

# M.A. II<sup>nd</sup> Semester

## Paper I

### Problems of Indian Philosophy

#### Unit-I

##### **Vedanta**

**Advaita:** Rejection of difference: Adhyasa, maya, three grades of satta, jiva, jivanmukti, videhmukti, vivartavada

**Visistadvaita:** Saguna Brahman, refutation of maya, aprthaksiddhi, Parinamavada, Jiva, bhakti and praptti

**Dvaita:** Rejection of nirguna braman and maya, bheda and saksi, bhakti

#### Unit-II

##### **Madhava, Nimbarka and Vallabha**

Brahman: Definition and interpretations, distinction between saguna and nirguna and its relevance in the formation of different schools of vedanta

Maya: Its nature, arguments for and against maya

Atman: Its nature, relation between atman and brahman, Jiva, interpretation of mahavakyas *e.g.* tat tvamasi

Moksa: Nature and types, marga or sadhana, roles played by Jnana, karma and bhakti, different conceptions of bhakti

Theories of Causation, Brahman as the cause of the world: Different interpretation, prama, pramanas, special role played by sabda pramana and intuition (Saksatkara/aparoksanubhut), theories of khyatis

#### Unit-III

Vyavaharika and paramarthika satta

Nitya and anitya drava, karanata

#### Unit-IV

Akasa, Dik and Kala

Samanya and Sambandha

## Unit-V

Cit, Acit and Atman

Shabd-Sangrah

### Recommended Books

1. डॉ. एन.के. देवराज : भारतीय दर्शन
2. डॉ. बंदिस्ट (सपा.) : भारतीय दार्शनिक निबन्ध
3. डॉ. राधाकृष्णन : भारतीय दर्शन – भाग 1 एवं 2
4. डॉ. बी.एन. सिंह : भारतीय दर्शन
5. डॉ. चन्द्रधर शर्मा : भारतीय दर्शन का सर्वेक्षण
6. डॉ. चक्रधर शर्मा : भारतीय न्यायशास्त्र
7. डॉ. अभेदानन्द : तर्कभाषा
8. R.D. Ranade : Constructive Survey of Upanisadic Philosophy
9. Hiriyanna : An Outline of Indian Philosophy
10. Das Gupta : History of Indian Philosophy

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## Paper II

### Modern Western Philosophy

#### Unit-I

##### Rationalism

**Descartes:** Conception of method and the need for method in philosophy, clarity and distinctness as the criterion of truth, doubt and methodological scepticism, the *cogito*-intuition or inference? innate ideas, the 'real' distinction between mind and matter, role of God, proofs for the existence of God, mind-body interactionalism

#### Unit-II

**Spinoza:** Substance, Attribute and Mode, the concept of 'God or Nature', the mind-body problem, pantheism, three orders of knowing

**Leibniz:** Monadology, truths of reason and truths of fact, innateness of all ideas, proofs for the existence of God, principles of non-contradiction, sufficient reason and identity of indiscernibles, the doctrine of pre-established harmony, problem of freedom and philosophy

#### Unit-III

##### Empiricism

**Locke:** Ideas and their classification, refutation of innate ideas, theory of knowledge, three grades of knowledge, theory of substance, distinction between primary and secondary qualities

**Berkeley:** Refutation of the distinction between primary and secondary qualities, immaterialism, critique of abstract ideas, *esse est percipi*, the problem of solipsism; God and self

#### Unit-IV

**Hume:** Impressions and ideas, knowledge concerning relations of ideas and knowledge concerning matters of fact, induction and causality, the external world and the self, personal identity, refutation of metaphysics, scepticism, reason and the passions

**Kant:** The critical philosophy, classification of judgements, possibility of synthetic *a priori* judgements, the Copernican revolution, forms of sensibility, categories of understanding, the metaphysical and the transcendental deduction of the categories, phenomenon and noumenon, the ideas of Reason, soul, God and world as a whole, freedom and immortality, refutation of speculative metaphysics

#### Unit-V

**Hegel:** The conception of *Geist* (spirit), the dialectical method, concepts of being, non-being and becoming, absolute idealism

## **Karl Marx: Reality, Knowledge and Dialectical method**

### **Recommended Books**

1. फ्रेंक थिली : पाश्चात्य दर्शन का इतिहास
2. जगदीश सहाय श्रीवास्तव : पाश्चात्य दर्शन की दार्शनिक प्रवृत्तियां
3. जगदीश सहाय श्रीवास्तव : ग्रीक एवं मध्ययुगीन दर्शन का वैज्ञानिक इतिहास
4. दयाकृष्ण (संपा.) : पाश्चात्य दर्शन का इतिहास (भाग-1 और भाग-2)
5. याकूब मसीह : पाश्चात्य आधुनिक दर्शन की समीक्षात्मक व्याख्या
6. W.T. Stace : A Critical History of Greek Philosophy
7. Frank Thilly : A History of Philosophy
8. Karl Marx : Holy Family, Capital, German Ideology

