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PSYCHOLOGY — HONOURS

Paper : SEC-A-1

(Behaviour Modification)

Full Marks : 80

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

1. Answer *any ten* questions :   2×10

   (a) State any two characteristics of 'Behaviour'.

   (b) What is Chaining?

   (c) Distinguish between 'Behavioural Excess' and 'Behavioural Deficit'.

   (d) Name two researchers who contributed in developing behaviour modification.

   (e) Explain direct behavioural assessment.

   (f) Write two application of classical conditioning.

   (g) Define Reinforcement.

   (h) Mention any two factors that influence the effectiveness of punishment.

   (i) What is ABC Paradigm.

   (j) Define Stimulus Control.

   (k) What is successive approximation?

   (l) Define Extinction.

   (m) Write the basic differences between classical and operant conditioning.

   (n) What do you mean by Higher-order conditioning?

   (o) Define shaping.

2. Answer *any four* questions (word limit **100**) :   5×4

   (a) Differentiate between continuous and intermittent reinforcement schedule.

   (b) How Premack Principle is applied in Behaviour modification technique?

   (c) Describe the goals of Behaviour Modification.

   (d) Explain the need for assessment in Behaviour Modification.

   (e) Distinguish between punishment and negative reinforcement.

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3. Answer *any four* questions (word limit **150**) :

  (a) What is Token Economy? Explain the major components in token economy.　　　　10

  (b) How shaping can be used in the process of developing language? Explain with an example. 10

  (c) Define contingency management. Discuss with example the applications of contingency management techniques in workplace.　　　　3+7

  (d) Describe the various methods used to conduct functional assessment.　　　　10

  (e) Suggest how behaviour modification techniques can be used to improve parenting shills.　　10

  (f) Define shaping. Describe the steps involved in shaping with suitable examples.　　　　2+8

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