



বিদ্যাসাগর বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়

**VIDYASAGAR UNIVERSITY**

**B.A. Honours Examination 2021**

(CBCS)

**4th Semester**

**PHILOSOPHY**

**PAPER—C10T**

**EPISTEMOLOGY AND METAPHYSIS (WESTERN)**

*Full Marks : 60*

*Time : 3 Hours*

*The figures in the right-hand margin indicate full marks.*

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.*

Answer any four questions.

4×15

1. What is propositional knowledge? Explain the conditions of propositional knowledge. 3+12
2. What is analytic proposition? 'There is no clear difference between the analytic and synthetic'— explain. 3+12

3. What exactly is the problem of Induction? Is there any solution of this problem? Explain after Hospers. 5+10
  4. Explain and examine the theory of Representative Realism. 8+7
  5. Distinguish between strong and weak Idealism? Which one is propounded by Berkeley? Make an assessment of Berkeley's theory. 4+1+10
  6. State and explain the main tenets of Phenomenalism. What are its demerits? Explain. 8+7
  7. What are the philosophical problems of Substance? Explain fully. 15
  8. Explain Plato's theory of universal. 15
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