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IV Semester B.A. Degree (CBCSS – OBE – Regular/Supplementary/  
Improvement) Examination, April 2023  
(2019 Admission Onwards)  
CORE COURSE IN PHILOSOPHY  
4B05PHI – Ancient Indian Philosophy

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

PART – A  
(Short Answer)

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

1. Samhitha.
2. Polytheism.
3. Astika school.
4. Triratnas.
5. Anthropomorphism.
6. Sthithaprajna.

(6×1=6)

PART – B  
(Short Essay)

Answer **any six** questions. **Each** question carries 2 marks.

7. Why Charvaka refute Inference ?
8. What is Karma yoga ?
9. Write a note on Vedic religion.
10. Discuss Charvaka Ethics.

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11. Discuss Four Mahavakyas.
12. What is Nishkamakarma ?
13. What is Nairatmya vada ?
14. Write a note on Charvaka idea of Liberation.

(6×2=12)

PART – C  
(Essay)

Answer **any four** questions. **Each** answer carries 3 marks.

15. Discuss Charvaka Metaphysics.
16. Explain Jaina theory of Categories.
17. Write a note on Charvaka theory of knowledge.
18. Discuss the identity of Atman and Brahman in Upanishads.
19. Explain the idea of Kshanika vada.
20. Discuss the idea of Atman and Jiva in Upanishads.

(4×3=12)

PART – D  
(Long Essay)

Answer **any two** questions. **Each** answer carries 5 marks.

21. Explain the characteristics of Indian philosophy.
22. Bring out the essential teachings of Bhagavat Gita.
23. Explain Jaina theory of Knowledge.
24. Write an essay on Four Noble truths.

(2×5=10)