

2016

M. Phil.

2nd Semester Examination

INDIAN PHILOSOPHY-II

PAPER—PHI-121

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.

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary.

Unit-I

Two from Unit-I and two from Unit-II

(Daya Krishna)

1. “....the characterization of Indian Philosophy as ‘spiritual’ is completely erroneous.” Explain the arguments given by Daya Krishna in favour of the statement. 10
2. “The notion of ‘Vedic’ authority, then is a myth”. How does the author establish the statement? Explain. 10
3. Write a note on the third myth (among the ‘Three Myths about Indian Philosophy’) after Daya Krishna. 10

(Turn Over)

Unit-II

4. Discuss the main argument of J.N. Mohanty's article.
'Advaita Vedanta as Philosophy and as Religion."
10
 5. How does Mohanty explain the peculiar nature of Indian
Causal theory? 10
 6. How does Mohanty Illustrates his view that the most
distinguishing feature of Indian thinking on pramāna is
the theory of *Sa'bda*. 10
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