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FIFTH SEMESTER BA DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2022
(Regular/Improvement/Supplementary)
FUNCTIONAL ENGLISH
GFEN5B10T: CONTEMPORARY LITERARY THEORY

Time: 2 ½ Hours   Maximum Marks: 80

SECTION A: Answer the following questions. Each carries 2 marks.
(Ceiling 25 Marks)

1. Who is credited with the coinage of the term New Criticism?
2. Name any two concepts associated with Russian formalism.
3. What is a metaphor?
4. Define binary opposition.
5. Who was Michael Foucault?
6. What is Aporia?
7. Name the critic and her text in which the concept of Gynocriticism was introduced.
8. Which wave of feminism addressed the street and workplace harassments towards women?
9. Mention the work in which New Historicism was introduced.
10. What is meant by "Historicity of text"?
11. Name the concepts introduced by Louis Montrose.
12. What is intertextuality in terms of New Historicism?
13. What will happen to the unwanted desires after repression?
14. Mention any two tenets of Deep Ecology.
15. Who are believed to be heterosexual? Who is a "straight person"?

SECTION B: Answer the following questions. Each carries 5 marks.
(Ceiling 35 Marks)

16. Self- referential and independent text in New Criticism.
17. Moscow Linguistic Circle.
18. What is deconstruction?
19. Write a paragraph on readerly and writerly text.
20. Hegemony and Ideology establish a close relationship. Elucidate.
21. What is interpellation?
22. Is the western concept of environmentalism suitable for third world countries?
23. Who is believed to have "ambiguous" genitalia?

SECTION C: Answer any 2 questions. Each carries 10 marks.

24. What are the five codes of Roland Barthes?
25. Attempt an essay on Woman as Reader and Woman as a writer.
26. Marxism is the study of the society that analyses the art, culture, class and power in relation to production and economy of the same society. Explain.
27. As a humanist; Freud attempted various ways to access the unconscious to strengthen the conscious. Elucidate.

(2 x 10 = 20 Marks)