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SANHCC-601T/332**

**TDC (CBCS) Even Semester Exam., 2024**

**SANSKRIT**

**( 6th Semester )**

Course No. : SANHCC-601T

**( Indian Ontology and Epistemology )**

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 28

Time : 3 hours

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

**UNIT—I**

1. Answer any two of the following : 2×2=4

(a) Name the different schools of Vedic philosophy.

(b) What do you mean by Āstika philosophy?

(c) Who is the author of (i) Yogasūtra and  
(ii) Yogabhāṣya?



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2. Answer any *one* of the following :

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- (a) Write a note on Sāṃkhya school of Indian philosophy.
- (b) Write a note on Saugata school of Indian philosophy.

## UNIT—II

3. Answer any *two* of the following :

2×2=4

- (a) How many Tattvas are accepted in Sāṃkhya school of Indian philosophy? Name them.
- (b) How many types of Kāraṇas are accepted by Nyāya school of Indian philosophy? Name them.
- (c) What do you understand by Satkāryavāda?

4. Answer any *one* of the following :

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- (a) Distinguish between Prakṛti and Puruṣa according to Sāṃkhya school.
- (b) Discuss the theory of Satkāryavāda and Asatkāryavāda according to Sāṃkhya and Nyāya schools.

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## UNIT—III

5. Answer any *two* of the following :

2×2=4

- (a) How many Dravyas are there in *Tarkasamgraha*? Name them.
- (b) What is the definition of Dravya?
- (c) How many Guṇas are accepted by Annambhaṭṭa in *Tarkasamgraha*? Name any four of them.

6. Answer any *one* of the following :

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- (a) Can Tamas be considered as a Dravya according to Nyāya school of Indian philosophy? Justify your answer with reasons.
- (b) Discuss the concept of साधर्म्य and वैधर्म्य according to *Tarkasamgraha*.

## UNIT—IV

7. Answer any *two* of the following :

2×2=4

- (a) What is Savikalpaka Pratyakṣa?
- (b) What do you understand by Pratyakṣa Pramā (प्रत्यक्ष प्रमा)?
- (c) What do you understand by Anumiti?



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8. Answer any *one* of the following : 10

- (a) Discuss the importance of Anumāna in epistemology.
- (b) Write a note on Verbal Testimony (शब्द-प्रमाण).

UNIT—V

9. Answer any *two* of the following : 2×2=4

- (a) What is the result of Pratyakṣa and Upamāna Pramāṇa?
- (b) Distinguish between Karaṇa and Hetu.
- (c) Write a definition of Vyāpti.

10. Answer any *one* of the following : 10

- (a) Write notes on the following :

(i) पञ्चावयव

(ii) परामर्शः

- (b) Write notes on the following :

(i) आकाङ्क्षा

(ii) पद

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