

1/EH-20 (i) Syllabus-2015

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(November-December)

PHILOSOPHY

(Elective/Honours)

(**Epistemology and Metaphysics**)

[PHILL-11]

Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

Answer *any five* questions

1. Explain the meaning of philosophy. Explain the relationship between Philosophy and Science. 5+10=15
2. Define empiricism. How does Locke refute the doctrine of innate ideas? 5+10=15
3. What is Anumana? Name the different kinds of Anumana. Explain the Nyaya theory of Anumana. 3+2+10=15

4. Define truth. Name the different theories of truth. Explain any one theory of truth.
3+2+10=15
5. What do you understand by dualism? Give a philosophical account of dualism. 5+10=15
6. What is realism? Name the different kinds of realism. Critically examine the scientific realism of John Locke. 3+2+10=15
7. What is idealism? Give a brief account of the subjective idealism of George Berkeley.
5+10=15
8. What do you understand by the concept of substance? How do philosophers characterize it? 5+10=15
9. Define causality. Is there any invariable connection between cause and effect? Critically examine Hume's view of causality.
3+8+4=15
10. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : 7½×2=15
- (a) Rationalism
 - (b) Pratyaksha
 - (c) Monism
 - (d) Space and Time

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