

M.A. Examination, 2018
Semester-II
Philosophy
Course – VI (Core)
(Phenomenology & Existentialism)

(For Back Candidates only)

Time: Three Hours

Full Marks: 40

Questions are of value as indicated in the margin.

Answer ***any four*** questions

1. Discuss in detail the method of phenomenological epoché (bracketing). 10
 2. Explain the distinction between the science of essences and the science of facts in terms of intuition of essences. 10
 3. How does Kierkegaard universalize the personal events of his life as true distinct phases of human existence? Explain. 10
 4. Does Kierkegaard's notion of truth as subjectivity make sense? Discuss in your own words. 10
 5. How does Sartre distinguish between being-in-itself and being-for-itself? Discuss in detail. 10
 6. Write short notes on ***any two*** of the following: 5×2=10
 - (a) Noema and Noesis
 - (b) Bad faith
 - (c) Consciousness as nothingness
 - (d) Transcendental Ego
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