

Post Graduate :
SYLLABUS FOR M.A. PHILOSOPHY
TRIPURA UNIVERSITY

FIRST SEMESTER

PAPER: 1st (101)

INDIAN METAPHYSICS : 100 MARKS (**Including Internal Assessment**)

FIRST HALF : MARKS : 50

(1) Prasastapadacarya : Padarthadharmasamgraha
Uddesa of six padarthas, Paramanusiddhi, Samavaya, Samanya and
Visesa pariksa

SECOND HALF: MARKS: 50

- (1.) Dharmaraja Adhvarindra : Vedanta Paribhasa
Chapter VII & VIII
- (2) Isvarakrsna :Samkhya Karika
Karika 1, 2 & 9 to 21

PAPER 2nd (102)

WESTERN METAPHYSICS: 100 MARKS
(Including Internal Assessment)

FIRST HALF :MARKS : 50

(1) Plato : The Republic

SECOND HALF: MARKS : 50

(2) Aristotle
Metaphysica
Book A Chapt. 1-10. Book I Chaps 1-2.

THIRD PAPER (103)

**INDIAN SOCIAL & POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY:100 MARKS
(Including Internal Assessment)**

FIRST HALF : MARKS 50

M. K. Gandhi (i) Hind Swaraj
(ii) Truth and God, Ahimsa (Non-violence),
Satyagraha, Sarvodaya, Ends and Means and Self-
Surrender.

SECOND HALF : MARKS 50

Dr. B R Ambedkar : Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar: Writings and
Speeches Vol-I
(i) Castes in India: Their mechanisms , genesis and
development (ii) Annihilation of caste (iii) Buddha and
Karl Marx (iv) Buddha and His Dhamma (v)
Mr. Gandhi and emancipation of the untouchables (vi)
What Congress and Gandhi have done for the untouchables

FOURTH PAPER (104)

**WESTERN SOCIAL & POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY:100 MARKS
(Including Internal Assessment)**

FIRST HALF: MARKS 50

J.S. Mill : On Liberty
Chapters: I, II, III & IV

SECOND HALF: MARKS 50

Karl Marks (1) Economic and Philosophical Manuscript (1844)

communism
Capitalism,
production of

Alienated labour, private property and
(2) The materialist Conception of History (1844—47)
Class antagonism, the rise and downfall of
Commodities: Use value and exchange value, the
surplus value

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SECOND SEMESTER

5th Paper (201)

**INDIAN EPISTEMOLOGY: 100 MARKS
(Including Internal Assessment)**

FIRST HALF: MARKS: 50

(1) Dharmaraja Adhvarindra: Vedanta Paribhasa
Prama, Pratyaksa, Upamiti, Sabda,
Arthapatti & Anupalabdhi

SECOND HALF: MARKS: 50

(1) Narayan Bhatta : Manameyodaya
Prama-laksana, Pratyaksa, Upamiti,
Arthapatti & Anupalabdhi

6th Paper (202)

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**WESTERN EPISTEMOLOGY: 100
MARKS (Including Internal Assessment)**

FIRST HALF: MARKS: 50

Immanuel Kant: Critique of Pure Reason (Selected Portions)

SECOND HALF: MARKS 50

A.J. Ayer : The Problem of Knowledge (**Selected Portions**)

7th Paper (203)

INDIAN ETHICS:100 MARKS (Including Internal Assessment)

FIRST HALF: MARKS 50

Selected portions from The Gita

SECOND HALF: MARKS 50

Laugaskhi Bhaskar: Artha Sangraha (Selected Portions)

8th Paper (204)

WESTERN ETHICS:100 MARKS (Including Internal Assessment)

FIRST HALF: MARKS 50

Immanuel Kant : GroundWork of the Metaphysic of Morals (Selected Portions)

SECOND HALF: MARKS 50

1. G.E. Moore : Principia Ethica(Selected Portions)
or
2. Philippa Foot(Edited) : Theories of Ethics (Selected Portions)

**SYLLABUS
FOR
M.A. 3rd SEMESTER**

Paper-IX (301)

**INDIAN PHILOSOPHY OF LANGUAGE
Full Marks: 100 (INCLUDING INTERNAL ASSESSMENT)**

First Half: 50 Marks

Visvanatha Nyayapancanan :Bhasaparccheda with
Siddhantamuktavali

Sabda Khanda

Second Half: 50 Marks

1. Bhartrhari : Vakyapadiya -Brahma Kanda(1st Adhyaya)
Theory of Sphota, Import of words.
- 2..Dharmakirti : Nyaya Vindu (Kalpana, Svalaksana, Samanya
laksana)
- 3.Patanjali : Mahabhasya (Selected portion)

