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**III Semester B.A. Degree CBCSS (OBE) – Regular Examination, November 2020
(2019 Admission Only)
CORE COURSE IN PHILOSOPHY
3B04 PHI : Ancient and Medieval Western Philosophy**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

PART – A (Short Answer)

Answer **all** questions. **Each** answer carries **one** mark.

Write a short note on the following :

1. Ideas.
2. The Socratic Method.
3. Problem of Change.
4. Homo mensura.
5. Formal cause.
6. Apeiron.

(6×1=6)

PART – B (Short Essay)

Answer **any six** questions. **Each** answer carries **two** marks.

7. Examine Thales' conception of substance.
8. Write a note on Anaximenes concept of air.
9. Examine the statement, "Virtue is knowledge".
10. Distinguish between material cause and efficient cause.
11. Write a note on the problem of Evil.
12. Explain Plato's theory of ideas.
13. Evaluate Heraclitus' notion of change.
14. Write a note on Sophism.

(6×2=12)

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**PART – C (Essay)**

Answer **any four** questions. **Each** answer carries **three** marks.

15. Explain the characteristics of medieval philosophy.
16. Briefly explain Allegory of the cave.
17. Distinguish between form and matter of Aristotle.
18. Evaluate the Parmenides ontology.
19. Give a short note on divided line.
20. Write a note on St. Anslems' ontological proof for the existence of God. **(4×3=12)**

PART – D (Long Essay)

Answer **any two** questions. **Each** answer carries **five** marks.

21. Explain the chief characteristics of early Greek Philosophy.
22. Give a critical account of Plato's theory of ideas.
23. Examine the concept of Faith and Reason in St. Aquinas philosophy.
24. Give a critical account of the problem of substance as discussed by early Greek thinkers. **(2×5=10)**