



**WEST BENGAL STATE UNIVERSITY**  
B.A. Honours/Programme 1st Semester Examination, 2021-22

**MUCHGEC01T/MUCGCOR01T-MUSIC (GE1/DSC1)**

**ELEMENTARY KNOWLEDGE OF MUSIC**

Time Allotted: 1 Hour

Full Marks: 20

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.  
Candidates should answer in their own words and adhere to the word limit as practicable.*

1. Write short note on any **one** of the following: 4×1 = 4
  - (a) Shuddha Swara and Vikrita Swara
  - (b) Arohana and Avarohana
  - (c) Alamkara
  - (d) Vadi and Samvadi.
  
2. Answer any **two** questions from the following: 8×2 = 16
  - (a) Discuss the Notation System of Pt. Bhatkhandey. 8
  - (b) Write briefly on Ten Thata System of North Indian Music. 8
  - (c) Define Samapadi and Vishamapadi Tala. Write down the Talalipi of One Samapadi Tala and One Vishamapadi Tala from your syllabi. 2+2+2+2
  - (d) Show the differences between (any **two**): 4×2 = 8
    - (i) Laya and Layakari
    - (ii) Tihai and Avartan
    - (iii) Tala and Matra
    - (iv) Sam and Khali
    - (v) Meend and Gamaka.
  - (e) Write down the notation of the Sthayee of any Drut Khayal from the prescribed Ragas mentioned in your syllabi. 8

**N.B. :** *Students have to complete submission of their Answer Scripts through E-mail / Whatsapp to their own respective colleges on the same day / date of examination within 1 hour after end of exam. University / College authorities will not be held responsible for wrong submission (at in proper address). Students are strongly advised not to submit multiple copies of the same answer script.*

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