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## **CARNATIC MUSIC VOCAL (CODE-031)**

## CLASS XII (SESSION 2022-23) SAMPLE QUESTION PAPER

One Theory Paper - 2Hrs.

**Total Marks - 30** 

**General Instructions** 

• Section-A

Attempt all Questions (Each Question will carry 1 mark)

•Section-B

Attempt all Questions (Each Question will carry 2 Marks)

• Section-C

Attempt any two Questions (Each Question will carry 6 Marks)

S.No	SECTION A	Marks
1.	A parent scale from which other ragas are derived is known as	1
	A- Janya raga	
	B- Upanga raga	
	C- Janaka raga	
	D- Varjya raga	
2.	ragas have only those swaras which are found in their	1
	parent scale.	
	A- Bhashanga	
	B- Raganga	
	C- Upanga	
	D- Kriyanga	
3.	Which of the following is a Bhashanga raga?	1
	A- Keeravani	
	B- Pantuvarali	
	C- Saveri	
	D- Kambhoji	
4.	Choose the correct statements	1
	a- The raga Shankarabharanam is an example of a Janaka raga	
	b- A varjya raga can either be a janya raga or a Janaka raga	
	c- Based on the variety of swaras taken by a raga, it can be classified as Upanga and	
	Bhashanga raga	
	d- A janaka raga can be a vakra raga	
	Which two statements from the above are true:	
	A. a & c	
	B. b & c	
	C. a & d	
	D. b & d	

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5	Choose the correct statements		1	
	in the avarohana in a linear order are kr raga b- An anya swara which is not present raga is known as Bhashanga swara			
6.	Match list I with List II		1	
	List I	List II		
	a) Pantuvarali			
		i) Janya of Mayamalavagoula     ii) Identified with mnemonic 'Veda-		
	b) Kedara Goula	Go'		
	c) Keeravani	iii) Prati Madhyama raga		
	d) Saveri	iv) Audava-Sampoorna raga		
	Choose the correct answers from the op A. a-iii, b-i, c-iv, d-ii B. a-iii, b-iv, c-ii, d-i C. a-ii, b-i, c-iv, d-iii D. a-iv, b-iii, c-ii, d-i	ptions given below:		
7.	Statement 1: Pantuvarali is the 51 <sup>st</sup> Me.	la in the 72 Melakarta scheme	1	
	Statement 2: Pantuvarali is also known as Kamavardhini			
	Choose the correct option:  A Both statement I and II are true B. Both statement I and II both are C. Statement I is true but II is false D. Statement I is false but II is true			
8.	Statement 1: Kedara Goula is an Upanga raga derived from the 28 <sup>th</sup> mela Harikambhoji		1	
	Statement 2: Kakali nishadam is used a	as an anya swara in Kedara Goula		
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	Choose the correct option:			
	A Both statement I and II are true			

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	B. Both statement I and II both are false	
	C. Statement I is true but II is false	
	D. Statement I is false but II is true	
	SECTION B	
9	Who is the author of the lakshanagrantha- 'Raga Vibodha'? How many chapters are	2
	there in this text? Broadly mention the content of each of those chapters.	
	(OR)	
	Give a broad overview of the contents of the lakshanagrantha- Brihaddesi.	
10.	Write any two characteristic features of the musical form Tiruppugazh. (OR)	2
	What is a ragamalika? Write at least two important features of a ragamalika.	
11.	Briefly explain the lakshanas of the raga Pantuvarali, mentioning at least four	2
	important features of this raga.	
	(OR)	
	Write any 4 popular compositions based on raga Kedara Goula. Also write the prominent sancharas of this raga.	
12.	How is the musical form Padam different from a Javali. Write down at least 2	2
12.	differences between both these musical forms.	_
	(OR)	
	Write at least 4 characteristic features of the musical form Padam.	
13.	Briefly describe the structure of the musical form 'Kriti'.	2
	(OR)	
	What are the different decorative angas used in a Kriti? Explain any two of them.	
	SECTION C	
14.	Who was Gopalakrishna Bharati? Briefly describe his life and contributions to the	6
	field of Carnatic music.	
15.	In how many categories are the musical instruments of Indian music classified?	6
	Explain each of these categories in details, giving appropriate examples.	
16.	Describe the life and the musical contributions of Maha Vaidyanatha Iyer.	6

