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M.A. PHILOSOPHY (MAPY)

Term-End Examination

December, 2015

MPYE-015 : GANDHIAN PHILOSOPHY

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

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- Note :** (i) *Answer all the five questions.*
(ii) *All questions carry equal marks.*
(iii) *Answers to question no. 1 and 2 should be in about 500 words each.*
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1. Did Gandhi have any religious experience at all ? 20
If yes, explain what sort of religious experience it was.

OR

Give a detailed account of Gandhi's interpretation of Purusharthas. 20

2. Write an essay on Gandhi's idea of Hind Swaraj. 20

OR

Explain the moral teachings of Gandhi in detail. 20

3. Answer any two of the following in about 250 words each :

(a) Explain the important features of human nature. 10

(b) How would you understand Gandhi's Theism ? Explain. 10

- (c) What are the goals of Ahimsa and Satyagraha ? Discuss. 10
- (d) Explain the Gandhi - Ambedkar Controversy. 10
4. Answer **any four** of the following in about 150 words each :
- (a) How did Gandhi criticize modernity ? 5
- (b) Enumerate the eleven vows which are the basis of Ashram life. 5
- (c) What is Gandhi's idea of World Peace ? 5
- (d) Describe Gandhi's understanding of Trusteeship. 5
- (e) How did the South Africa experience help in the advent of Gandhi ? 5
- (f) How are Man and God related ? 5
5. Write short notes on **any five** of the following in about 100 words each :
- (a) Absolute truth 4
- (b) Non - cooperation 4
- (c) Basic education 4
- (d) Complementarity of religions 4
- (e) Equimindness 4
- (f) Moderates 4
- (g) Non - stealing 4
- (h) God and Evil 4
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