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M. A. IN PHILOSOPHY (MAPY)

Term-End Examination

June, 2025

MPYE-016 : PHILOSOPHY OF SRI AUROBINDO

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : *Answer all the **five** questions. All questions carry equal marks. Answer to question nos. 1 and 2 should be in about 500 words each.*

1. Discuss the important aspects of Integral world view developed by Sri Aurobindo and examine the relevance of it. 20

Or

- Explain Aurobindo's vision of evolution and bring out the distinctiveness of it. 20
2. "According to Aurobindo, the growing urge towards spiritual growth in humanity today is the push of consciousness force towards

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the next higher rung of evolution.” Elucidate this statement. 20

Or

Examine the objects and the foundations of Integral Yoga. 20

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

(a) Discuss the concept of jiva-atman in the philosophy of Sri Aurobindo. 10

(b) Analyse the significance of moral and physical education in the Integral Education Scheme of Aurobindo. 10

(c) Examine Aurobindo's response to Visiṣṭadvaita of Ramanuja. 10

(d) Discuss Aurobindo's views on the Upanishads. 10

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

(a) Explain briefly the relation between matter and spirit in the philosophy of Sri Aurobindo. 5

(b) Discuss the distinctiveness of Integral Yoga of Sri Aurobindo. 5

- (c) Elucidate briefly the major works of Aurobindo. 5
- (d) Examine Aurobindo's views on knowledge and ignorance. 5
- (e) Expound Aurobindo's organic conception of reality. 5
- (f) "According to Aurobindo, the progress of the civilization is depended on its advance towards human unity." Explain this statement. 5
5. Write short notes on any *five* of the following in about **100** words each :
- (a) Tat-Tvan Asi and Aurobindo 4
- (b) Supermind 4
- (c) Psychic and Spiritual education 4
- (d) Triple Transformation 4
- (e) The Lila of Consciousness 4
- (f) Psychic being 4
- (g) Maya : The power of becoming 4
- (h) Integral Advaita 4

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