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First Semester B.A. (Philosophy) Degree Examination, February 2018
First Degree Programme under CBCSS
Complementary Course – II : PL 1132 GANDHIAN PHILOSOPHY
(2014 – 2016 Admissions)

Time : 3 Hours

Total Marks : 80

SECTION – A

Answer **all** the questions in **one word** or to a maximum of **two sentences**. **Each** question carries **1 mark**.

1. Ahimsa
2. Antyodaya
3. Democracy
4. Swadesi
5. Trusteeship
6. GramaSwraj
7. Bread labour
8. Satyagraha
9. Gita
10. Decentralisation.

(10×1=10 Marks)

SECTION – B

Answer **any 8** questions in a paragraph **each**. **Each** question carries **2 marks**.

11. Give a brief description about Gandhi's concept of truth.
12. What is meant by Sarvodaya ?
13. What is democracy ?
14. Explain Panchayati raj.



15. Briefly explain the influence of Upanishads on Gandhi.
16. What did Gandhi mean by Ramarajya ?
17. Explain the influence of Christianity on Gandhi.
18. Explain the relation between truth and God.
19. Briefly explain Gandhi's social philosophy.
20. What is meant by a Satyagrahi ?
21. "The Gita became an infallible guide of conduct. It became my dictionary of daily reference". Explain.
22. Explain the influence of Ruskin on Gandhi. (8x2=16 Marks)

SECTION - C

Answer **any 6** questions in **120 words each**. Each question carries **4** marks.

23. Give an account of the various religious influences on Gandhi.
24. Examine the relevance of Satyagraha.
25. Explain the economic aspect of Sarvodaya.
26. Examine the role of truth and non violence in the life of Gandhi.
27. Give an account of Gandhi's concept of democracy.
28. Examine Gandhian concept of bread-labour.
29. "An eye for an eye only ends up making the whole world blind" – Explain.
30. Who is a Satyagrahi ? What are the qualifications for a Satyagrahi ?
31. What is meant by spiritualization of politics ? (6x4=24 Marks)

SECTION - D

Write **any 2** questions in about **600 words**. Each question carries **15** marks.

32. Discuss the various influences that shaped the philosophy of Gandhi.
33. Examine the contemporary relevance of Gandhian ideas.
34. Elucidate the silent features of Sarvodaya.
35. What Gandhi meant by decentralization of economy ? (2x15=30 Marks)