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CERTIFICATE PROGRAMME IN KARNATAK MUSIC (CPAKM)

Term-End Examination
December, 2017

OMU-005 : AN INTRODUCTION TO KARNATAK MUSIC

Time: 2½ hours

Maximum Marks: 70

Note: (i) SECTION-A has short answer questions.

(ii) SECTION-B has descriptive answer questions.

SECTION - A

Answer the following questions in one sentence.

15x2=30

- 1. What is Kriti?
- 2. Define Saptak
- 3. Define 'Nada' according to Indian philosophy.
- 4. Which are the essential accompanying instruments in Karnatak music?
- 5. How was the ancient 'Sama' Saptak arranged?
- 6. Which swaras of the saptak have their modified (vikrita) forms?

- 7. Which are the three essential parts of Kriti?
- 8. What is the term for the starting point of a Tala?
- 9. What is the importance of 'Lakshana Grantha'?
- 10. What is the term to denote the most important swara in a Raga?
- 11. Name the two types of Varnam.
- **12.** What is the term used for improvisation in context of Karnatak music?
- 13. What is the term used in 'Natyashastra' referring to the style of music in Southern India?
- **14.** What is the name of the tratise authored by Shri Venkatamakhi?
- 15. What is the term used for the minutest audible pitch?

SECTION B

Attempt any two of the following.

2x20=40

- 16. Write short notes on the following:
 - (a) Kriti
 - (b) Padam
 - (c) Varnam
 - (d) Javali
- 17. Write about the music in Ancient India.

- Discuss about references of music in ancient Tamil 18. literature of 'Sangam Age'.
- Describe the system of 72 Melakarta system. **19**.
- Write brief notes on the followings. 20.

 - (a) Natyashastra (b) Sangeet Ratnakar