

Philosophy [MINOR]
[NEP]

B.A. Third Semester End Examination-2024

PAPER: PHI MI 02

Full Marks: 60

Time: 03Hrs

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.

Group-A

Answer any ten questions from the following: 10x2= 20

1. What do you mean by 'Pre-socratic Philosophy'?
2. What is the difference between Pre-socratic and Socratic philosophers?
3. Write down briefly the main thesis of Eleatic school.
4. Write down the main opinions of the sophists.
5. What is Plato's doctrine of recollection?
6. Why Descartes is called Father of Modern Western Philosophy?
7. How many ideas are accepted by Descartes and what are they?
8. What is the distinction between Natura Naturata and Natura Naturans?
9. Discuss shortly Spinoza's Intellectual love of God.
10. What is pantheism, according to Spinoza?

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11. Mention the classification of monads after Leibniz.
12. What is central concept of Heraclitus's Philosophy?
13. How does plato define knowledge?
14. What are the types of cause, according to Aristotle?
15. What does Aristotle mean by 'Find cause'?

Group-B

Answer any four questions from the following: 4x5 = 20

16. Briefly discuss the Pre-established Harmony, according Leibniz.
17. Discuss three types of knowledge admitted by Spinoza with suitable examples.
18. Explain Descartes Cartesian theory of truth.
19. Explain with example the four kinds of cause accepted by Aristotle.
20. Elucidate briefly the basic ideas of Anaximander and Anaximenes.
21. How does Aristotle's concept of substance differ from Plato's concept of Form & Matter.

Group -C

Answer any two questions of the following: **2x10 = 20**

22. Discuss Leibniz's theory of knowledge.
23. Explain and examine Descartes' theory of 'Cogito Ergo Sum'
24. Discuss Spinoza's concept of 'Parallelism'

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