2022

PHILOSOPHY (HONOURS)

(B.A. Second Semester End Examination -2022)

Paper - GE-2

Full Marks: 60

Time: 3 hours

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 of the following.

 $2 \times 10 = 20$

- 1. What is empericism?
- 2. What is extreme empericism?
- 3. What is moderate rationalism?

(Turn Over)

- 4. What is a posteriori proposition?
- 5. What is synthetic proposition?
- 6. What is analytic proposition?
- 7. Define knowledge, according to Plato.
- 8. What are the forms of sensibility?
- 9. What is the difference between appearence and reality, according to Kant?
- 10. What is scientific realism?
- 11. Give two examples of secondary qualities, according to Locke?
- 12. Mention the types of philosophical theories of causal relation.
- 13. "Real is rational, rational is real"—Who said this?
- 14. What is the main tenets of Epiphenomenalism?
- 15. "Esse est percipii'- Who says this? What does it mean?

Group - B

Answer any four questions of the following:

 $5 \times 4 = 20$

- 16. Discuss Leibnitz's view about innate ideas.
- 17. Why is representative realism called iron-curtain theory?
- 18. What are the main tenets of naive realism?
- 19. What are the main tenets of idealism? What are its different kinds?
- 20. Explain briefly the rationalist view of necessary connection theory or entailment theory of causal relation.
- 21. Briefly discuss the double aspect theory of mind-body relation.
- 22. What are the main tenets of Parallelism?

Group - C

Answer any two question of the following?

 $10 \times 2 = 20$

- 23. Discuss the critical theory of Kant.
- 24. Explain and Examine the regularity theory of causal relation, according the Hume.

- 25. What is meant by Locke's representative realism? Is this theory acceptable?
- 26. Discuss Descartes' interactionism as theory of body-mind relation.