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Test Booklet No. : 00615

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PHILOSOPHY

Time Allowed : 2 (Two) Hours

Full Marks : 200

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1. Who called himself "a lover of wisdom"?

- (A) Plato
- (B) Aristotle
- (C) Socrates
- (D) Parmenides

5. According to empiricism, knowledge is

- (A) a posteriori
- (B) a priori
- (C) Both a priori and a posteriori
- (D) Neither a priori nor a posteriori

2. Metaphysics as a branch of philosophy studies the nature of

- (A) knowledge
- (B) value
- (C) self
- (D) reality

6. John Locke supports the

- (A) coherence theory
- (B) pragmatic theory
- (C) correspondence theory
- (D) self-evidence theory

3. The dialectical method offers an important place in the philosophy of

- (A) Locke
- (B) Aristotle
- (C) Hegel
- (D) Descartes

7. What is the meaning of 'cogito ergo sum'?

- (A) I think therefore I exist
- (B) I exist therefore I think
- (C) I exist therefore I perceive
- (D) I perceive therefore I exist

4. Kant's philosophical method is known as

- (A) mathematical method
- (B) transcendental method
- (C) geometrical method
- (D) intuitive method

8. The term 'naive realism' was coined by

- (A) John Locke
- (B) Samuel Alexander
- (C) Durant Drake
- (D) Will Durant

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9. Scientific realism is advocated by
- Berkeley
 - Hume
 - Kant
 - Locke
10. In whose philosophy do we find the doctrine of innate ideas?
- Spinoza
 - Descartes
 - Kant
 - Hegel
11. "Causality is not a necessary relation." Whose view is this?
- Hume
 - Kant
 - Mill
 - Leibniz
12. Which philosopher made a distinction between primary and secondary qualities of objects?
- Leibniz
 - Hegel
 - Berkeley
 - Locke
13. Which method is known as triadic method in philosophy?
- Transcendental method
 - Intuitive method
 - Dialectic method
 - Rational method
14. Which of the following books is authored by Berkeley?
- Essay Towards a New Theory of Vision*
 - A Treatise of Human Nature*
 - Critique of Pure Reason*
 - An Enquiry Concerning Human Understanding*
15. According to which theory, ideas represent objects?
- Naive realism
 - Scientific realism
 - Idealism
 - None of the above

16. "Things cannot exist without mind to perceive them." Whose view is this?

- (A) Kant
- (B) Hegel
- (C) Locke
- (D) Berkeley

17. Who said, "The real is rational and the rational is real"?

- (A) Leibniz
- (B) Hegel
- (C) Plato
- (D) Aristotle

18. Who said, "Substance is an idle figment of imagination"?

- (A) Hume
- (B) Locke
- (C) Berkeley
- (D) Kant

19. Which proof for existence of God argues from the idea of God to existence?

- (A) Cosmological proof
- (B) Ontological proof
- (C) Teleological proof
- (D) None of the above

20. "The external world exists independently of the knowing mind" is according to

- (A) phenomenalism
- (B) idealism
- (C) realism
- (D) pragmatism

21. According to whom, clearness and distinctness form the criterion of certainty of knowledge?

- (A) Hume
- (B) Hegel
- (C) Kant
- (D) Descartes

22. The branch of philosophy which deals with the nature and criterion of value is called

- (A) ontology
- (B) ethics
- (C) axiology
- (D) religion

23. The chief supporter of the ontological argument of God is

- (A) St. Augustine
- (B) St. Anselm
- (C) St. Thomas Aquinas
- (D) Aristotole

