

**INDIAN COUNCIL OF ASTROLOGICAL SCIENCES (REGD.), CHENNAI**  
**JYOTISH PRAVEENA EXAMINATION - JUNE 2010**  
**PAPER - I**

Time: 3 hrs

Total Marks: 50

Attempt **FIVE** questions. Q.No.1 and 6 are compulsory. Attempt three remaining choosing one from each part. All questions carry equal marks.

**PART - I (GENERAL ASTROLOGY)**

1. Does Astrology deny freewill? What is the part played by karma in relation to Astrology? Discuss.

OR

Is astrology a science or art or both? Discuss.

2. What are the essential qualities of an astrologer?
3. Answer the following.
- (a) What do you know about Varaha Mihira?
- (b) How can one maximize the gainful efforts using astrology?
- (c) Is astrology comprised of skandhatraya or skandha pancha?
4. a. Who are the authors of following books:  
Mansagari, Uttar Kalamrit, Shat Panchashika, Phaladeepika, Jatak Parijat
- b. Name six Vedangas.
5. What are Dridha, Adridha and Dridhadridha karmas?

**PART-II (ASTRONOMY RELEVANT TO ASTROLOGY)**

6. Fill in the blanks.
- (a) The time taken by a planet to make one complete revolution with reference to fixed star is known as \_\_\_\_\_.
- (b) \_\_\_\_\_ stated that the Sun is the centre of the solar system and planets move round the Sun.
- (c) The angular distance by which vernal equinox has moved backward from the time the two zodiac systems coincided is known as \_\_\_\_\_.
- (d) Hailey's comet's period is about \_\_\_\_\_ years.
- (e) When the Moon crosses the ecliptic while traveling from South to North, the crossing point is known as \_\_\_\_\_.
- (f) \_\_\_\_\_ observed that the planets move round the Sun in elliptical orbits.
- (g) The covering up of one celestial body by another is called \_\_\_\_\_.
- (h) The precession of vernal equinox is about \_\_\_\_\_ each year.
- (i) The distance traversed by the light in one year is \_\_\_\_\_ km.
- (j) The brilliant points seen along the edge of the Moon's disc at the time of solar eclipse is known as \_\_\_\_\_.
7. Explain change of seasons with the help of diagram.
8. In a horoscope, the longitude of Sun is 232.46 and Moon is 227.05 (Date of Birth 9th Dec 2007). Sun Rise time on the day of birth is 06.43 hrs. Based on this answer the following:
- a. Constellation and pada of Sun,
- b. Constellation and pada of Moon,
- c. Calculate the tithi and name of the tithi on that day
- d. State whether we can call the day as New Moon day or not with reasoning.
9. Explain why these statements are wrong.
1. In a natal chart, Saturn is in Virgo. At the age of 2 years, Saturn has reached Scorpio.

2. A native is born on Amavasya and Sun & Moon are away by 180 degrees.
  3. On a day, Sun is at 67 degree, while Venus and Mercury are at 110 degrees.
  4. Rahu is at 209 degrees and after 2 months, it reaches in Scorpio.
  5. When the time at Allahabad is 5:30 am, the time at Greenwich is 12 Noon.
10. Write short note on the following (any three).
- (a) Ecliptic and zodiac
  - (b) Celestial latitude and celestial longitude
  - (c) Declination and right ascension
  - (d) Local time and Indian Standard Time

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**PART - I (MATHEMATICAL ASTROLOGY)**

1. Calculate Ascendant and Planetary positions for the native born in Hyderabad on 6th June 2010, at 11:30 am (IST).
2. What are Shadvargas? Prepare shadvarga charts for the given chart  
 Asc. Leo 14:36; Sun-Leo 3:49; Moon-Leo 17:08; Mars-Virgo 1:11; Mercury-Leo 28:33;  
 Jupiter-Leo 12:10; Venus-Leo 18:39; Saturn-Gemini 14:12; Rahu-Cancer 4:09;  
 Ketu-Capricorn 4:09; Tenth House -Taurus 14:56.
3. Calculate the longitudes of all Bhava Sandhis and Bhava Madhyas and prepare Bhava chart for the chart in Q.2
4. Write Short answers for the following.  
 (a) Rasi chart and Bhava chart (b) Tropical Year and Sidereal Year  
 (c) Janma Rasi and Janma Nakshatra (d) Ascendant and Tenth House (e)
5. Answer the following with reason:  
 a. A person is born at mid night. Sun should be in which bhava?  
 b. In a horoscope, Mercury is in Gemini. What should be its nakshatra so that it is vargottama?  
 c. In a horoscope, Sun is both debilitated in rasi and navamsa. What is the constellation of Sun?  
 d. In a horoscope, Moon is in second pada of Bharani. Name dasa nath and range of balance dasa at birth?  
 e. A person gets 3 years of Jupiter dasa at birth. What could be the constellations and pada of Moon?

