

Bṛhadāraṇyaka Upaniṣad – Maitreyī-brāhmaṇa (With Śaṅkara bhāṣya)

Sample Questionnaire

Choose the most appropriate answer. Mark only one.

Marks 1 (1*1)

1. In kaṇḍikā 12, the following terms are used to indicate Brahman:

- ☐ Satyam, mahat, bhūtam, anantam
- ☐ Mahat, bhūtam, anantam, param
- ☐ Brahman, bhūtam, vijñānaghana, anantam
- ☐ Mahat, bhūtam, anantam, vijñānaghana

Choose the correct statements. Check all that apply.

Marks 2 (1*2)

1. In the kaṇḍikā 12 bhāṣya, which all of the following illustrations does Śrī Ādi Śaṅkarācārya use to elucidate that individuality (jīvātman) is dissolved in Brahman?

- ☐ One can gain Mokṣa by listening alone.
- ☐ The sun and its reflection
- ☐ Sparks merging into the fire
- ☐ The coloured cloth seen through a crystal

Match the following.

Marks 3 (1*3)

A

B

(a) Mahat

1. Endless

(b) Bhūtam

2. Complete Consciousness (homogeneous)

(c) Anantam

3. Being

(d) Vijñānaghana

4. Great