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M. A. (PHILOSOPHY) (MAPY)

Term-End Examination

June, 2025

MPYE-014 : PHILOSOPHY OF MIND

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : (i) Answer all the **five** questions.

(ii) All questions carry equal marks.

(iii) Answer to question Nos. 1 and 2
should be in about **500** words each.

1. Write an essay on the relation between mind
and language. 20

Or

Discuss the importance and scope of
Philosophy of Mind.

2. Explain some of the theories proposed as
solutions to the problem of mind-body
interaction. 20

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Or

What is Machine Intelligence ? How would you distinguish strong AI from weak AI ?

3. Answer any *two* of the following questions in about **250** words each :

(a) Explain Wittgenstein's account of understanding. 10

(b) What is Plato's stand on the survival of mind after death ? Explain. 10

(c) Write a detailed note on the Sāṃkhya theory of perception. 10

(d) Elaborate upon the Phenomenology of lived body. 10

4. Answer any *four* of the following questions in about **150** words each :

(a) Distinguish between simple and complex ideas. 5

(b) How is volition connected to free will ? 5

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- (c) What do you understand by personal identity ? 5
- (d) Is 'understanding' a process or a state ? 5
- (e) How does Hinduism view dreams ? 5
- (f) Do you agree that 'Love is related to volition' ? 5
5. Write short notes on any *five* of the following in about **100** words each :
- (a) Monism 4
- (b) Functionalism 4
- (c) Animal Intelligence 4
- (d) Abhihitānvaya-vāda 4
- (e) Ghost in the machine 4
- (f) Perception 4
- (g) Bodily continuity 4
- (h) Emotional mind 4

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