

M.A. Examination, 2014

Semester – III

AIHC&A

Course: B.4.5

(Jainism)

Time: 3 Hours

Full Marks: 40

Questions are of equal value.

Answer *any three* questions.

1. Analyse the various source materials at your disposal to study the history and philosophy of Jainism.
 2. Write a note on the historical background of the emergence of Jainism.
 3. Critically analyse the principles of pañcajāma as believed by the Jaina followers.
 4. Attempt an analytical essay on the spread of Jainism in eastern India.
 5. Delineate the salient characteristics of the two major Jaina sub-sects.
 6. Write notes on *any two* of the following:
 - (a) Jaina concept of duality
 - (b) Five categories of non-living entity
 - (c) Upādhyāya
 - (d) An important Jaina site in South India.
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