M.Phil 1st Semester Examination, 2019

PHILOSOPHY

PAPER -PHI-113

Full Marks: 40

Time: 2 hours

Answer any two questions from each Unit

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 - I

1. (a) State the reason of examining samsaya prior to pramāṇa in Nyayasūtra following Mahaṛṣi Goutama.

(b)	Why did he first examine Pramana Samanya	
	in Pramāna Parikshā?	5 + 5

- 2. Explain the following sūtra in detail: 10

 "Paśchāt siddhau na pramāṇavyaḥ prameyasiddhih."
- 3. How does Vātsāyana place his arguments against the following view of opponents:

 "Pratyaķṣādīnāmprāmānym trai Kālyā-siddheḥ."? Present your answer with reference to "Upalabdhihetorupalabdhivisayasya carthasya Vibhāgabacanam."

UNIT - II

- 4. Explain the correct definition of 'Yoga' following the Yogasūtras 1.2 and 1.3.
- 5. What is Citta-Vṛtti? What are its types?

 Explain the distinction between kliṣṭa and akliṣṭa

 vrtti with examples.

6. What is Vikalpa? Explain the concept of Vikalpa with examples mentioning the Yogasütra.