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(5th Semester)

PHILOSOPHY

Paper No. : PHI-501

(Ethics : Western and Indian)

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 45%

Time : 3 hours

(PART : B—DESCRIPTIVE)

(Marks : 45)

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

1. Define morality. Describe the nature of morality. 2+7=9

Or

What is the meaning of moral judgement? Explain the nature of moral judgement. 3+6=9

2. Explain freedom as understood in relation to morality. 9

Or

Discuss the concept of right by bringing out its moral implications. 9

3. “Goodwill is the only good without qualification.” Elucidate this statement of Kant. 9

Or

What is Categorical Imperative? Critically discuss. 9

4. What is utilitarianism? Explain with reference to the quantitative utilitarianism of Bentham. 2+7=9

Or

Explain J. S. Mill’s utilitarianism by bringing out how his theory differs from Bentham’s. 9

5. What is meant by Purusharthas? Explain. 9

Or

What is the central teaching of the *Bhagavad Gita*? Explain with reference to the ethics of the *Gita*. 9
