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**III Semester B.A. Degree (CCSS – 2014 Admn.–Regular)**  
**Examination, November 2015**  
**Core Course in Philosophy**  
**3B04 PHI : CLASSICAL WESTERN PHILOSOPHY**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

**GROUP – A**

Fill up the blanks. A bunch of 4 questions carries 1 mark.

1. The earliest Greek philosophy was \_\_\_\_\_ as its attention is directed to nature.
2. According to Anaximander, the first principle of things is one and \_\_\_\_\_
3. According to Socrates, virtue is \_\_\_\_\_
4. Aristotle says that the \_\_\_\_\_ cause is the active agent which produces a thing as its effect. (4x1=4)

**GROUP – B**

Answer **any 7** questions. **Each** question carries **2** marks. Answers **not** to exceed **50** words.

Write short notes.

5. Hylozoism.
6. Milesian school.
7. Pantheism.
8. Ontology.
9. Metaphysics.

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10. Sophists.
11. Socratic method.
12. Formal cause.
13. Plato's concept of divided line.
14. Ontological proof for existence of God.
15. Augustine's conception of Divine grace. (7×2=14)

GROUP – C

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

16. Examine the features of cosmology of Anaximander.
17. What are the peculiarities of the Pythagoras number theory ?
18. Critically examine Parmenides' ontology.
19. Explain the significance of Zeno's paradox of motion.
20. "*One cannot step into the same river twice*". Examine this view of Heraclitus.
21. Discuss Aristotle's conception of good. (4×3=12)

GROUP – D

Answer **any 2** questions. **Each** question carries **5** marks. Answers **not** to exceed **250** words.

22. Examine the features of Greek atomism.
  23. "*Man is the measure of all things*". – Discuss this statement of Protagoras.
  24. Explain the salient features of Plato's Theory of Knowledge.
  25. Given an account on the characteristics of medieval philosophy. (2×5=10)
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