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M.A. PHILOSOPHY (MAPY)

Term-End Examination

December, 2018

MPY-001 : INDIAN PHILOSOPHY

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

- Note :* (i) *Answer all 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. Explain epistemology as discussed in the Orthodox Schools of Indian thought. 20
OR
Discuss the epistemology of Mimamsa in detail. 20
2. Examine the four noble truths of Buddhism. 20
OR
Explain the important philosophical teachings of Advaita Vedanta. 20
3. Write any two of the following in about 250 words each :
- (a) Examine the concepts of Brahman and Jiva in the philosophy of Visistadvaita. 10
(b) Discuss the atomic theory of Vaisesika. 10
(c) Explain the importance of yoga in Aurobindo's philosophy. 10
(d) Briefly explain the Carvaka epistemology. 10

4. Answer **any four** of the following in about 150 words each :
- (a) Describe the importance of the seven categories of Vaiśeṣika system. 5
 - (b) Give a brief account of the ethics of Cārvāka. 5
 - (c) Distinguish between Satkaryavada and Asatkaryavada. 5
 - (d) Explain the Dualistic Absolutism of Madhvacharya. 5
 - (e) Write a short note on the metaphysics of Jainism. 5
 - (f) What are the three paths of spiritual discipline in Bhagavad Gita ? 5
5. Write short notes on **any five** of the following in about 100 words each :
- (a) Universal Religion of Swami Vivekananda 4
 - (b) Five kinds of kleśas in Yoga 4
 - (c) Humanism in the philosophy of Tagore 4
 - (d) Samaveda 4
 - (e) Schools of Saivism 4
 - (f) Vaishnava concept of God and Soul 4
 - (g) Eight Siddhis 4
 - (h) Purushartha 4
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