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MPYE-014

M. A. (PHILOSOPHY) (MAPY)

Term-End Examination

June, 2023

MPYE-014 : PHILOSOPHY OF MIND

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

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

(ii) *All questions carry equal marks.*

(iii) *Answer to question nos. 1 and 2 should be in about **500** words each.*

1. Give a detailed account of the various views on the survival of mind in history of western philosophy. 20

Or

Explain mind-body problem in detail. Discuss some of the positions held on it in the contemporary philosophy of mind.

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2. Define philosophy of mind. Explain how various notions from general philosophy are related to philosophy of mind. 20

Or

Write a detailed essay on Kant's theory of perception.

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

- (a) Explain the theory of meaning (Vakyarthvad) according to the Mimansa philosophy. 10
- (b) What are the ethical implications of denying mind of the animals ? 10
- (c) Discuss the phenomenology of lived body. 10
- (d) Explain volition of adaptive decision-making. 10

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

(a) What do you understand by eliminative materialism ? 5

(b) How does Buddhism look upon dreams ? 5

(c) What is mental state for a behaviorist ? 5

(d) What do you understand by innate structure of language ? 5

(e) How would you explain intentionality ? 5

(f) Write a note on Apohavada. 5

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

(a) Nature of memory 4

(b) Emergentism 4

(c) Animal intelligence 4

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| (d) Language of thought | 4 |
| (e) Brain and mind | 4 |
| (f) Antahkarana | 4 |
| (g) Notion of two horses in Plato | 4 |
| (h) Neurobiology and philosophy of mind | 4 |