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M.A.

4th Semester Examination

PHILOSOPHY (Continental Philosophy)

PAPER—PHI-402

Full Marks : 40

Time : 2 Hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Answer any one question from Group—A and one question from Group—B from each unit.

UNIT—I

Group—A

1. In what senses does Husserl's doctrine regarding foundation of knowledge differ from both traditional rationalists and empiricists. 16
2. Explain the concept of intentionality following Husserl. 16

Group—B

3. Distinguish between epoche and reduction. 4

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4. Explain in brief the concept of noesis-noema correlation in Husserl's Phenomenology. 4

UNIT—II

Group—A

5. Elaborate Sartre's theory of freedom with special emphasis on the contention that man is condemned to be free. 16
6. Explain in detail the notion of bad faith. 16

Group—B

7. Write any three distinctive characteristics of existentialism. 4
8. What is meant by nothingness in the Philosophy of Sartre. 4
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