

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

Grade – Higher Diploma
Subject – Abhidhamma

Date: 28th June 2015
Time: 3 hours

Answer Five questions only

(20 marks for each question)

1. “ Dhamma sangani” means a compilation of Dhammas”. what are these Dhammas and explain in what manner the text is arranged.
2. Give an introduction to Abhidhamma matrix of the Triads and Dyads (Thika and /duka mathika)
3. Name the first Abhidhamma Matrix (Kusala Trika) and show the Dhammas in each group separately.
4. Name the Abhidhamma matrix of the Dyads (Duka Mathika) coming under the section on Roots (Hethu-Goccka) and show the dhammas separately of the first Dyad.
5. Show how the first sense sphere wholesome consciousness is presented in Dhammasangani Prakarana
6. Show how Rupakhanda is presented in Khanda Vibhanga under the two explanations of suddanta and Abhidhamma
7. What phenomena (Dhammas)are discussed in the Dhatukatha Prakarana? Name what ever you can and explain any one group of them briefly