2019
PHILOSOPHY

Full marks: 100 Time: 3 hours

General instructions:

i) Approximately 15 minutes is allotted to read the question paper and revise the answers.

ii) The question paper consists of 35 questions.

iii) Marks are indicated against each question.
Answer to questions carrying1 mark should not exceed one sentence.
Answer to questions carrying 2 marks should not exceed 50 words.
Answer to questions carrying 4 marks should not exceed 100 words.
Answer to questions carrying 6 marks should not exceed 200 words.
Answer to questions carrying 8 marks should not exceed 300 words.

N.B: Check that all pages are complete as indicated on the top left side.

Choose the correct answer from the given option in Questions 1-10.

1. Innates ideas are ideas **1**
   (a) implanted by God (b) imposed by sensation
   (c) created by imagination (d) corrected by reasoning

2 A priori knowledge means **1**
   (a) after experience (b) with experience
   (c) before experience (d) without experience

3. Berkeley is associated with **1**
   (a) absolute idealism (b) Realism
   (c) subjective idealism (d) None

4. Naive realism is also known as **1**
   (a) Representationalism (b) Scientific realism
   (c) Critical realism (d) Common-sense realism

5. Discussion on issues like suicide, abortion etc would come under **1**
   (a) meta ethics (b) normative ethics
   (c) applied ethics (d) environmental ethics

6. Name the scientist who first successfully cloned a sheep named Dolly **1**
   (a) Dr. Lee Silver (b) Dr. Richard Seed
   (c) Robert Briggs and Thomas King (d) Dr. Ian Wilmut

7. The central thought of all the schools of Indian philosophy is **1**
   (a) see the God (b) see the world
   (c) see the self (d) see the truth

8. The following is a Heterodox school **1**
   (a) Carvaka (b) Nyaya
   (c) Vaisesika (d) Yoga

9. Who is the founder of Samkhya school? **1**
   (a) Gautama (b) Kapila
   (c) Kanada (d) Patanjali

10. The book view of the evidences of Christianity is written by **1**
   (a) William Paley (b) Thomas Aquinas
   (c) St.Anslem (d) St. Augustine

11 What is science? **2**

12 What is abortion? **2**

13 Define social justice. **2**

14. Give the meaning of Pratitya Samudpada. **2**

15. Why is Jaina's metaphysics known as pluralistic realism? **2**

16. Name the kinds of valid knowledge recognized by Nyaya. **2**

17. Name the scopes of philosophy. **4**

18. Explain the dictum 'Cogito Ergo Sum'. **4**

19. How did Kant reconcile Empericism and rationalism? **4**

20. Distinguish between primary and secondary qualities. **4**

21. Name the four noble truths. **4**

22. Who is the founder of Jainism? State the three jewels of Jainism. **1+3=4**

Answer **any five** from questions 23 - 30

23. Explain the types of suicide identified by Durkeim. **6**

24. What are the controversies over Human Cloning Technology? **6**

25. Discuss the concept of social justice with special reference to John Rawls. **6**

26. What are the main teachings of Bhagavad Gita? **6**

27. What are the eight fold practices of the Yoga system? Explain any two. **6**

28. Explain the nature of Brahman. **6**

29. What is inference in Nyaya system? Explain its different kinds. **6**

30. Explain the idea of God in Islam. **6**

Answer **any three** from questions 31 - 35

31. What are the methods of philosophy? Explain. **8**

32. What are the common features of Indian Philosophy? **8**

33. Explain the process of evolution in Samkhya. **8**

34. Explain the idea of Trinity in Christianity. **8**

35. Explain the cosmological argument for the existence of God. **8**

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