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## Paper III

### Moral Philosophy

#### Unit-I

The Nature And Scope of Ethics

Greek Ethics

1. Socrates – Knowledge is virtue
2. Plato – Cardinal virtue
3. Aristotle – Golden Mean

#### Unit-II

Western Ethics

1. Intuitionism – Meaning and Classification
2. Kant – Categorical Imperative

#### Unit-III

1. Mill, Bentham – Utilitarianism
2. Bradley – Perfectionism

#### Unit-IV

1. Prechard, Ross - Deontological Theory
2. Theories of Punishment

## Unit-V

### Indian Ethics

1. General Introduction & Basic Indian Moral Terms : Rit, Rina, Dharma-Adharma, Purushartha, Varnashrama
2. Theory of Karma
3. Ethics of Geeta : Swadharma, Nishkama, Karma Yoga

### Books Recommended

1. संगम लाल पाण्डे : नीतिशास्त्र का सर्वेक्षण
2. विनोबा भावे : गीता प्रवचन
3. रामनाथ शर्मा : नीतिशास्त्र की रूपरेखा
4. ईश्वरचन्द्र शर्मा : पश्चिमी आचार शास्त्र का आलोचनात्मक अध्ययन
5. मिश्र और अवस्थी : नीतिशास्त्र की भूमिका
6. एच.एन. मिश्र : नीतिशास्त्र
7. शुकदेव शास्त्री : भारतीय नीति दर्शन
8. दिवाकर पाठक : भारतीय नीतिशास्त्र का इतिहास
9. अशोक कुमार वर्मा : नीतिशास्त्र की रूपरेखा
10. J. S. Sinha : Ethics
11. William Lillie : Introduction of Ethics
12. Mackenzie : Manual of Ethics

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## Paper IV

### Logic

#### Unit- I

##### **Methods of Deduction**

Formal Proof of Validity

The Elementary Valid Argument Forms

Formal Proofs of Validity Exhibited

Constructing Formal Proofs of Validity

Constructing More Extended Formal proofs

Expanding the rules of Inference: Replacement Rules

The System of Natural Deduction

Constructing Formal Proofs Using the Nineteen Rules of Inference

Proof of Invalidity

Inconsistency

Indirect Proof of Validity

Shorter Truth-Table Technique

#### Unit- II

##### **Quantification Theory**

The Need for Quantification

Singular Proposition

Universal and Existential Quantifiers

Traditional Subject-Predicate Propositions

### **Unit-III**

#### **Quantification Theory**

Proving Validity

Proving Invalidity

Asyllogistic Inference

### **Unit-IV**

**Sets:** Patrick Suppes

Introduction, Membership, Inclusion, The Empty Set, Operations on Sets, Domains of Individuals, Translating Everyday Language, Venn Diagrams, Elementary Principles About Operations on Sets

### **Unit-V**

**Relations:** Patrick Suppes

Definition of Relations, Properties of Binary Relations, Equivalence Relations, Operations on Relation

#### **Recommended Books**

1. इरविंग एम. कापी : तर्कशास्त्र का परिचय
2. P.S. Strawson : Introduction to Logical Theory
3. Irving M. Copi : Introduction to Logic
4. Irving M. Copi : Symbolic Logic
5. Cohen and Nagel : Introduction to Logic & Scientific Method
6. Irving M. Copi : Readings and Logic



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## Paper V

### Ethics and Profession

#### Unit-I

### **Ethics in Business, Industry and Technology**

#### **1. Issues in Internal Corporate Relations**

- Hiring, Firing and Pay Practices
- Buyers' Rights and Sellers' Obligations

#### Unit-II

#### **2. Issues in External Corporate Relations**

- Environmental Responsibilities of Business
- The social responsibility of business

#### Unit-III

#### **3. Issues in Technology Management**

- Information technology
- The technologist's role

#### Unit-IV

### **Ethics in Criminal Justice and Law**

#### **4. Crime and the Goals of Criminal Justice**

- The goals of criminal justice
- The lawyers' role

## Unit-V

### 5. The Ethics of Punishment

- Nature and goals of punishment
- The justice of punishment

### Recommended Books

1. जार्ज एडवर्ड मूर : नीतिशास्त्र मीमांसा
2. Peter Singer : Practical Ethics
3. Kant : Ground works of morals
4. David Apple Baum & Lawtion : Ethics and Professions
5. Stevenson : Ethics and Language

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**Paper VI**

**Sufi Ka Sansar**

**Unit-I**

**The Garden of Eden, The Mythological World Picture  
The Natural Philosopher, Democritus, Socrates**

**Unit-II**

**Athens, Plato, Aristotle  
Yunanvada, Middle Age, Renaissance**

**Unit-III**

**Descartes, Spinoza, Locke  
Hume, Berkeley**

**Unit-IV**

**The Age of Enlightenment, Romanticism**

**Unit-V**

**Krekagard, Karl Marx, Darwin, Freud**

**Recommended Book**

**जस्टिन गार्डर : सोफी का संसार**