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**MPYE-010**

**M. A. PHILOSOPHY (MAPY)**

**Term-End Examination**

**June, 2020**

**MPYE-010 : PHILOSOPHY OF RELIGION**

*Time : 3 Hours*

*Maximum Marks : 100*

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*Note : (i) Answer all the five questions.*

*(ii) All questions carry equal marks.*

*(iii) Answer to Question No. 1 and 2 should  
be in about 500 words each.*

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1. What do you mean by Theism ? Explain briefly  
the different kinds and types of theism. 20

*Or*

Define Philosophy of Religion and explain the  
necessity of organised religion.

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2. Discuss the *four* types of religious experiences and the factors involved in it. 20

Or

Explain the various facts and dimensions of deism and agnosticism.

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

(a) Who are the 'masters of suspicion' ?

Explain, why they are called so.

(b) Briefly explain the *three* different modes of religious language.

(c) Examine the theories of evil from the Western perspective.

(d) Discuss the important aspects of Aurobindo's Philosophy.

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

- (a) What is the ontological argument for the existence of God ?
- (b) Give a brief account of the philosophy of Madhva.
- (c) Describe the different varieties of atheism.
- (d) Give an example of religious experiences.
- (e) What do you mean by rituals ?
- (f) Write a short note on the anthropic principle.

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

- (a) Philosophy and Science
- (b) Three sciences according to Aristotle
- (c) Falsification principle

- (d) Function of liturgy
- (e) Secularism
- (f) Types of Evil
- (g) Teaching of Sri Ramakrishna  
Parammahansa
- (h) Five Sadhanas propounded by Nimbarka