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M.A.

4th Semester Examination PHILOSOPHY

PAPER-PHI-2211

Full Marks: 40

Time: 2 Hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate full marks.

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

[Philosophy of Cognitive Science]

Answer two questions from Group—A and one question from Group—B.

Group-A

- 1. ".... an exciting new interdisciplinary field called cognitive science." Explain with an example this special nature of cognitive science.
- **2.** "Traditional epistemology distinguishes between *knowing* how and *knowing that*". Bring out the distinction with examples.

In this regard state the argument called Ryle's regress. 8+8

| 3. | "How does | the mind | l represent | anything?" | - Give | your |
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4. "There are numerous objections to all forms of AI." — Briefly explain any one of them.

Group-B

- **5.** Write a short note on machine functionalism. 8
- 6. Briefly explain the Knowledge Representation Problem.
- 7. Write a short note on linguistic representation. 8

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