

**M.A. I Semester Degree Examination, April/May - 2024****ENGLISH****Indian Literature in English****(NEP)**

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 70

I. Answer the following question :**1.** What are the main arguments in Meenaxi Mukherjee's essay prescribed ? **14****II.** Answer **any four** of the following questions.**2.** Critically evaluate the autobiographical reflections in Kamala Das poem "An Introduction". **14****3.** Write an essay on how Mulk Raj Anand's *Untouchable* is a strong representation of the caste inequalities in the hierarchic Indian social order. **14****4.** Write a critical essay on *In An Antique Land*. **14****5.** The theme of commodification of human beings in *Harvest*. **14****6.** (a) Wandering memories in A.K. Ramanujan's "Small-scale Reflections on a Great House". **14****OR**(b) Discuss the cultural identities of the unnamed slave in *In An Antique Land*.**7.** (a) Explore the elusive history and the enigmatic identities of individuals in *In An Antique Land*. **14****OR**(b) How does the play *Dance Like a Man* portray the generational anxieties and unsettled identities ?**8.** (a) Buttoo **5**(b) Poverty and human relationships in "Hunger". **5**(c) Abraham Bin Yezu **4****OR**

(d) Jairaj

