



YOUNG MEN'S BUDDHIST ASSOCIATION
COLOMBO – SRI LANKA
2557 DHAMMA EXAMINATION – 2013

Name : Index No :

Grade - Diploma

Date : 30th June - 2013

Subject - Abhidhamma

Time : 3 hours

Answer 5 questions only - Each question carries 20 marks

1. Explain the law of Dependent Arising (Paticcasamuppada)
2. Name the twenty four conditions in both Pali and English
3. Explain the differences between concepts "Five Aggregates" (Pancakkhanda) and "Five Aggregates of clinging" (Panca Upadanakkhanda)
4. Show the through process of sotapatti Magga in relation to both Manda Panna and Tikka Panna, and name functions performed at each thought moment.
5. Enumerate the factors of Enlightenment (Bodhipakkhiya Dhamma) and give note on any ONE of the sub-groups.
6. Distinguish the difference between the sense - Sphere wholesome Consciousness and the Supramundne Path consciousness.
7. Write Short notes on any four of the following.
 - (i) Jhana Factors (Jhananga)
 - (ii) Noble Eightfold Path
 - (i) Jati paccaya jara maranan soka parideva dukkha domanassa upayasa sambavati
 - (ii) Upadana
 - (iii) Cittaja Rupa
 - (iv) Personality view (Sakkaya Ditti)
8. (i) Decline one of the following nouns in all cases.
 - (a) Bhupati (b) Aggi (c) Sakuna(ii) Translate into English
 - (a) Bhata vapin gacchanto ekissa rukkhassa mule nisidi.
 - (b) Visati purisa dasahi gonehi cattari khattani kasanti
 - (c) Mata darakan pokkharaniyan nahapessati
 - (d) Gacchantesu dasasu purisesu sattamo vanijo hoti
 - (e) Ahan cattari vassani nagare vasitva tato paccha tayo mase game vasissa