

PHILOSOPHY
(Paper I)

Time Allowed : Three Hours

Maximum Marks : 300

QUESTION PAPER SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS

(Please read each of the following instructions carefully before attempting questions)

There are EIGHT questions divided in two Sections.

Candidate has to attempt FIVE questions in all.

Question Nos. 1 and 5 are compulsory and out of the remaining, any THREE are to be attempted choosing at least ONE question from each Section.

The number of marks carried by a question/part is indicated against it.

Wherever any assumptions are made for answering a question, they must be clearly indicated.

Word limit in questions, wherever specified, should be adhered to.

SECTION 'A'

1. Write short notes on any three of the following in about 200 words each: **20×3=60**
- (a) “I think therefore I am”
- (b) Hume’s views on Induction
- (c) The significance of Kant’s distinction between phenomena and noumena
- (d) Distinction between ‘saying’ and ‘showing’
2. State and discuss Plato’s theory of forms. **60**
3. Critically discuss Moore’s Refutation of Idealism. **60**
4. Discuss Sartre’s conception of freedom. **60**

SECTION 'B'

5. Write short notes on any three of the following in about 200 words each: **20×3=60**
- (a) Dehatmavada of Carvakas
- (b) Nature and kinds of Nirvana
- (c) Nature and kinds of anumanas according to Nyaya
- (d) Madhva’s conception of moksa
6. State and discuss the Buddhist notion of momentariness. **60**
7. State and discuss the Jaina doctrine of jiva. **60**
8. Why is Ramanuja’s philosophy called Visistadvaita? Discuss fully. **60**