

2009

PHILOSOPHY

PAPER—1201

Full Marks : 40

Time : 2 hours

Answer any **two** questions from Group—A
and **one** question from Group—B

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their
own words as far as practicable*

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary

GROUP—A

Answer any *two* questions of the following: 16 × 2

1. (a) State and explain the definition of *sāmānya* as given by Viswanātha.

(b) What are the different varieties of *sāmānya* admitted by Visvanatha ?

(c) Is *ākāśātva* a *jāti*? 6+6+4

2. How does *viśvanātha* try to establish *dravyatva jāti* by three inferences? 16
3. Explain after the *Bhāṣāpariccheda* the different types of *upādhi* that are the *viśaya* of *kṣanādi vyavahāra*. 16
4. How does *Viśvanāth* criticize the *Vedāntin's* view — 'nityavijñānamevātma' ? 16

GROUP—B

Answer any *one* question of the following: 8

5. Write a short discourse on the *Nyāya* concept of *samavāya*.

6. '*Śabda na sparśavat viśeṣa guṇa*' — explain.
 7. Write a short note on '*Tatra manasānutte Pramāṇamaha ayangapadyaditi*'.
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