

5. Compare and contrast Greenberg's Dominance and Harmony with Hawkin's Heaviness and Mobility. 14

Or

6. Write the role of Lehmann and Vennemann in word order typology for world's language. 14
7. Explain and elaborate the characteristic features of Sov languages. 14

Or

8. Write a detailed note on the characteristic features of SVO languages. 14
9. Describe the typology of relative clause with examples. 14

Or

10. Discuss the typology of causative constructions with examples. 14

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Full Marks: 70

Pass Marks: 28

Time: 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

Answer any five questions

1. Discuss the genetic classification of language with adequate examples. 14

Or

2. Write a brief note on types of language universal & with examples. 14
3. What are the typological features of tone across languages of Northeast India? Explain and illustrate. 14

Or

4. Write short notes on the following : 7x2=14
- (a) Syllable structure
- (b) Retroflexion

Turn Over