

M.A. PHILOSOPHY (MAPY)**Term-End Examination****December, 2016****MPYE-002 : ETHICS***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. Discuss the nature and scope of Ethics. 20
OR
What do you mean by Goodwill ? Discuss the problem of freedom and responsibility in Kant's Philosophy. 20
2. What is Environmental Ethics ? Discuss the modern construction of environmental ethics. 20
OR
Examine the ethical position of Buddhism. 20
3. Answer **any two** of the following in about 250 words each :
- (a) Explain the Nishkama Karma proposed by Bhagavad Gita. 10
(b) Discuss John Rawls' theory of justice. 10
(c) What are the seven norms proposed by Bentham for the measurement of pleasure ? 10
(d) Elucidate the salient features of Habermas's Discourse Ethics. 10

4. Answer **any four** of the following in about **150** words each :
- (a) Briefly describe the dynamics of morality. 5
 - (b) Write a note on Logical Positivism. 5
 - (c) What is meant by the term 'Eudaimonia' ? 5
 - (d) Explain Triratnas of Jainism. 5
 - (e) What are the advantages of Bioethics ? 5
 - (f) Make a brief note on 'Existentialist Ethics'. 5
5. Write short notes on **any five** of the following in about **100** words each :
- (a) Cultural Relativism 4
 - (b) Realism 4
 - (c) Virtue Ethics 4
 - (d) Human Rights 4
 - (e) Categorical Imperative 4
 - (f) Moral Pluralism 4
 - (g) International Ethics 4
 - (h) Varnadharma 4
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