**PART II (PREDICTIVE ASTROLOGY)**

6. Answer the following using the chart given.  
 Asc.-Virgo 24:47; Sun-Gemini 13:16; Moon-Pisces 10:33; Mars-Cancer 13:32;  
 Mercury(R)- Gemini 27:40; Jupiter-Virgo 20:06; Venus-Aries 27:40; Saturn-  
 Leo 26:26; Rahu-Libra 1:26  
 (a) Name the Nakshatra padas of all the planets and Asc.  
 (b) Which Planet is the Lagna Lord and in which house it is posited? Is it Neechabhilashi or Uchchabhilashi?  
 (c) Which House is badhakasthan for this horoscope? Where badhakadhipati is posited?  
 (d) What are the yogas formed by Sun?  
 (e) What are the yogas formed by Moon?
7. Explain the Pancha Maha Purusha Yogas? Is there any Mahapurusha yoga present in the above chart?
8. Write a short notes on the following  
 (a) Kendra sthanas (b) Trikona sthanas (c) Apachaya and upachaya Sthanas  
 (d) Trishadayadhipatis (e) Dusthanas
9. Determine with reason the functional benefic and functional malefic planets for Virgo and Libra lagna.
10. a) What are the results of placement of Jupiter in Sagittarius and Capricorn?  
 b) What are the results of Taurus and Leo ascendant?

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**PART I (DELINEATION AND DYNAMIC CONFIGURATION)**

1. What houses are analyzed for finances and marital happiness? Give your opinion on the same for the chart given.  
Asc.-Libra 26:24; Sun-Cancer 18:59; Moon-Taurus 6:47; Mars-Leo 29:05; Mercury-Cancer 8:30; Jupiter (R)-Capricorn 7:34; Venus-Gemini 8:10; Saturn (R)-Capricorn 2:01; Rahu-Leo 3:59.
2. What are Raja Yogas? Is there any Rajayoga present in the chart Q.1? What are their results?
3. a) Which are Maraka sthanas and which planets are maraka for native in Q1.  
b) Discuss the general health of the native in Q1.
4. What are divisional charts? How they are useful in giving predictions?
5. Answer the following  
(a) Discuss Vipareeta Raja Yoga with suitable example.  
(b) Discuss Kendra adhipatya dosha with suitable example.

**PART-II (DASA AND TRANSIT)**

6. (a) Calculate Vimsothari Mahadasas and antardasas in Jupiter Mahadasa for the chart in Q.1  
(b) Give the specific results of Jupiter mahadasa and Sun antardasa for the native in Q.1
7. What are the results of Saturn's transit in 12th, 1st and 2nd Houses from the Natal Moon?
8. Answer the following.  
(a) How does a retrograde transiting planet give results?  
(b) What are general results of all antardasas in Yogini Dhanya Mahadasa?  
(c) What is double transit principle and how it is useful?  
(d) Explain "Latta".
9. Generally transit results are reckoned from Natal Moon. Why? How do these results get modified by special traditional and conventional ways (like Vedha & vipreet vedha etc.)?
10. (a) What are the general results of Saturn Mahadasa?  
(b) What are the general results of transiting Jupiter?

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**PART I (TAJIKA SHASTRA)**

1. Draw the annual solar return chart for 2010-11 for a native born on Monday on 11.5.1964 at 8:50 am in Faridabad (Haryana).
2. Study the annual chart given below and answer the following.  
 Asc.- Gemini 1:11; Sun - Cancer 18:59; Moon-Taurus 16:54; Mars- Virgo 9:57;  
 Mercury- Leo 16:16; Jupiter (R) - Pisces 9:06; Venus-Virgo 4:17; Saturn-Virgo 7:17 Rahu-Sagittarius 17:35.  
 (a) Calculate Harsha bala of all the planets  
 (b) Calculate Uchhabala for all the planets.

**OR**

The chart in Q.2 is for the 49th year of the native who born on 4th August 1961 and Birth Lagna is Libra. Calculate Muntha and give the results of Muntha in different Houses.

3. PanchaVargeeya bala of the planets in chart Q.2 is Sun-11:94; Moon-15:86; Mars-8:04; Mercury- 11:70; Jupiter-11:47; Venus-8:44; Sat-10:69. Determine the Year Lord.
4. What are the formulae to calculate Punya Saham, Yasha Saham, Karyasiddhi Saham and Labha Saham and calculate the same for the chart Q.2.
5. Answer the following  
 (a) Dwijanma Year (b) Mudda Dasa (c) Patyayini Dasa

**PART-II (MUHURTHA)**

6. What are the factors to be considered for fixing Marriage Muhurtha?
7. Answer the following  
 (a) What is the importance of Lagna in Muhurtha Chart?  
 (b) What do you know about 'Bhadra'?
8. What is 'Kujadosha'? Is it important in determining marriage adaptability? Discuss.

**Or**

Write short notes on

- a. Abhijit Muhurta
- b. Kumbha Chakra Shuddhi
- c. Bhadra Karana
- d. Godhuli Lagna
9. Write a short note on the following:  
 (a) Panchaga Sudhdhi (b) Dhruva Nakshatras (c) Tara bala (d) Chandra bala (e) Surya Samkranthi
10. What are the factors to be considered for fixing (a) Upanayana Muhurtha (b) Vidyarambha Muhurtha