

PART B — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

Answer any FIVE of the following.

21. How does Charon mock the souls?
22. What is the main idea of the second section of Ithaca?
23. How was Laius killed?
24. Comment on the riddle of Tiresias.
25. Why is Daru so conflicted about turning in the Arab?
26. Describe the selfless act of Natasha.
27. Why does Dantes disguise as Abbe Busoni?

PART C — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE questions.

28. How does Dante present the scenes of the suffering sinners?
29. Discuss Oedipus Rex as a tragedy.
30. How does Lot's wife make conscious decision?
31. Discuss The Guest as a pessimistic work.
32. Write an essay on the theme of the limits of human justice in The Count of Monte Cristo.

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Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

PART A — (20 × 1 = 20 marks)

Answer ALL the questions.

1. The term world literature was first used by the _____ writer.
(a) German (b) French (c) Spanish (d) African
2. World literature refers to the dissemination of _____ from and to countries across the globe.
(a) music (b) literature (c) art (d) architecture
3. Tragedy of fate was especially popular in early _____ century Germany.
(a) Seventeenth (b) Eighteenth (c) Nineteenth (d) Twentieth
4. The French revolution began on 14 July, _____ with the storming of the fortress Prison.
(a) 1786 (b) 1787 (c) 1788 (d) 1789
5. _____ was considered the founder of modern realistic drama.
(a) Ibsen (b) Chekhov (c) Gorky (d) Stanislavski

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6. The term multiculturalism has a range of _____.
(a) symbols (b) meanings (c) theme (d) behavior
7. Realism focuses on _____ life.
(a) fancy (b) surreal (c) false (d) real
8. Realism, sometimes called as _____.
(a) formalism (b) supernaturalism (c) naturalism
(d) emotionalism
9. Absurdism focuses on _____ in life.
(a) meaninglessness (b) meaning (c) problems
(d) complexities
10. The term postmodernism first made its appearance in the _____.
(a) Germany (b) United States (c) France
(d) Britain
11. All the damned souls are waiting for the _____.
(a) ship (b) raft (c) boat (d) ferry
12. Dante hears innumerable cries of _____.
(a) lament (b) pain (c) agony (d) suffering
13. According to Tiresias truth brings _____.
(a) pain (b) war (c) knowledge (d) power

14. Antigone wants to bury _____.
(a) her enemies (b) her brother (c) Oedipus
(d) her sister
15. Lot's wife instantly turns into a pillar of _____.
(a) rock (b) crystal (c) salt (d) iron
16. Daru was initially called as _____.
(a) the man (b) the Arab (c) the wise one
(d) the school master
17. The sight of the wedding reminds the narrator of a _____ party.
(a) New Year's (b) Christmas (c) Birthday
(d) Retirement
18. The young man sold his _____ for a small sum of money.
(a) shoes (b) clothes (c) jewels (d) car
19. Dantes's profession at the beginning of the novel is _____.
(a) soldier (b) tailor (c) sailor (d) lawyer
20. _____ was the first person who Dantes's visits after reaching Marseilles.
(a) Caderousse (b) Mercedes (c) Danglars
(d) His father