

Question	Rongker festival is celebrated by the -	
Type	multiple_choice	
Option	Dimasa	incorrect
Option	Bodo	incorrect
Option	Karbi	correct
Option	Manipuri	incorrect
Solution	Rongker is an annual winter time festival of merriment observed by the Karbis of Assam.	
Marks	2	0.5

Question	Donyi Polo is the main deity of the -	
Type	multiple_choice	
Option	Misings	correct
Option	Dimasas	incorrect
Option	Rabhas	incorrect
Option	Kacharis	incorrect
Solution	The religion of the Galo is called Donyi-Poloism. In Donyi Poloism, the Sun (Donyi) is considered as the female deity and the Moon (Polo) as the male counterpart.	
Marks	2	0.5

Question	Which of the following statements is correct?	
Type	multiple_choice	
Option	Me dum me phi is a harvesting festival	incorrect
Option	Hengdang is an Ahom cuisine	incorrect

Option	Choklong is a folk song of the Ahoms	incorrect
Option	None of the above	correct
Solution		
Marks	2	0.5

Question	Who composed Jikir and Jaari geen in the Assamese language?	
Type	multiple_choice	
Option	Ajan Fakir	correct
Option	Giyasuddin Auliya	incorrect
Option	Ali Mech	incorrect
Option	Ibn Bakhtiyar	incorrect
Solution		
Marks	2	0.5

Question	“Haidang” is the traditional folk songs of -	
Type	multiple_choice	
Option	Tiwa	incorrect
Option	Bodo	incorrect
Option	Rabha	incorrect
Option	Sonowal Kachari	correct
Solution	Sonowal kachari is a tribe inhabiting in Indian state Assam with rich Folk cultural heritage. Bahuwa nas, Hogra nas, Haidang Geet, Hunchari Geet, Kulabudi nas, log bihu, Gayan Bayan, Phulkonwar-MoniKonwar geet, Ainam, Lakhimi naam etc.	
Marks	2	0.5

Question	When Sankardeva left for pilgrimage, who took the charge of his household affairs?	
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Type	multiple_choice	
Option	Hari	correct
Option	Mahendra Kandali	incorrect
Option	Rama Rama	incorrect
Option	Chaturbhuj	incorrect
Solution		
Marks	2	0.5

Question	Who among the following was the Muslim disciple of Sankardeva?	
Type	multiple_choice	
Option	Narottam	incorrect
Option	Govinda	incorrect
Option	Chandasai	correct
Option	Jayananda	incorrect
Solution		
Marks	2	0.5

Question	Who among the following was/were not in the first batch of disciples initiated by Sankardeva? 1. Mahendra Kandali 2. Madhav Dev 3. Rama Rama 4. Rajadhara Choose the correct option from the codes given below	
Type	multiple_choice	
Option	1 only	incorrect
Option	2 and 4	correct
Option	2 only	incorrect
Option	1 and 3	incorrect

Solution		
Marks	2	0.5

Question	For initiation of the first batch, which of the following text was translated by Sankardeva?	
Type	multiple_choice	
Option	Uddhava Sambad	correct
Option	Uttarakanda	incorrect
Option	Adi Kanda	incorrect
Option	Garuda Puran	incorrect
Solution		
Marks	2	0.5

Question	Which of the following is considered to be the first literary work of Madhavdeva?	
Type	multiple_choice	
Option	Janma Rahasya	correct
Option	Naam Ghosa	incorrect
Option	Bhakti Ratnawali	incorrect
Option	Adikanda	incorrect
Solution		
Marks	2	0.5

Question	Bengali was declared the language of the courts in Assam in the year	
Type	multiple_choice	
Option	1826	incorrect
Option	1836	correct
Option	1848	incorrect

Option	1873	incorrect
Solution	In April 1836, Bengali was declared the language of the courts in Assam, replacing Assamese in the Brahmaputra valley. Bengali was also used as the medium of instruction in the educational institutions of Assam. Within decades, the Assamese began to resent the state of affairs.	
Marks	2	0.5

