

B.A. (Hons.) Part-I

Philosophy Paper -1, Indian Philosophy

1. Basic Features of Indian Philosophy.
2. Charvaka : Epistemology, Metaphysics, Ethics.
3. Jainism : Syadvada, Dravya, Jiva, Anekaitavada, Bondage and Liberation.
4. Buddhism : First, Second, Third and Fourth Noble Truth.
5. Nyaya : Epistemology – Pratyaksha, Anumana, Upamana, Sobda, Proofs for the existence of god.
6. Vaisesika : Padarth – Dravya, Guna, Karma, Samanya, Visesa, Samavaya, Abhava.
7. Sankhya : Satkaryaavada, Purusa, Prakriti, Evolution, Bondage and Liberation.
8. Yoga : Eightfold Path, Concept of god.
9. Mimansa : Apurva.
10. Advaita Vedanta (Sankara) : Brahman, World, Maya, Self (Atman).
11. Vishistadyaita Vedanta (Ramanuja) : Refutation of Sankara's Mayavada, Brahman, Self (Action).

Recommended Books :-

1. Bhartiya Darshan – Chattierjee and Dutta.
2. Bhartiya Darshan – Harendra Prasad Sinha.
3. A Critical Survey of Indian Philosophy – C.D. Sharma
4. Indian Philosophy – S. Radhakrishnaon.
5. Indian Philosophy – S.N. Das Gupta.

Distribution of Marks

5 out of 10 = 20x5=100

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Philosophy Paper II

Epistemology and Metaphysics

1. Nature of Philosophy, Its relation with science and Religion.
2. Theories related to sources of knowledge – Rationalism, Empiricism and Criticism
3. Relation between knower and known – Realism, Epistemological Idealism,
4. Nature and number of Ultimate Reality –Materialism, Neutralism, Monism, Dualism, Pluralism.
5. Relation between god and world – Deism, Theism, Pantheism, Panentheism.
6. Creationism and Evolutionism – Darwin's theory of Biological Evolution.
7. Theories of Truth – Correspondence, Coherence, Programmatic
8. Causality – Aristotle, Mill, Hume.

Recommended Books :

1. Gyanmimansa evam Tattvamimansa – Rajendra Prasad
2. _____ Do _____ - Kedar Nath Tiwari
3. _____ Do _____ - Ashok Kumar Verma

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