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Second Semester FYUGP Philosophy Examination
APRIL 2025 (2024 Admission onwards)
KU2MDCPHL103 (INTRODUCTION TO THEORY)
(DATE OF EXAM : 26-04-2025)

Time : 90 min

Maximum Marks : 50

Part A (Answer any 6 questions. Each carries 2 marks)

1. In what ways does speculation help challenge common sense? 2
2. How does theory-dependent observation influence our understanding? 2
3. What is the Raman Effect? 2
4. Name one Structuralist thinker 2
5. What is a signified? 2
6. Give two examples of ISA 2
7. Define post structuralism 2
8. What is 'undecidable'? 2

Part B (Answer any 4 questions. Each carries 6 marks)

9. What is the significance of using theories to connect knowledge from different disciplines? 6
10. Discuss how interdisciplinarity expands the relevance of theoretical concepts beyond their original fields. Provide examples of concepts that have been applied across disciplines. 6
11. Discuss the relationship between scientific theories and their ability to solve real-world problems. 6
12. Explain different forms of power 6
13. How does Terry Eagleton explain the term literature? 6
14. 'A ghost is an undecidable' - Explain 6

Part C (Answer any 1 question(s). Each carries 14 marks)

15. "Queer theory rejects binary thinking" - Elaborate 14
16. Discuss the key characteristics of scientific theories, highlighting their empirical basis, testability, and predictive power. 14