

**6/H-20 (viii) (c) (Syllabus-2015)**

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( May/June )

**PHILOSOPHY**

( Honours )

**( Philosophy of Mind )**

( PHIL : 623 )

*Marks : 75*

*Time : 3 hours*

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

**Answer any five questions**

1. What is Philosophy of Mind? Distinguish it from Psychology. Is there similarities between the two? 4+8+3=15
2. Define Consciousness. Can there be consciousness without the objects of consciousness? Make a distinction between consciousness and unconsciousness states of the mind. 3+2+10=15

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3. State and examine Descartes' theory of mind-body dualism. Do you think Descartes committed a category mistake? Explain. 10+5=15
4. Critically examine mind-brain identity theory. 15
5. Distinguish between feeling and sensation. 15
6. What do you mean by self-knowledge? Is self-knowledge logically different from my knowledge of the others? 10+5=15
7. Critically examine Charvaka theory of consciousness. 15
8. Is consciousness identical in all living beings? Explain with reference to Jaina Philosophy. 15
9. Name the different states of consciousness according to Mandukya Upanishad. Explain them briefly. 15
10. Write notes on any two of the following : 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ ×2=15
  - (a) Consciousness of Buddhism
  - (b) Volition
  - (c) Feelings
  - (d) Behaviourism

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