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**Seventh Semester B.Tech. Degree Examination, November 2015
(2008 Scheme)**

**08.705D : COMMUNICATIVE ENGLISH AND TECHNICAL WRITING (F)
(Common with 08.704(3) of CSE)**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 100

PART – A
MODULE – I



Answer **any six** in **not less than five** complete sentences : (6×5=30 Marks)

1. Distinguish between technical communication and general communication.
2. Describe the vertical communication channel in an organisation.
3. Mention the “don’ts” in a group discussion.
4. What are the sub-skills of reading ? Explain two of them.
5. Distinguish between interpersonal and intrapersonal communication.
6. What are the barriers of speaking effectively ?
7. Fill in the blanks with appropriate articles wherever necessary.
 - a) We want _____ help of _____ few volunteers.
 - b) _____ higher you climb _____ colder it gets.
 - c) After _____ year or two _____ question can be considered.
 - d) In _____ Park I saw _____ one-eyed man.
 - e) I cannot remember _____ story which he told me.
8. What word goes best with these verbs ?
 - a) Call on
 - i) planning
 - ii) louder
 - iii) the office
 - iv) to come

P.T.O.

b) break through

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| i) in internet technology | ii) in violence |
| iii) in association | iv) in a meeting |

c) turn down

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| i) the curve | ii) the request |
| iii) the action | iv) the side |

d) set up

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| i) employees | ii) mechanics |
| iii) the plant | iv) the pot |

e) keep on

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| i) enquiring truth | ii) left |
| iii) the worker | iv) the vehicles |

PART – B

MODULE – II

Answer **any two** :**(2x15=30 Marks)**

1. Write a letter to the company Infosys inviting their recruitment officers to your college for a campus recruitment.
2. As an entrepreneur you wish to start a new business. Write a letter to a bank manager seeking a loan of 10 lakhs for your business.
3. What are the characteristics of a research paper ?
4. What are the steps involved in the writing of a technical proposal ?

MODULE – III

Answer **any two** in **three** or **four** pages :**(2x20=40 Marks)**

1. Discuss Wings of fire as a book which inspires the youth of the country.
2. Abdul Kalam's NASA experience.
3. Discuss Kalam as the Missile man of India.
4. How far is the title Wings of fire relevant ?