



B.A. II Semester (NEP) Degree Examination, September/October - 2022

OPTIONAL ENGLISH

DSC4 : Post Independent Indian Writing in English

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 60

SECTION - A

1. Answer the following questions in a word, a phrase or a sentence each. **10x1=10**
- (a) What is the pen name of Kamala Das ?
 - (b) Who wrote the novel So Many Hungers ?
 - (c) Who wrote the play 'Inquilab' ?
 - (d) Who wrote the poem entitled 'Very Indian Poems in Indian English' ?
 - (e) What is the central symbol of the poem A Hot Noon in Malabar ?
 - (f) I don't know what they mean _____ flows in my veins.
 - (g) Where does Balaram work after he is pulled from School ?
 - (h) What is the conflict in the White Tiger ?
 - (i) In which year Goa was written by Asif Currimbhoy ?
 - (j) Who is Rose ?

SECTION - B

Answer **any four** of the following questions, each question carries **five** marks.

4x5=20

- 2. Write a short note on poetry post Indian Independence.
- 3. Write a note on Asif Currimbhoy as a dramatist.
- 4. Comment on the title Don't call me Indo-Anglian
- 5. Sketch the character of Balaram.
- 6. Sketch the character of Miranda in the play Goa.
- 7. Discuss Anita Desai as a novelist.



SECTION - C

Answer **any three** of the following questions, each question carries **ten** marks.

3x10=30

8. Write an essay on novel of Post Indian Independence.
9. (a) Arundathi Roy
(b) Arun Kolatkar
10. Critically Comment on the poem A Hot Noon in Malabar.
11. Discuss White Tiger as a Socio-political novel.
12. Discuss racism and a colour paradigm in Goa.

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