

**2023/TDC(CBCS)/EVEN/SEM/  
PHIGE-601T/194**

**TDC (CBCS) Even Semester Exam., 2023**

**PHILOSOPHY**

**( 6th Semester )**

Course No. : PHIGE-601T

**( Ethics )**

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 28

Time : 3 hours

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

**SECTION—A**

Answer any *twenty* of the following questions : 1×20=20

1. What is the literal meaning of the term 'ethics'?
2. What is the ideal of ethics?
3. What is virtue?
4. Who is the subject of moral judgement?
5. "Rights and duties are co-related to each other."  
Is it true?
6. Name two basic forms of hedonism.

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7. What, according to Mill, is the test of quality?
8. Was Gandhi an utilitarian?
9. "Virtue is the choice of the mean." Who said this?
10. How many dimensions of pleasure are there according to Bentham?
11. What is goodwill, according to Kant?
12. Name two rights of man.
13. Name the two kinds of Dharma.
14. What is Swadharma?
15. "Niskama Karma means renunciation of action." Is it true?
16. What is the highest good or 'the summum bonum' of human life according to Hindu ethics?
17. How many Tirthankaras are there in Jainism?
18. Who is the founder of Buddhism?
19. Mention the two sects of Jainism.
20. Does Buddha believe in the law of Karma?
21. Mention any one issue of applied ethics.
22. What is environmental pollution?

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23. What is Capital Punishment?
24. What is the relation between good and right?
25. What is deep ecology?

SECTION—B

Answer any five of the following questions : 2×5=10

26. Name two metaethical philosophers.
27. What is meant by right?
28. What do you mean by utilitarianism?
29. Name two kinds of virtues as accepted by Aristotle.
30. What is categorical imperative according to Kant?
31. What is Nishkama Karma?
32. What is Purushartha?
33. What is Ashtangika Marga or the Eightfold Path in Buddhism?
34. Define ecocentrism.
35. What is punishment? What, according to you, is the best theory of punishment?

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SECTION—C

Answer any five of the following questions :  $8 \times 5 = 40$

36. Define ethics. Discuss the scope of ethics.  $2+6=8$
37. What is moral judgement? What is the object of moral judgement? Discuss.  $2+6=8$
38. Compare and contrast hedonistic theory of Bentham and Mill. 8
39. What is virtue, according to Aristotle? Explain Aristotle's concept of Golden Mean.  $2+6=8$
40. What, according to Kant are the postulates of morality? Explain Kant's theory of duty for duty's sake.  $2+6=8$
41. Explain the concept of Swadharma as found in the *Gita*. 8
42. Explain Purushartha as a moral ideal in Hindu ethics. 8
43. Give a brief outline of Jaina ethics. 8
44. Explain the major issues of environmental ethics. 8
45. Critically explain the deterrent theory of punishment. 8

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