2023

4th Semester Examination PHILOSOPHY (Honours)

Paper: GE 4-T

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Full Marks: 60 Time: Three Hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

[Environmental Ethics]

Group - A

Answer any *ten* questions from the following: $2 \times 10 = 20$

- 1. What is meant by Environmental Ethics?
- 2. What is Anthropocentrism?
- 3. What is meant by Non-Anthropocentrism?
- 4. Does Anthropocentrism recognize the intrinsic value of Non-human beings?
- 5. What are the main theoretical causes of Environmental problems?
- 6. What is meant by Ecology?

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- 7. What is Symbiosis?
- 8. What is meant by Land Ethics?
- 9. In which ethics associates by Aldo Leopold?
- 10. What is meant by Deep Ecology?
- 11. What is meant by shallow Ecology?
- 12. Who is the authors of 'The Shallow and the deep. Long Range Ecology movement'?
- 13. What is meant by 'Ecosophy T'?
- 14. Who is the authors of 'Respect for Nature'?
- 15. In which year 'The Environment Protection Act' established?

Group - B

Answer any *four* the following questions. $5 \times 4 = 20$

- 16. Difference between Anthropocentrism and Non-Anthropocentrism?
- 17. Does Anthropocentrism assert dominance over nature? Give reasons for your answer.
- 18. What is meant by Holism? Discuss.
- 19. Discuss the main tenets of Deep ecology.
- 20. Explain in brief Land Ethics.
- 21. Explain the concept of 'Ecosophy T' after Arne Naess.

Group - C

Answer any two questions.

 $10 \times 2 = 20$

- 22. What is Anthropocentrism? Explain and examine the roots and implications of Anthropocentrism.
- 23. Whether preservation of natural environment is necessary for future generation? Discuss.
- 24. Difference between Deep Ecology and Shallow Ecology.
- 25. Should we have reverence for life and plants? Explain your view in details in this regard.

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যে কোন দশটি প্রশ্নের উত্তর দাও : ২×১০=২০

- ১। পরিবেশগত নীতিবিদ্যা বলতে কী বোঝায়?
- ২। মানবকেন্দিকতাবাদ কী ?
- ৩। অমানবকেন্দ্রিকতাবাদ বলতে কী বোঝায়?
- ৪। মানবকেন্দ্রিকতাবাদে মনুষ্যেতর প্রাণীর স্বতঃমূল্য স্বীকার করা হয় কী?
- ৫। পরিবেশগত সমস্যার মূল তাত্ত্বিক কারণ কী?
- ৬। বাস্তুতন্ত্র বলতে কী বোঝায়?

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OR

[Termination of Life and Ethics]

Group - A

Answer any *ten* questions from the following: $2 \times 10 = 20$

- 1. What is meant by the terms 'Euthanasia'?
- 2. What is Non-voluntary Euthanasia?
- 3. Give the definition of Passive Euthanasia.
- 4. What is Zygot?
- 5. Write two characteristics of Voluntary Euthanasia?
- 6. What are the kinds of Euthanasia?
- 7. Why Euthanasia is known as 'peace death'?
 - 8. What do you mean by active Euthanasia?
 - 9. State any two arguments given by Peter Singer against Voluntary Euthanasia.
- 10. Name two countries where Euthanasia is legally accepted.
- 11. What is Abortion?
- 12. State the views of Utilitarianism regarding Euthanasia.
- 13. Give an argument against Abortion.
- 14. What is feminist argument about Abortion?

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15. Is Abortion morally justified in the present scenario? Give one reason in favour of your answer.

Group - B

Answer any *four* the following questions. $5\times4=20$

- 16. Discuss the background of Euthanasia.
- 17. Write a short note on 'Voluntary Euthanasia'.
- 18. Distinguish between active and passive Euthanasia.
- 19. Is Abortion morally justified? Discuss.
- 20. What do you mean by 'Involuntary Euthanasia'?
- 21. What is the difference between 'fetus' and 'infant'? Explain.

Group - C

Answer any *two* questions. $10 \times 2 = 20$

- 22. What are the conditions of Euthanasia? Discuss.
- 23. Is Euthanasia morally good? Give reasons for your answer.
- 24. What are the arguments in favour of abortion?
- 25. What are the conservative arguments regarding abortion?