



LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – PHILOSOPHY

THIRD SEMESTER – NOVEMBER 2022 (ARREARS)

PPL 3302 – VEDANTA

Date: 03-12-2022

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Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 09:30 AM -12:30 PM

PART- A

Answer the following questions

(6X6=36 Marks)

1. Briefly explain the foundational texts of the Vedānta.
2. Bring out the significance of the three questions in Kaṭhapaniṣad.
3. Write any six of the theoretical features of Advaita.
4. Write a short note on epistemology of Viśiṣṭādvaita.
5. 'Dvaita' is not equivalent to 'dualism'. Explain.
6. What are the four phases in Abhiṣiktānanda's life?

PART- B

Answer the following Questions

(4X16=64 Marks)

7A. Write an essay on the salient features of *Māṇḍūkya-upaniṣad.*

OR

7B. Elucidate the obstructions & realization of the Self in *Kaṭhapaniṣad.*

8A. Examine the dialectical features of Vedānta.

OR

8B. Critically evaluate metaphysics of Advaita.

9A. Explain Rāmānuja's arguments against Māyā.

OR

9B. Enunciate the metaphysical categories according to Dvaita.

10A. 'Immediate experience and doctrines are opposed.' Explain.

OR

10B. Highlight in detail the place of Vedānta in Indian Scriptures.

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