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Third Semester M.A. Degree Examination, February 2021

Philosophy

PY 234 : ANALYTICAL PHILOSOPHY

(2017 Admission onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75

SECTION – A

Answer any **five** questions. **Each** question carries **6** marks. Answer should not be less than **400** words.

1. Discuss Chomsky's concept of universal grammar.
2. Explain Quine's rejection of two dogmas of empiricism.
3. Write a note on Ryle's category mistake.
4. Elucidate: 'The world is the totality of facts, not of things'.
5. Explain the philosophical significance of logical atomism.
6. Give an account of picture theory of meaning.
7. Elucidate theory of definite description.
8. Critically examine Davidson's view of truth and meaning.

(5 × 6 = 30 Marks)

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SECTION – B

Answer any **three** questions. **Each** question carries **15** marks. Answer should not be less than **1000** words.

9. Bring out the philosophical significance of Austin's view of 'performance' and meaning.
10. Give a detailed account of the 'Linguistic Turn' in philosophy.
11. Elucidate the basic postulates of logical positivism.
12. Discuss Wittgenstein's aim in the *Philosophical Investigations*.
13. Explain Frege's contribution to analytic philosophy.

(3 × 15 = 45 Marks)

