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**End Semester Examination – April / May – 2017**

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| **Code :** | **15EN3014** | **Duration :** | **3hrs** |
| **Sub. Name :** | **RESEARCH METHODOLOGY** | **Max. marks :** | **100** |

**ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS (5 x 20 = 100 Marks)**

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| **Q. No.** | **Sub Div.** | **Questions** | **Course**  **Outcome** | Marks |
| 1. | a. | What are the kinds of discourse used in Thesis writing? | CO1 | 10 |
| b. | Explain the fundamentals of research with definition. | CO2 | 10 |
| (OR) | | | | |
| 2. |  | What is meant by literary research? Explain the types and methods of it. | CO2 | 20 |
| 3. | a. | Write an essay on the research design in thesis writing. | CO3 | 10 |
|  | b. | Enumerate the process of identifying a research problem. | CO2 | 10 |
| (OR) | | | | |
| 4. | a. | Explain the two methods of identifying research problem. | CO2 | 14 |
|  | b. | What is hypothesis? Explain it with example. | CO1 | 6 |
| 5. | a. | Explain the different types of hypotheses with examples. | CO3 | 15 |
|  | b. | Give a brief note on planning the thesis writing. | CO1 | 5 |
| (OR) | | | | |
| 6. | a. | Write an essay on the format of thesis writing. | CO3 | 12 |
|  | b. | Explain the concept of plagiarism and how to check it in thesis writing. | CO1 | 8 |
| 7. |  | Write an essay on the mechanics of writing. | CO3 | 20 |
| (OR) | | | | |
| 8. | a. | Discuss the different methods of data collection. | CO2 | 15 |
|  | b. | How do you authenticate the collected data? | CO3 | 5 |
|  | | **Compulsory:** |  |  |
| 9. | a. | How to do the review of literature in thesis writing? Explain with example. | CO2 | 12 |
|  | b. | Explain bibliography writing for various materials collected for thesis writing with example. | CO3 | 8 |