

**SRI VENKATESWARA UNIVERSITY - TIRUPATI**  
Program: B.A. Honours in **PHILOSOPHY (MINOR)**  
**FIRST YEAR – II- SEMESTER**  
(W.e.f. Academic Year 2023 - 24)  
**INDIAN PHILOSOPHY-I**

**Unit:I**

Definition of Philosophy –Branches of Philosophy. The Nature and Characteristics of Indian Philosophy-Philosophical Speculations of Vedas and Upanishads

**Unit:II**

The Central Doctrines of Heterodox Systems

(A) Charvaka school –Epistemology and Metaphysics

(B) Jainism- Nature and destiny of Jiva(soul) syadvada

**Unit :III**

The central Doctrines of orthodox systems and God

(A) Nyaya –Pramanas and Concept of God

(B) Vaisheshika- Theory of Seven Categories- Atomism

**Unit- IV**

(A) Sankhya-prakriti and Purusha-Satkaryavada and theory of Evolution

(B)The Yoga Philosophy-Patanjali's Astanga Yoga

(C) Samprajnatha and Asamprajnatha Samadhi

**Unit: V**

(A) Purva-Mimamsa Concept of Self, Karma, Dharma, Apurva.

(B) Advaita – Nirguna Brahman-Relation between Brahman and Atman- Mayavada and moksha

(C) Visistadvaita- Dvaita- Introduction

**Reference :**

1. Ram Mohan Rao- Bharatiya Darsanam in Teleugu
2. Hiriyanna Outlines of Indian Philosophy
3. S. Radhakrishnan – History of Indian Philosophy

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## **B.A. DEGREE COURSE IN PHILOSOPHY (MINOR)**

**SEMESTER - W.E.F. 2023-24**

### **MODEL QUESTION PAPER**

#### **PAPER-I INDIAN PHILOSOPHY**

Time: 3 hours

Marks: 75 marks

**Note:** This question paper contains two parts A and B.

Part A is compulsory which carries 25 marks. Answer any five of the following questions in Part A.

Part B consists of 5 Units. Answer any one full question from each unit. Each question carries 10 marks

#### **PART – A**

**Answer any Five of the following question.**

**(5X5=25M)**

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**PART – B**

**Answer All The Questions. Each question carries 10 marks (5X10= 50M)**

11.	(A)	
		OR
	(B)	
12.	(A)	
		OR
	(B)	
13.	(A)	
		OR
	(B)	
14.	(A)	
		OR
	(B)	
15.	(A)	
		OR
	(B)	