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2018

M.A. 2nd Semester Examination

PHILOSOPHY

PAPER-PHI-201

Full Marks: 40

Time: 2 Hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

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

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary.

(Indian Metaphysics)

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

Unit-I

Group-A

- 1. (a) What is the difference between the Carvaka and Samkhya theory of self.
 - (b) Discuss, in this regard, the Sāmkhya refulation of the Cārvāka Bhutacaitanyavāda. 4+12

- 2. (a) Define samanya following the Nyaya Philosophy and explain the importance of each term of the definition.
 - (b) Explain, in this regard, the debate between the Nyāya and Bauddha theory of sāmānya.

 8+8

Group-B

- 3. Briefly discuss the Bauddha theory of Kṣaṇabhangavāda.
- 4. Following Kevaladvaitavada, explain the phenomenal notion of the world.

Unit-II

Group-A

- 5. Criticaly discuss the Sāmkhya arguments in favour of satkāryavāda.
- Discuss the nature of mind and its Salient features following Bhāsāparichheda.

Group-B

- 7. How is kāla defined in Bhāsāparichheda. 4
- 8. Write a short note on akasmikatavada.