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**IV Semester B.A. Degree (CCSS-Regular/Supple./Improv.)**  
**Examination, May 2014**  
**Complementary Course in Sanskrit**  
**4C04 SKT : LINGUISTICS**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Weightage : 30

**Instructions :** Answers may be written either in **Sanskrit** or in **English**. In writing **Sanskrit, Devanagari** script should be used.

1) Choose correct answer :

- a) The study of significant speech sound is called  
[semantics, philology, phonology, psychology]
- b) Vowel gradation is otherwise called  
[Ablaut, Phoneme, Suffix, Prefix]
- c) Which of the following law refers to the sound changes in Germanic languages ?  
[Verners law, Grasmanns law, Grimns law, Fortunatous law]
- d) Who is the exponent of law of De-aspiration ?  
[Grimm, Verner, Burrow, Grassmann]

(Weightage 1×1=1)

II. Write philological notes on **any seven** choosing **not** more than **four** from **each** group.

**A**

- 1) Suvarna
- 2) Chinna
- 3) Nūpura
- 4) Ojas
- 5) Kas'yapa
- 6) Puruṣa

**B**

- 1) Taila
- 2) Asura
- 3) Passed away
- 4) Fortnight
- 5) Young
- 6) Brother

(Weightage 1 for each 7×1=7)

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III. Write short notes on **any five** of the following :

- 1) Logical Analogy
- 2) Satam group
- 3) Prakrit languages
- 4) Ablant
- 5) Phonetic laws
- 6) Metathesis
- 7) Secretion theory
- 8) Dissimilation.

(Weightage 2 for each  $5 \times 2 = 10$ )

IV. Write essays on **any three** :

- 1) Write an essay on word building suffixes in Sanskrit.
- 2) Write an essay on the geneological classification of languages.
- 3) Write an essay on semantic changes and its classification.
- 4) Explain the theories on the origin of suffixes.
- 5) Write an essay on different types of analogy.

(Weightage 4 for each  $3 \times 4 = 12$ )

(Weightage 1 for each  $5 \times 1 = 5$ )

Write phonological notes on any seven of the following (not more than four from each group)

- | A          | B             |
|------------|---------------|
| 1) Svarita | 1) Tala       |
| 2) Chitra  | 2) Aat        |
| 3) Anubha  | 3) Prasaadaya |
| 4) Chha    | 4) Fohighi    |
| 5) Anvaya  | 5) Yaj        |
| 6) Praya   | 6) Chha       |

(Weightage 1 for each  $5 \times 1 = 5$ )

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