P.G. Semester-II Examination, 2023
PHILOSOPHY

Course ID : 20652   **Course Code : PHIL202C**

Course Title : Indian Metaphysics

Time : 2 Hours   Full Marks : 40

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

GROUP-A

1. Answer any **one** of the following questions :

12×1=12

a) i) What is *lakṣanā* ?

ii) State and explain the three kinds of implications (*lakṣanā*) after Sadānanda Yogīndra .   2+10

b) i) What is meant by *ajñāna* ?

ii) Discuss the significance of each term occurring in the definition of *ajñāna* ? 2+10

2. Write short notes on any **two** of the following:

4×2=8

a) *āvaraṇaśakti* and *vikṣepaśakti*

b) *Īśvara*

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c) *pañcīkaraṇa*

d) Distinguish between *svavikalpaka samādhi* and *nirvikalpaka samādhi*

GROUP-B

3. Answer any **one** of the following questions :

12×1=12

a) i) Discuss the concept of *duḥkha* after *Sāmkhyakārikā* .

ii) Give an exposition of different kinds of *duḥkha* after *Sāmkhya Kārikā* .   6+6

b) How does Īśvarakṛṣṇa classify the twenty-five elements in the second and third *kārikā-s* of *Sāmkhyakārikā* . Explain.   12

4. Write short notes on any **two** of the following :

4×2=8

a) *Sāmkhya* theory of evolution

b) *guṇatraya*

c) *satkāryavāda*

d) Existence of *puruṣa* .

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