

**BA (Hons) English, Sem VI**  
**Paper: Partition Literature**  
**Internal Assessment (Class Test)**  
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**Date: April 6, 2024**  
**Total marks: 20**

1. How does the narrative of the novel *Arjun* critique the ideas of the mythic homeland and the nation? (10 marks)
2. The term refugee appears in the novel as a signifier that is adopted in varied ways by the displaced population, the state, and the hosts. Illustrate, through your reading of the novel, some of these meanings of the word “refugee” and the ways in which it is deployed. (10 marks)