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M. A. (PHILOSOPHY) (MAPY)

Term-End Examination

June, 2021

MPYE-016 : PHILOSOPHY OF SRI AUROBINDO

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. Explain the integral world view of Aurobindo and its relevance. 20

Or

Examine the importance of evolution in Aurobindo's philosophy.

2. Describe the structure and organisation of being according to Aurobindo. 20

Or

Examine briefly the objects and foundations of integral yoga.

3. Answer any **two** of the following questions in about **200** words each :

(a) Discuss Aurobindo's views on the Upanishads. 10

(b) Examine the principles of teaching and the importance in training of the senses in Sri Aurobindo's philosophy of education. 10

(c) Give a detailed account of jivatman and its importance in Sri Aurobindo's philosophy. 10

(d) Describe Aurobindo's scheme of thinking on synthesis of spirit and matter. 10

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

(a) Briefly explain the five dreams of Aurobindo which was his vision. 5

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- (b) State the seven types of ignorance according to Sri Aurobindo. 5
- (c) Describe the relationship between individual and society in the philosophy of Sri Aurobindo. 5
- (d) Examine the involution of absolute according to Sri Aurobindo. 5
- (e) How does Aurobindo view unity of existence ? 5
- (f) Explain 'triple transformation' in the context of Integral Yoga. 5
5. Write short notes on any *five* of the following in about **100** words each :
- (a) Psychic being 4
- (b) The Lila of consciousness 4

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- (c) Aurobindo on Advaita of Sankara 4
- (d) Maya according to Aurobindo 4
- (e) Consciousness force 4
- (f) Overmind 4
- (g) Aurobindo and consciousness 4
- (h) Unity through Yoga 4

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