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I Semester B.A. Degree (CBCSS – Supplementary)
Examination, November 2022
(2016 – 2018 Admissions)
CORE COURSE IN PHILOSOPHY
1B01 PHI : Introduction to Philosophical Studies

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

PART – A

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

1. Scholasticism refers to _____ Western Philosophy.
2. _____ is the materialistic system of Indian Philosophy.
3. Platonic idealism is also known as _____
4. _____ is the branch of philosophy that deals with the problems of knowledge. (4×1=4)

PART – B

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

5. Briefly explain the Pragmatic theory of truth.
6. What do you mean by Contemporary realism ?
7. Give a brief account of cosmology.
8. Write a short note of naturalism.
9. Define ethics.
10. Explain induction with a suitable example.

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11. What do you mean by intuition ?
12. Give a brief account of rationalism.
13. What is meant by epistemological dualism ?
14. Write a short note on Upanishads. (7×2=14)

PART – C

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

15. Explain briefly the astika and nastika systems of Indian philosophy.
16. Examine the relation between right and duty.
17. Define aesthetics and examine its salient features.
18. 'Man is the measure of all things'. – Elucidate this statement.
19. Briefly explain the importance of applied ethics.
20. What is monism ? Explain its features. (4×3=12)

PART – D

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

21. Define idealism and explain its various types.
22. Define philosophy and examine the relation between philosophy, science and religion.
23. What do you mean by Ontology ? Explain the major ontological theories.
24. 'Philosophy helps us to sort out the issues in day-to-day life.' – Elucidate this statement analyzing the uses of studying philosophy. (2×5=10)