

2019

M.A.

4th Semester Examination

PHILOSOPHY

PAPER – PHI-404(AP)

Full Marks : 50

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.

Answer any **ONE** question from Group – A and any **ONE** question from Group – B from each unit.

UNIT – I

Group - A

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| 1. a) Define euthanasia with a comparison to suicide. | 4 |
| b) Explain the objections against non- voluntary euthanasia with examples . | 12 |
| 2. “The benefits of organ transplantation are not confined to patients” – Explain the statement with example . | 16 |

Group – B

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| 3. State the difference between active and passive euthanasia . | 4 |
| 4. Is there any medical need for gene therapy ? Answer in brief. | 4 |

UNIT – II**Group - A**

5. Explain the arguments in favour of anthropocentrism . 16
6. Do you think that we should have any moral responsibility for our future generation in respect of nature ? Give reasons . 16

Group – B

7. State any two debate regarding environmental ethics . 4
8. Briefly explain the concept of non – anthropocentrism . 4

(Internal Assessment : 10 Marks)