

**2018  
PHILOSOPHY**

Full marks: 100

Time: 3 hours

**General instructions:**

- i) *Approximately 15 minutes is allotted to read the question paper and revise the answers.*
- ii) *The question paper consists of 35 questions.*
- iii) *Marks are indicated against each question.  
Answer to questions carrying 1 mark should not exceed one sentence.  
Answer to questions carrying 2 marks should not exceed 50 words.  
Answer to questions carrying 4 marks should not exceed 100 words.  
Answer to questions carrying 6 marks should not exceed 200 words.  
Answer to questions carrying 8 marks should not exceed 300 words.*

**N.B:** *Check that all pages are complete as indicated on the top left side.*

**Choose the correct answer from the given option in Questions 1-10.**

1. Simple ideas are **1**
  - (a) inborn ideas
  - (b) directly given in experience
  - (c) formed out of simple ideas
  - (d) blank state without any ideas
  
2. The Critique of Pure Reason is a treatise about **1**
  - (a) Metaphysics
  - (b) Epistemology
  - (c) Problems of moral judgment
  - (d) Problems of aesthetic judgment
  
3. Which country bans abortion with no exception for the life of the pregnant woman? **1**
  - (a) Canada
  - (b) Ireland
  - (c) Chile
  - (d) Brazil
  
4. When one human being causes the death of another human being, it is called **1**
  - (a) genocide
  - (b) homicide
  - (c) democide
  - (d) suicide
  
5. The word social justice was coined by **1**
  - (a) David Miller
  - (b) John Rawls
  - (c) Jesuit priest Taparelli
  - (d) Aristotle
  
6. Bhagavad Gita was first translated into English in **1**
  - (a) 1685
  - (b) 1785
  - (c) 1885
  - (d) 1985
  
7. The Advaita Vedanta school is an advocate of **1**
  - (a) Monism
  - (b) qualified Monism
  - (c) Dualism
  - (d) qualified Dualism

8. Padartha means 1  
 (a) substance (b) categories  
 (c) generality (d) inherence
9. Religion can be understood as the bond between 1  
 (a) human beings and God (b) body and soul  
 (c) universe and the Gods (d) absolute and the world
10. Axiology is the study of 1  
 (a) knowledge (b) conduct  
 (c) God (d) values
11. Name any two prominent empiricists. 2
12. Mention any two ideas according to Descartes. 2
13. What are primary qualities? 2
14. What is reproductive cloning? 2
15. Name the Pitakas of Buddhism. 2
16. What is prakriti? 2
17. Explain how the Copernican revolution is ascribed to Kant. 4
18. Elaborate on social psychology. 4
19. What are the importance and uses of studying social philosophy? 4
20. Classify the Indian philosophical schools on the basis of the infallibility of Vedas. 4
21. Name the four noble truths of Buddhism. 4
22. Explain the teleological argument for the existence of God. 4
- Answer **any five** from questions 23 - 30
23. Bring out the difference between philosophy and science. 6
24. Explain subjective and objective Idealism. 6
25. Explain the three types of Ethics. 6
26. Is Indian philosophy pessimistic? Explain 6

27. What is syadvada? State the seven nayas.  $2\frac{1}{2}+3\frac{1}{2}= 6$
28. What are the seven padarthas? Explain any one of them.  $3\frac{1}{2}+2\frac{1}{2}= 6$
29. Distinguish between Laukika and Alaukika pratyaksha. 6
30. Describe the main foundations of Islam. 6

Answer **any three** from questions 31 - 35

31. What are the twelve links of casual wheel of dependent origination? 8
32. What are the eight fold practices of the yoga system? Explain any two.  $4+4=8$
33. Explain Sankara's concept of Atman. 8
34. Give an explanation on the idea of trinity in Christianity. 8
35. Explain the different kinds of Anumana\_as given by Nyaya. 8

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