Question	Which period is often referred to as "Dark Age" of Assamese Language?	
Type	multiple_choice	
Option	1846 – 89	incorrect
Option	1821 – 24	incorrect
Option	1857 – 61	incorrect
Option	1836 – 73	correct
Solution	The Dark Age of the Assamese language is a 37 year long time-frame, from 1836 to 1873, during which Bengali eclipsed the Assamese language. During British India, the Bengali language was imposed over Assamese as the British took over Assam.	
Marks	2	0.5

Question	Orunodoi was published from	
Type	multiple_choice	
Option	Sadiya	incorrect
Option	Dhubri	incorrect
Option	Guwahati	incorrect
Option	Sivasagar	correct
Solution	Orunodoi or Arunodoi (Assamese: <span>অৰুণোদয়</span> , English: "Sunrise") was the first Assamese-language magazine published monthly from Sivasagar, Assam, in 1846.	
Marks	2	0.5

Question	The first Assamese Dictionary, which had never been published, was compiled by -	
Type	multiple_choice	
Option	Nidhiram Farwell	incorrect
Option	Miles Bronson	incorrect
Option	Jaduram Barua	correct
Option	Hemchandra Barua	incorrect
Solution		
Marks	2	0.5

Question	Hemkosh was published in the year –	
Type	multiple_choice	
Option	1884	incorrect
Option	1889	incorrect
Option	1900	correct
Option	1925	incorrect
Solution	Hemkosh was published in the year 1900. Hemkosh (Assamese: হেমকোষ, IPA: [hɛmkɔx]) is the first etymological dictionary of the Assamese language based on Sanskrit spellings, compiled by Hemchandra Barua. It was first published in the early 20th century under the supervision of Capt. P. R. Gordon, ISC and Hemchandra Goswami, 33 years after the publication of Bronson's dictionary. It contained about 22,346 words. This dictionary still published by Hemkosh Printers is considered to be the "standard" reference of the Assamese orthography.	
Marks	2	0.5

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Type	multiple_choice	
Option	Nidhiram Farwell	incorrect

Option	Miles Bronson	correct
Option	Jaduram Barua	incorrect
Option	Hemchandra Barua	incorrect
Solution	The first Assamese dictionary was compiled by Dr. Miles Bronson, an American Baptist Missionary. His dictionary, published in 1867 at the American Baptist Mission Press, Sibsagar, is out of print.	
Marks	2	0.5

Question	Which of the following is also known as Hajari Ghosa?	
Type	multiple_choice	
Option	Kirtan Ghosa	incorrect
Option	Gunamala	incorrect
Option	Naam Ghosa	correct
Option	None of the above	incorrect
Solution	Nam Ghosa or Naam Ghosa is a Vaishnavite scripture written by Mahapurush Madhavdeva in Sixteenth century. This holy text is one of the most important books of Assamese Vaishnavism. Nam Ghosa contains one thousand (and one) verses and thus was initially known as "Hajari Ghosa".	
Marks	2	0.5

Question	What is the first Assamese book in Print?	
Type	multiple_choice	
Option	Dharmapustak	correct
Option	Ram-Navami	incorrect
Option	Hemkosh	incorrect
Option	A Grammar of the Assamese Language	incorrect
Solution		
Marks	2	0.5

Question	The first Assamese Grammar was published by	
Type	multiple_choice	
Option	Nathan Brown	correct
Option	W. Robinson	incorrect
Option	Miles Bronson	incorrect
Option	A. K. Garni	incorrect
Solution	Amidst this loss of status the American Baptist Mission (ABM) established a press in Sibsagar in 1846 leading to publications of an Assamese periodical (Orunodoi), the first Assamese grammar by Nathan Brown (1846), and the first Assamese-English dictionary by Miles Bronson (1863).	
Marks	2	0.5

Question	Orunodoi was published in the year –	
Type	multiple_choice	
Option	1836	incorrect
Option	1840	incorrect
Option	1846	correct
Option	1854	incorrect
Solution	Orunodoi was first published in January 1846, printed by the Baptist Missionary Press in Sibsagar. The tag line for the magazine was, "The Orunodoi, monthly paper, devoted to religion, science and general intelligence".	
Marks	2	0.5