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Part - 1

Answer FIVE questions

(Each question carries 20 Marks)

1. What are the elements of matter that cannot be separated (Avinibboga Rupa).
2. Enumerate the beautiful mental factors common to all wholesome consciousness. Write short notes on any three of them.
3. What are the consciousness that perform the Javana function. Give a list of the consciousness that act as Javana in the sense sphere. (Kamavacara citta)
4. Give the definition of Material Phenomena. Enumerate the 28 Material Phenomena.
5. What are Roots ? Show how the sense sphere consciousness are classified according to the roots in them. (4 types - Jathi)
6. When compiling the 28 material phenomena, the physical contact to the body has not been included among the objective phenomena (Gocara Rupa). Why has this been left out ?
7. Write short notes on the following :
 - a. Pasada Rupa (Sensitive material phenomena).
 - b. Patisandhi Function (Rebirth linking).
 - c. Upadaya rupa (Derived material phenomena).
 - d. Saddha (Faith).
 - e. Consciousness (Citta).
 - f. Jhana.



8. Decline one of the following : (i) Vāpi (ii) Devī (iii) Dāsī

a. Translate into English ;

- i. Rājini dipā nikkhamma nāvāya gamissati.
- ii. Tumhe puna vāpim taritvā atavim pavisatha.
- iii. Vanitāyo nāvāhi gangāsu gacchanti.
- iv. Devatā vasudhāyam manusse rakkhantu.
- v. Dārikā kaññāya nasikāyan a sakkharam khipi.

b. Translate in to Pali.

- i. Robbers carried the jewels to the cave.
- ii. The maidens brought sand from the street in the morning.
- iii. My mother shall definitely come this evening.
- iv. May the gods protect our sons and grandsons.
- v. Tomorrow all women in the city will come out from there and wander in the forest.
