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PHILOSOPHY

(Core)

Paper : C-13

(**Comparative Religion**)

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32

Time : 3 hours

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

1. Find out the correct answer : 1×8=8
- (a) Hinduism is / is not a prophetic religion.
- (b) There are two / three sects of Islam.
- (c) According to Christianity God has created the world out of matter / nothing.
- (d) Confucianism originated in Japan / China.
- (e) Original teachings of Gautam Buddha is embeded in Sutta Pitaka / Vinaya Pitaka.

(2)

(f) 'Cariputhi' of the Neo-Vaisnavism of Assam includes / excludes the Nama-ghosa.

(g) God is termed as Ahura Mazda in Zoroastrianism / Sikhism.

(h) Buddhism is a theistic / an atheistic religion.

2. Write briefly on any five of the following : $4 \times 5 = 20$

(a) Vaisnavism

(b) Five Pillars of Islam

(c) Christian concept of Trinity

(d) Ultimate human destiny in Buddhism

(e) Triratna in Jainism

(f) Concept of world in Zoroastrianism

3. Discuss the nature and objectives of comparative religion. 13

Or

Discuss the basic features of Buddhism and Judaism. $6\frac{1}{2} + 6\frac{1}{2} = 13$

4. What are the different sects of Hinduism? Discuss any two of them. $3 + 10 = 13$

(3)

Or

Discuss Neo-Vaisnavism of Sankaradeva. 13

5. Make a comparative study (similarities and differences) of Christianity and Islam on the following points : $6\frac{1}{2} + 6\frac{1}{2} = 13$

(a) Concept of God

(b) Concept of World

Or

Make a comparative study (similarities and differences) of Christianity and Islam on the following : $6\frac{1}{2} + 6\frac{1}{2} = 13$

(a) Concept of man

(b) Concept of human destiny

6. Explain secularism. Is India a secular country? Give reasons in support of your answer. $8 + 5 = 13$

Or

Explain religious fanaticism. Is it acceptable? $8 + 5 = 13$
