4/H-20 (iv) Syllabus-2015

2025

(May-June)

PHILOSOPHY

(Honours)

(Indian Philosophy)

(PHIL: 41)

Marks: 75

Time: 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

Answer any five questions

- 1. Discuss briefly the distinctive features of Indian Philosophy.
- 2. Explain and examine the theory of Indian materialism.
- 3. Discuss in detail the twelve links of the Causal Wheel of Dependent Origination (Pratītyasamutpāda).

4.	Explain the nature of Purusa according to Sāmkhya. How does Sāmkhya prove the
	existence of the Puruṣa? $5+10=15$
5.	Discuss briefly Aṣṭāṅga Yoga with reference to Yoga system of Indian Philosophy. 15
6.	What is Padartha (Category) of Vaisesika?
	Explain them briefly. $5+10=15$
7.	Explain the Jaina doctrine of Anekāntavāda. 15
8.	What is Pratyaksa? Distinguish between ordinary
	(Laukika) and extra-ordinary (Alaukika)
	perceptions of Nyāya system. 3+12=15
9.	What, according to Sankara, is the nature of
	Brahman? What is the relation between Iśvara
	and Brahman according to Sankara? $6+9=15$
10.	Write short notes on any two of the following:
	$7\frac{1}{2} \times 2 = 15$
	(a) Orthodox and Heterodox Schools of Thought

(b) Kşanikavāda

(c) Evolution (Sāmkhya)

(d) Māyā (Advaita Vedānta)