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**M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATIONS, DECEMBER 2024**

**Second Semester**

**M.A. Philosophy**

**M23PH06DC – Indian Philosophy II**

**(2023 July admissions)**

**Time: 3 Hours**

**Max Marks: 70**

**Section A**

**Answer any ten of the following questions in a word or sentence each. Each question carries 1 mark.**

1. Nyaya focuses on -----
2. What is meant by anubhava?
3. Name the two stages of perception.
4. Briefly explain Anyathakhyativada.
5. Write a note on Samkhya dualism.
6. What are the three qualities of Prakrti?
7. What are the two forms of Satkaryavada?
8. Define the term yoga.
9. What is the major work on Mimamsa Philosophy?
10. Write a note on Anupalabdhi.
11. Explain briefly Kumarila's theory of error.
12. Give an account of mimamsa's notion of Dharma.
13. What is meant by Apurva?
14. How is Brahman described in Advaita?
15. What are the three primary qualities?

**(1X10=10)**

**Section B**

**Answer any five of the following questions in two or three sentences each. Each question carries 2 marks.**

16. Briefly explain the historical precedence of Vaiseshika philosophy.
17. What are the means for attaining knowledge according to Nyaya?
18. Define Purusha.
19. Write a note on five tanmatras.
20. Discuss the similarities between Samkhya and Yoga.

21. Give an account of Asanas.
22. Demonstrate the notion of moksha in Prabhakara's philosophy.
23. Explain Sankara's theory of error.
24. Elucidate Madhva's epistemological outlook.
25. Describe Ramanuja's metaphysical perspective.

(2X5=10)

### Section C

**Answer any five of the following questions in a paragraph each. Each question carries 4 marks.**

26. Give an account of Nyayasutra.
27. What are the four key factors in perception?
28. Demonstrate the components of Nyaya syllogism.
29. Explain briefly Asatkaryavada.
30. Elucidate Samkhya's notion of plurality of Purusha.
31. Write a note on Kleshas.
32. How does Sankara explain the concept of Maya.
33. Describe Dvaitadvaitavada of Nimbarka.

(4X5=20)

### Section D

**Answer any three of the following questions in two pages each. Each question carries 10 marks.**

34. Discuss different types of perception according to Nyaya.
35. Describe the seven fundamental categories in Vaiseshika philosophy.
36. Explain Prakrti parinamavada.
37. Bring out the importance of Yama and Niyama in the personal growth.
38. Compare and contrast Saguna Brahma and Nirguna Brahma.
39. Demonstrate the theory of salvation described by Madhva.

(10X3=30)