

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY**BE - SEMESTER– IV(NEW) EXAMINATION – SUMMER 2023****Subject Code:3141007****Date:13-07-2023****Subject Name:Professional Ethics****Time:10:30 AM TO 01:00 PM****Total Marks:70****Instructions:**

1. **Attempt all questions.**
2. **Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.**
3. **Figures to the right indicate full marks.**
4. **Simple and non-programmable scientific calculators are allowed.**

		Marks
Q.1	(a) What factors affect our moral standards in our social conduct?	3
	(b) <i>“An action that is legal can be morally wrong.”</i> Explain with an example. What can modern managers and organisations learn from Indian ethical traditions and philosophies that provide direction for ethical conduct in the workplace and society?	4 7
Q.2	(a) How does an ethical dilemma emerge in business?	3
	(b) What are the individual rights that should be protected in ethical decision-making?	4
	(c) Analyse the efficacy of the law of ‘Karma’ in motivating ethical behaviour in society.	7
OR		
	(c) Analyse the relevance of ethical philosophy advocated by Vivekananda, Gandhiji, Aurobindo, and Tagore in the present era.	7
Q.3	(a) What are some sources of ethical conduct that can lead to an ethical dilemma in business?	3
	(b) What ethical actions does the virtue approach suggest? <i>“The law cannot cover the wide variety of possible individual and group conduct. Instead, it prohibits actions that are against the moral standards of the society.”</i>	4 7
	(c) Analyse the statement with examples.	
OR		
Q.3	(a) What are the values that employees are expected to uphold in accordance with the corporate codes?	3
	(b) What is the common good approach and how does it help everyone in society?	4
	(c) <i>“People often tend to confuse legal and moral issues. These are two different things.”</i> Assess differences between Law and Morality with relevant examples.	7
Q.4	(a) Why do people use different moral philosophies while making a personal decision or a professional decision?	3
	(b) What is a ‘Utility’ approach?	4

- (c) Examine the efficacy of the deontological approach in resolving ethical dilemmas in an organisational environment by providing at least two examples. 7

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- Q.4 (a) How does profit motivation impact an employee's moral philosophy and decision-making process in business? 3

- (b) What is a 'Justice' approach? 4

- (c) Examine the efficacy of the teleological approach in resolving ethical dilemmas in an organisational environment by providing at least two examples. 7

- Q.5 (a) Name the first stage of Kohlberg's model of cognitive moral development. How is the determination of good and wrong done in this stage? 3

- (b) Compare and contrast morality with both etiquette and law. 4

- (c) Assess the contribution of philosophers in the development of business ethics as a field of study. 7

OR

- Q.5 (a) Define a White Collar Crime. Give some examples of prevalent White Collar Crimes. 3

- (b) Analyse the potential adverse effects of failing to follow the principles of professional ethics as an engineer in a professional career. Provide real-life examples to support your claim. 4

- (c) "*Ethical corporate behaviour is nothing but a reiteration of the ancient wisdom that honesty is the best policy*". Evaluate the statement with respect to the Business Ethics. 7
