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I Semester B.A. Degree (CCSS – Reg./Supple./Improv.) Examination, November 2015
CORE COURSE IN PHILOSOPHY
1B01 PHI : Introduction to Philosophical Studies
(2014 Admn. Onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

PART – A

Answer **all** questions. **Each** question carries **1** mark. Fill up the blank.

1. _____ is the material school of Indian Philosophy.

2. The concluding portions of Vedas are called _____

3. The valid means of knowledge in Indian systems are popularly referred as _____

4. The branch of philosophy that deals with art and beauty is referred as _____

(4×1=4)

PART – B

Answer **any seven** questions. **Each** question carries **2** marks. Answers should **not** exceed **50** words.

Write short notes on :

5. Ontology.

6. Theism.

7. Spiritualism.

8. Dualism.

9. Darsana.

10. Axiology.

11. Idealism.

12. Deduction.

13. Aranyakas.

14. Mysticism.

(7×2=14)

PART – C

Answer **any four** questions. **Each** question carries **3** marks. Answers should **not** exceed **100** words.

15. What are the important uses of studying logic ?

16. Describe the naturalistic polytheism of ancient Indian thought.

17. Examine the subject matter of ethics.

18. Write a short account on Phenomenalism.

19. Distinguish between Induction and Deduction.

20. Briefly explain the features of aesthetic experience.

(4x3=12)

PART – D

Answer **any two** questions. **Each** question carries **5** marks. Answers should **not** exceed **250** words.

21. Explain briefly the philosophy of Upanishads.

22. Give an account of the stages of the development of Western philosophy.

23. Describe the nature and peculiarities of Applied Ethics.

24. Examine the significance and specialities of Pragmatic theory of Truth. (2x5=10)

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