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CORE COURSE IN PHILOSOPHY

5B10 PHI : Orthodox Systems of Indian Philosophy

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

PART – A

Answer **all** questions. **Each** answer carries **1** mark.

1. According to Vaisesika, the category of _____ is an intimate inseparable relation between things.
2. The theory of error accepted by Kumarila Bhatta is known as _____.
3. According to Advaita, the _____ Brahman personified becomes God.
4. _____ and _____ together known as the ten commandments of Yoga. (4×1=4)

PART – B

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

5. Give a brief account of Arthāpatti.
6. Name the important Pramānas accepted by Kumarila Bhatta.
7. Write a short note on Satkāryavāda.
8. Examine the concept of Acit in Visistādvaita.
9. Discuss the relevance of bhakti according to Madhva.

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10. Distinguish between Laukika and Alaukikapratyaksa.
11. Briefly explain the Nyāya-Vaisesika concept of liberation.
12. Discuss the importance of Dharma in Purva Mimāmsā.
13. Describe the nature of Jiva according to Sankara.
14. Analyse Sankara's views on Sattatraya. (7×2=14)

PART – C

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

15. Explain briefly the proofs for the existence of God by Nyāya-Vaisesika.
16. Examine the status of God in Sāmkhya.
17. Briefly explain Pancabheda or fivefold difference in Dvaita.
18. Discuss the importance of Brahman in Visistādvaita.
19. Explain briefly the Nyāya theory of inference.
20. Distinguish between Jivanmukti and Videhamukti. (4×3=12)

PART – D

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

21. Give an account of the Epistemology of Purva Mimāmsā.
22. Critically evaluate the Sāmkhya theory of evolution.
23. Explain the criticisms held by Ramanuja against Sankara's concept of Maya.
24. 'The Nyāya-Vaisesika system is realistic and pluralistic' – Explain this statement with reference to the categories of Vaisesika. (2×5=10)