2018

SANSKRIT

(Major)

Paper: 6.1

Full Marks: 60

Time: 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

1. Answer	the following questions:	1×7=7
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- (a) What is अध्यात्म?
- (b) What is the meaning of the term 'क्षर'?
- (c) What is called अव्यक्त?
- (d) How many schools are there in Buddhism?
- (e) According to the Advaita Vedāntins, माया is ____.

(Fill in the blank)

- Who is the founder of Advaita Vedanta Philosophy?
- (g) How many आर्य सत्यs are accepted in Buddhism?
- 2. Give brief answers to the following questions:

 $2 \times 4 = 8$

- (a) Define कर्म according to the 8th Chapter of the Gītā.
- (b) What are the प्रस्थानत्रयं of Vedanta?
- (c) Write the names of the schools of Buddhism
- (d) Write the names of the two books written by Śańkarācārya.
- 3. Explain with reference to the context any two of the following verses: $5 \times 2 = 10$
 - (a) अभ्यासयोगयुक्तेन चेतसा नान्यगामिना। परमं पुरुषं दिव्यं याति पार्थानुचिन्तयन्।।
 - (b) यदक्षरं वेदविदो वदन्ति विशन्ति यद्यतयो वीतरागाः। यदिच्छन्तो ब्रह्मचर्यं चरन्ति तत्ते पदं संग्रहेण प्रवक्ष्ये॥

- (c) आब्रह्मभुवना होकाः पुनरावर्त्तिनोऽर्जुन। मामपेत्ये त कौन्तेय पुनर्जन्म न विद्यते॥
- (d) पुरुषः स परः पार्थ भक्त्या लभ्यस्त्वनन्यया। यस्यान्तःस्थानि भूतानि येन सर्वमिदं ततम्॥
- 4. Write an elaborate note on the 'श्रीमद्भगवद्गीता'. 10

Or

Discuss, according to the 8th Chapter of the 'गीता', how one can attain the परमा गति and reach the परम पुरुष.

5. Answer any two of the following questions:

 $10 \times 2 = 20$

- Discuss about the concept of ब्रह्मन् as you find in Advaita Vedānta Philosophy.
- Write a note on the concept of माया.
- Discuss about the concept of liberation of Buddhist Philosophy.
- Give an account of the concept of Atman in Buddhism.

6. Write a short note on Sankarācārya.

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Or

Give a short account of the Vijñānavāda school of Buddhism.
