

PHILOSOPHY TRIPOS Part II

Friday 27 May 2016

09.00 – 12.00

Paper 1

METAPHYSICS

*Answer **three** questions only.*

Write the number of the question at the beginning of each answer. If you are answering an either/or question, indicate the letter as well.

STATIONERY REQUIREMENTS

20 Page Answer Book x 1

Rough Work Pad

**You may not start to read the questions
printed on the subsequent pages of this
question paper until instructed that you
may do so by the Invigilator**

1. Must a transcendental argument assume a verificationist premise?
2. Are you essentially a person?
3. Is causation an irreducible relation?
4. Are universals immanent or transcendental (or neither)?
5. Does any form of external realism survive Putnam's model-theoretic arguments?
6. Could there be a coherent form of conceptual relativism?
7. Does the view that there is an objective present entail that time has a direction?
8. Does time flow?
9. Could physics do without causation?
10. In what does the unity of the self consist?

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