

M.A. 3rd Semester Examination, 2018

PHILOSOPHY

PAPER — PHI-301

Full Marks : 40

Time : 2 hours

*The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks
Candidates are required to give their answers in their
own words as far as practicable
Illustrate the answers wherever necessary*

UNIT — 1

**Answer any one question from GROUP—A and
any one question from GROUP—B**

GROUP—A

1. Explain the following as means of Śaktigraha :

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(a) Vyāvahāra

(b) Prasiddhapada Sānnidhya.

(Turn Over)

2. Explain with suitable examples the importance of *tātparya* in the context of sentence meaning. 16

GROUP—B

3. Write a short note on *Yogarūḍa* pada. 4
4. What is *Sphota* ? Discuss the evolution of sphota. 4

UNIT — 2

Answer any one question from GROUP—A and any one question from GROUP—B

GROUP—A

5. Critically examine the view of Ludwig Wittgenstein that 'Philosophy is a critique of language'. 16
6. What are the main differences between the views of Early and later Wittgenstein ? 16

GROUP—B

7. What are the main features of the theory of speech acts proposed by J. L. Austin ? 4

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8. Briefly explain Bertrand Russell's theory of description.

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