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M. A. (PHILOSOPHY) (MAPY)

Term-End Examination

December, 2021

MPYE-016 : PHILOSOPHY OF SRI AUROBINDO

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : Answer all the **five** questions. All questions carry equal marks. Answer to question nos. **1** and **2** should be in about **500** words each.

1. Highlight the importance of the term personal psychology in Sri Aurobindo's philosophy. 20

Or

Examine Sri Aurobindo's vision of human unity and bring out its contemporary relevance.

2. Describe the significance of the concepts of evolution and involution in the philosophy of Sri Aurobindo. 20

Or

Explain the influence of Indian scriptures on Sri Aurobindo.

3. Answer any **two** of the following questions in about **250** words each : 10 each

(a) Discuss the evolution of consciousness according to Sri Aurobindo.

(b) Analyse Sri Aurobindo's response to qualified non-dualism of Ramanuja.

(c) Briefly explain the different aspects of being according to the integral world view.

(d) Examine the significance of physical and moral education according to Sri Aurobindo.

4. Answer any **four** of the following questions in about **150** words each : 5 each

(a) What is the role of knowledge in Sri Aurobindo's philosophy ?

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- (b) Give a brief account of Aurobindo's organic conception of reality.
- (c) Discuss briefly the relevance of integral world view of Sri Aurobindo.
- (d) Describe the concept of Maya according to Sri Aurobindo.
- (e) What was Aurobindo's response to the Absolute dualism of Madhva ?
- (f) Briefly explain the progress of civilization through supermind as conceived by Sri Aurobindo.

5. Write short notes on any *five* of the following in about **100** words each : 4 each

- (a) Important works of Sri Aurobindo
- (b) Inner being

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- (c) Subconscious consciousness
- (d) Integral education
- (e) The idea of evolution in Indian Philosophy
- (f) Distinctiveness of Integral Yoga
- (g) Higher mind and illumined mind
- (h) *Seven* types of ignorance

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