

**YOUNG MEN'S BUDDHIST ASSOCIATION  
COLOMBO – SRI LANKA  
2559 – DHAMMA EXAMINATION – 2015**

Grade – Junior Part II  
Subject – Abhidhamma

Date: 28<sup>th</sup> June 2015  
Time: 1 hour 30 mins

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**( 2X10 marks )**

**Part -1**

**Answer all questions**

Select the most suitable word or phrase to complete the sentence and underline it

1. The Abhidhamma deals with (a) Ana Desana (b) Vohara Desana (c) Paranattha Desana (d) Sammuthi Desana
2. The book named (a) Dhatu Katha (b) Yamaka (c) Samyutta Nikaya (d) Puggala Pannatti is not one of the Abhidhamma books
3. The total number of rootless consciousness ( Ahethuka Citta ) is:  
(a) 12 (b) 18 (c) 24 (d) 54
4. The Ethically variable Mental Factors ( Annasamana ) are (a) four (b) seven (c) thirteen (d) fourteen in number
5. The number of Mental Factors common to all cittas is (a) Six (b) Seven (c) fourteen (d) twenty five
6. The Immoral Mental Factors are (a) ten (b) twelve (c) fourteen (d) nineteen in number
7. The Mental Factor of Greed ( Lobha ) arises in ( a) two (b) four (c) eight (d) twenty four cittas
8. The basic technical term used in Abhidhamma to imply all Mental and material phenomena is (a) Kusala kusala (b) Dhammas (c) Nama-Rupa (d)Thilakkhana
9. Out of the Immoral Mental Factors (a) three (b) four (c) six (d) eight of them always arise in Unwholesome Citta
10. There are (a) twelve (b) fourteen (c) nineteen (d) twenty five Universal beautiful Mental Factors ( Sobana Sadharana ) in all

## Part II

Answer four (4) questions only

(20 marks each )

1. In what respects is Abhidhamma different from Sutta
2. Explain why the four classes of Citta as per planes of existence are so named.
3. What are Vipaka Citta or Resultant Consciousness?
4. What are ‘ Jhananga Mental Factors ‘ found in the group of Occasionals?
5. Describe the Mental Factor of Desire-‘Chanda’
6. What are the 8 Consciousness ( Citta ) that have Nibbana as the object. Name the Fetters ( Sanyojana ) and Mental Factors ( Cetasika ) that are eradicated by one who has reached the first stage of Enlightenment (Sovan )
7. Write short notes on any four (4) of the following (a) Rupa (b) Lokuttara Citta (c) Avija ( Moha ) (d) Mahaggata Citta ( e) Wisdom ( Panna) (f) Ilimitables
8. Decline any one of the following nouns in all the cases  
(a) Dhanavantu (b) Gzru