NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR HOTEL MANAGEMENT AND CATERING TECHNOLOGY NOIDA



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Introductory

The National Council for Hotel Management & Catering Technology intends to provide quality education to hospitality aspirants. It has upgraded the course content of its Flagship Courses M.Sc. HA and B.Sc. HHA in accordance with the new education policy.

With the advent of new curriculum the pattern of End Semester Examination Question paper has been restructured. The question paper will cover the entire syllabus for the respective semester. To facilitate the students to understand the new examination pattern, guidelines to attempt the question paper are being issued.

Duration and Marking Scheme

Depending on the duration of the paper, a balanced mix of Very short answer type, Short/ Moderate answer type and Essay type/ Long answer type questions will be asked. The question paper will be divide into three sections and accordingly the marking will be done. All sections will have optional questions.

The candidates must attempt the questions accordingly.

Duration	3 Hours Paper			
Total Marks	60 Marks			
Sections	Total Questions	Number of questions to Attempt	Marks per question	
Section A Q-1	10	05	3	
Section B Q-2 till Q-6	10	05	6	
Section C Q-7	02	01	15	

Duration	2 Hours Paper			
Total Marks	30 Marks			
Sections	Total Questions	Total Questions Number of		
		questions to	question	
		Attempt		
Section A	08	04	2	
Q-1				
Section B	06	03	4	
Q-2 till Q-6				
Section C	02	01	10	
Q-7				

GUIDELINES FOR WRITING VARIOUS TYPES OF QUESTIONS:

SECTION A: SHORT ANSWER TYPE QUESTIONS

The following factors should be considered while writing short answer type questions:

- 1. The length of the Answer: As the name suggest the length of the answers should be short. The answer may vary from a few words to two or three lines (50 60 words approximately).
- 2. Time Requirement: Can be answered in 05 to 10 minutes.
- 3. Allocation of Marks:

End	Semester	Exam	Total Questions	Questions t	M	arks per Question
(ESE)			Attempt		
60 Ma	arks ESE		10	05	3	
30 Ma	arks ESE		08	04	2	

SECTION B: MODERATE ANSWER TYPE QUESTIONS

The following factors should be considered while writing short answer type questions:

- 1. The length of the Answer: The answers should be comprehensive. The answer may be written in one or two paragraphs (50 to 100 words).
- 2. Time Requirement: Can be answered within 10 to 15 minutes.
- 3. Allocation of Marks:



End Semester Exam	Total Question	Questions to	Marks per Question
(ESE)		Attempt	
60 Marks ESE	10	05	6
30 Marks ESE	06	03	4

SECTION C: ESSAY TYPE QUESTIONS

As the term denotes, the essay type questions requires long answer to be written by a candidate. The candidate is given considerable freedom to apply the concepts related to the topic and answer in their own words. However the answer must be relevant to the question asked.

This section may have one case study based question motivating to think and write the concepts. Numeric aptitude may also be tested in this section. The candidates must write long descriptive answers to these questions.

The following factors should be considered while writing Essay type questions:

- 1. The length of the Answer: The length of the answers will vary from subject to subject depending upon the nature of the content. In subjects like Food Production, Food and Beverage Service, Rooms division a candidate may answer in 2 to 3 pages (200 to 600 words), whereas for subjects like Hotel accounting they may answer in a page or two.
- 2. Time Requirement: Can be answered in 25 to 30 minutes.
- 3. Allocation of Marks:

The candidate must attempt all questions.

End Semester Exam	Total Question	Questions to	Marks per Question
(ESE)		Attempt	
60 Marks ESE	02	01	15
30 Marks ESE	02	01	10

