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B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION – **VISUAL COMMUNICATION**

FIFTH SEMESTER - NOVEMBER 2016

VC 5516 - COMMUNICATION THEORIES

Date: 01-11-2016	Dept. No.	Max. : 100 Marks
Time: 09:00-12:00		1

PART - A

Answer **ALL** the questions in about 50 words.

 $(10 \times 2 = 20 \text{ marks})$

- 1. Hegemony
- 2. Dominant Paradigm
- 3. Mass Culture
- 4. Modernism
- 5. Structuralism
- 6. Communication as a science
- 7. Types of audience
- 8. Define ideology
- 9. Mass communication
- 10. Media effects

PART - B

Answer any **FIVE** of the following in about 200 words each.

 $(5 \times 8 = 40 \text{ marks})$

- 11. Discuss the pyramid of communication.
- 12. Behavioural school is essential in communication. Why?
- 13. Explain the portrayal of social conflicts in media.
- 14. Explain Comstock's model.
- 15. Discuss the changing trends in the society due to media interference.
- 16. Discuss popular culture and how does it influence our society?
- 17. Discuss the limited effect phase.

PART - C

Answer **TWO** of the following in about 400 words each.

 $(2 \times 20 = 40 \text{ marks})$

- 18. Discuss the four models of communication.
- 19. 'Gender bias in advertising is mind boggling'. Justify.
- 20. 'Media mirrors the society or vice-versa'. Comment.
- 21. What are the early perspectives of media society? Discuss.

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