVERSITY**

B. TECH SEM-IV REGULAR EXAMINATION (IT/CE/EC/ME/MC/BM&amp;I/Civil/EE) – MAY-JUNE-2014

**20S401: Phonetics & Writing Skill**

MAXM TIME: 3 HRS

MAXM MARKS: 70

- Instructions:** (1) This Question paper has two sections. Attempt both in separate answer books.  
 (2) Figures on right indicate marks.  
 (3) Be precise and to the point in answering the descriptive questions.

**SECTION: I**

Q.1 Write a detailed note on the different structures of syllable in English Language. (12)

OR

Q.1 Explain the following with examples. (12)

- (1) Phoneme
- (2) Diphthongs in English
- (3) Bilabial consonant sounds
- (4) Diagraph in English

Q.2 Write short notes on the following. (Any Three) (12)

- (1) Importance of word stress in English
- (2) How to count the syllables in English word?
- (3) Syllable structures in English
- (4) Production of nasal consonant
- (5) Types of syllable

Q.3 A. Rewrite the following sentences in orthography (normal spellings). (05)

- (1) | ə 'pɜ:sɪŋ z nəʊn baɪ ðə 'kʌmpəni hi ki:ps |
- (2) | ə 'prɒbləm ʃeəd z ə 'prɒbləm hæ:vd |
- (3) | 'æbsəns 'meɪks ðə hæ:t grəʊ 'fɒndə |
- (4) | ən aɪ fər ən aɪ | ə tu:θ fər ə tu:θ |
- (5) | 'betə tə laɪt ə 'kændl̩ ðən tə kɜ:s ðə 'dɑ:knəs |

B. Divide the following words into syllables. (Any Six) (03)

difficulty	supermarket	happen	telephone
special	book	carrots	carrying

C. Mark the word stress in the following words. (Any Six) (03)

ability	democracy	academic	occasion
memorial	present (n)	clever (adj.)	export (v)

SECTION: II

- Q.4 (1) Discuss the inherent qualities of an effectively drafted 'Technical Proposal'. (12)  
(2) Prepare detailed note on the types of technical proposals.
- OR
- Q.4 Draft a sample e-mail with all structural elements as a Production Manager to the General Manager requesting him to approve the purchase of watercolor for the production department. (12)
- Q.5 Prepare brief notes on the following (Any Two). (12)
- (1) "Research increases the sum of knowledge in society". - Comment
  - (2) Structure of a technical proposal
  - (3) Research Proposal
- Q.6 What is a complimentary memo? Draft a complimentary memo congratulating the project team for accomplishing the task timely. (11)

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