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PHILOSOPHY

PHI 3C11 : Modern Indian Thought

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 60

PART – A

Answer **any one** question. Answers should **not** exceed **800** words. **Each** answer carries **15** marks.

1. 'Swami Vivekananda's philosophy is a re-interpretation of Vedanta in accordance with the needs and demands of the time' – Elucidate this statement.
2. Discuss the nature of evolution and involution in the philosophy of Sri Aurobindo. (1×15=15)

PART – B

Answer **any three** questions. Answers should **not** exceed **400** words. **Each** answer carries **10** marks.

3. 'Sarvodaya is the apex of Gandhian Socialism.' – Elucidate this statement.
4. Discuss the salient features of the spiritual humanism of Swami Vivekananda.
5. Elucidate the eight cords of being which are the expressions of reality according to Sri Aurobindo.
6. Why did Iqbal consider God as the supreme ego ? Explain.
7. Examine the importance of Buddhism in the philosophy of Dr. B. R. Ambedkar. (3×10=30)

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PART – C

Answer **any three** questions. Answers should **not** exceed **200** words. **Each** answer carries **5** marks.

8. Give a brief account of supermind in the philosophy of Sri Aurobindo.
9. Write a short note on 'Freedom from the Known'.
10. Why did Gandhi consider ahimsa as the supreme duty ? Explain.
11. Briefly explain the four grades of theoretic consciousness according to K. C. Bhattacharya.
12. Discuss the nature of man in the philosophy of Tagore. (3×5=15)

