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**MFC-009**

**M. A. IN FOLKLORE AND CULTURE  
STUDIES (MAFCS)**

**Term-End Examination**

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**MFC-009 : APPROACHES TO FOLKLORE**

*Time : 3 Hours*

*Maximum Marks : 100*

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***Note :** Answer any **five** questions. All questions carry equal marks.*

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1. Are Mythological, Anthropological and Historical-Geographical approaches to folklore similar ? Discuss. 20
2. What is the fundamental difference between syntagmatic and paradigmatic structural studies ? 20
3. Critically discuss Claude Levi-Strauss' interpretation of the Myth of Oedipus. 20

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4. Elucidate Jacobson's 'Permanently Dynamic Synchrony' with examples. 20
5. Discuss the contributions of major folklorists to the study of folklore. 20
6. Critically examine the Proppian functions in folklore studies. 20
7. What does the death of the author or absence of the author signify ? Discuss the examples. 20