22. LINGUISTICS

**Part – A (40 Marks)**
Popular ideas and beliefs about language. Countries/States and their official languages. Languages and the scripts in which they are written. Names of the language families to which a given language belongs to. Largest/Second largest spoken language in a country/region. Awareness of language related subjects. Famous authors of the world and the language in which they wrote/ have been writing. World famous books and the language in which they are written. General English: awareness of English alphabets and the sounds they represent, spelling, basic knowledge of English grammar, synonyms and antonyms.

**Part – B (60 Marks)**
This section consists of 60 bits based on the natural/hypothetical language data to test the Analytical ability of the candidate.