Paper-X (302)

WESTERN PHILOSOPHY OF LANGUAGE

Full Marks: 100 (INCLUDING INTERNAL ASSESSMENT)

First Half: (50 Marks)

Ludwig Wittgenstein: Philosophical Investigations (Select Portion)

Or

Ludwig Wittgenstein: Tractatus Logico-Philosophicus (Select
Portion)

Second Half: (50 Marks)

Rober R. Ammerman: Classic of Analytical Philosophy

(a) B. Russell: Descriptions

(b) A.J. Ayer: (i) Elimination of Metaphysics

(ii) Principle of Verification

© W.V.O Quine: Two Dogmas of Empiricism

Or

Criterion of Carl Hempel: Problems and Changes in the Empiricist
Meaning
(d) Strawson: On Referring.

**SPECIAL PAPER
PAPER - XI (303)
PSYCHOLOGY**

Full Marks: 100 (INCLUDING INTERNAL ASSESSMENT)

First Half: Marks-50

(i) William James: Principles of Psychology (Vol.-I).
Chapters: I, VII, IX, X, XIII, XV.

Second Half: Marks-50

(ii) William James: Principles of Psychology (Vol.-II)
Chapters: XVII, XX, XXIV, XXV, XXVI.

**PAPER-XII (304): SPECIAL PAPER
PSYCHOLOGY**

Full Marks: 100 (INCLUDING INTERNAL ASSESSMENT)

First Half (Marks- 50)

(i) Krech and Crutchfield: Theory and Problems of Social
Psychology
: Chapters: I, X, XI.

Second Half: Marks-50

(ii) J.P. Sartre : The Psychology of Imagination
: Chapters: I, II and Conclusion.

**SYLLABUS
FOR
M.A. 4th SEMESTER
Paper-XIII (401)
INDIAN LOGIC**

Full Marks: 100 (INCLUDING INTERNAL ASSESSMENT)

First Half: Indian Logic (50 Marks)

Nyaya Sutra of Gautama with Vatsyayana Bhasya: Vol: I & II (Select portion)

**Second Half
(50 Marks)**

(i) Paramarsa and Paksata (Nyaya perspective)

(ii) Hetvabhas (do)

(iii) Khyativada

**Paper-XIV (402)
WESTERN LOGIC**

Full Marks: 100 (INCLUDING INTERNAL ASSESSMENT)

First Half: (50 Marks)

Sentential Logic

(Chapter-2)

Expansion(Appendix-B)

limits

Fundamentals of

(1) Irving .M. Copi: Symbolic Logic

I. Arguments Containing Compound Statements

II. Quantification Theory (Chapter-4.1): Translation

iii. Use of dots as Brackets(Chapter 9.3)

iv. Stroke & Daggar Operators(Chap 9.5)

v. Normal Form And Boolean

(2) Richard Jeffrey: Formal Logic: Its scope and

Chapters:

I: Truth Functional Inference

II: Truth Trees

IV: Conditionals

(3). Alice Ambrose and Morris Lazerowitz:

Symbolic Logic.

Chapters:

III: Truth Functions

V: Truth Functions (Continued)

Second Half: (50 Marks)

Logic of Deduction: 1. Irving .M. Copi: Symbolic Logic

validity and

validity and

I. Methods of Deductions (Chapter-3): testing the
invalidity

II. Quantification Theory (Chapter-4): testing the
invalidity

limits

2. Richard Jeffrey: Formal Logic: Its scope and
Tree Method for testing the validity and invalidity

SPECIAL PAPER

PAPER - XV (403) PSYCHOLOGY

Full Marks: 100 (INCLUDING INTERNAL ASSESSMENT)

First Half: 50 Marks

Woodworth : Contemporary Schools of Psychology -
(i) Functional & Structural Psychology
(ii) Behaviourism

Second Half: 50 Marks

Woodworth : Contemporary Schools of Psychology
(1) Associationism Old & New
(11) Gestalt Psychology

PAPER-XVI (404): SPECIAL PAPER

PSYCHOLOGY

Full Marks: 100 (INCLUDING INTERNAL ASSESSMENT)

First Half (Marks- 50)

Sigmund Freud: The Ego and the Id (Select portion)

Second Half: Marks-50

P. Stern: The Abnormal Person and His World: Chapters: 1, 2,
3,4,5,7.