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MPYE-007

M. A. (PHILOSOPHY) (MAPY)

Term-End Examination

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**MPYE-007 : RESEARCH METHODOLOGY IN
PHILOSOPHY**

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. Give an account of the philosophical implication of uncertainty principle. 20

Or

What is the significance of rational method employed in philosophy ?

2. What is the Hermeneutical method ? Bring out the Indian and Western aspects of this method.

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Or

What is dialectic ? Give some examples of dialectic methods used in Philosophy.

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3. Answer any *two* of the following in about **250** words each : 10 each
- (a) How and when can we best generate the table of contents in an article ?
 - (b) What are the different steps we follow in writing a scientific article ?
 - (c) State the importance of Hermeneutical circle.
 - (d) Briefly describe Einstein's quest for unity.
4. Answer any *four* of the following in about **150** words each : 5 each
- (a) What is the difference between quantitative and qualitative methods in research ?
 - (b) What are some of the common features of philosophical method ?
 - (c) What is the "true scandal of the text" ?
 - (d) If there are mistakes in the originals, should we correct them when we quote ?
How ?

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- (e) Why is a 'review of literature' included in a research report ? What is its purpose ?
 - (f) What is a Bibliography ? What is its purpose ?
5. Write short notes on any *five* of the following in about **100** words each : 4 each
- (a) Index
 - (b) Habermas
 - (c) Argument
 - (d) Synthesis
 - (e) A priori
 - (f) Tabula rasa
 - (g) Hypothesis
 - (h) Preface