

PUNJAB PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMBINED COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION FOR
RECRUITMENT TO THE POSTS OF
PROVINCIAL MANAGEMENT SERVICE, ETC. – 2015

SUBJECT: PHILOSOPHY (PAPER-I)

TIME ALLOWED: THREE HOURS
MAXIMUM MARKS: 100

Note: Attempt any FIVE questions. Attempt in English or Urdu language. All questions carry equal marks.

- Q.1. Explain Plato's theory of Ideas.
- Q.2. Elaborate and examine Plato's concept of "Philosopher king".
- Q.3. The great Greek philosopher Aristotle introduced logic. Define logic and its importance and significance.
- Q.4. According to Descartes "Philosophy begins with doubt". Discuss.
- Q.5. Subjective Idealism is very important to develop human creative thinking. Explain in detail.
- Q.6. Explain Hegel's dialectical method, and give examples of human social life in this regard.
- Q.7. Discuss in detail Nietzsche's concept of superman.
- Q.8. Jean Paul Sartre is of the opinion that "Existence Precedes Essence". Discuss.
- Q.9. Write a detailed note on Logical Positivism.

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- Q.1. State and examine the position of Mutazilites as rationalist, specially in respect of their ethical views.
- Q.2. Critically analyze Ashalite's position on Divine attributes.
- Q.3. State and explain the doctrine of Sufism.
- Q.4. How does Al-Ghazali refute the Muslim Philosophers regarding their views on the creation of the world?
- Q.5. Explain Ibn Sina's Concept of mind. How according to him is mind related to body?
- Q.6. Discuss the main contributions of Ibn-i-Khaldun in the field of history.
- Q.7. Sir Syed Ahmed Khan is a rational supernaturalist. Elaborate and discuss.
- Q.8. Critically analyze Iqbal's concept of the self.
- Q.9. State and examine Shah Waliullah's Social Philosophy.
- Q.10 What is religious fundamentalism, and how is it impacting the Contemporary world?

The Me you have always known, the Me that's a stranger still.