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**MPY-001**

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

**Term-End Examination**

**December, 2022**

**MPY-001 : INDIAN PHILOSOPHY**

*Time : 3 Hours*

*Maximum Marks : 100*

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

(ii) All questions carry equal marks.

(iii) Answers to Question Nos. 1 and 2  
should be in about **500** words each.

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1. How would you explain 'Tirukkural' ? Bring out the moral, social and practical philosophy of Tirukkural. 20

*Or*

Give a detailed account of Ambedkar's Social and Political Philosophy.

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2. What is Samadhi according to Patanjali ? How can it be attained ? Explain in detail. 20

*Or*

What do you mean by Nastika Darshana in Indian philosophy ? Bring out the philosophical implications of Buddha's teaching.

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

- (a) Write a short essay on Bhagvadgeeta with special reference to proposed means of liberation.
- (b) Explain the basic philosophical thoughts of Vaibhasika School of Buddhism.
- (c) Explain Jain's two-fold classification of knowledge, mediate and immediate knowledge.
- (d) Explain Avidya and Maya according to the Advaita Vedanta in detail.

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

- (a) Describe Shaiva Siddhant concept of soul.

- (b) Write a note on Upanishads.
  - (c) Explain Vaishnava metaphysics.
  - (d) Distinguish between Arthapatti and Anupalabdhi.
  - (e) Discuss briefly the *two* kinds of reality according to Madhava.
  - (f) Briefly describe the ethical position of the Carvakas.
5. Write short notes on any *five* of the following in about **100** words each : 4 each
- (a) Cosmotheandric vision
  - (b) Constituent elements of Prakriti
  - (c) Radhakrishnan's idea of absolute and God
  - (d) Absolute reality as Sachidananda
  - (e) Tagore's concept of God
  - (f) Iqbad's idea of nature of the world
  - (g) Basic elements of religion according to Vivekananda
  - (h) Non-violence and Satyagraha