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FBQs

In more recent times, the Master Scientist philosophical doctrine has come to be known as ____.
Scientism

According to _____, philosophy is rightly called the knowledge of the truth.
Aristotle

An important characteristic of philosophy is that it consists in the constant and unwavering disposition to seek the truth. True or False ____
True

Examination and confirmation of the universal acceptance of moral views held by human beings or the society is the responsibility of ____
Descriptive ethics

Observation and understanding supernatural phenomenon and control processes is the main task of ____
Science

Philosophy has no univocal definition. True or False ____
True

The method of ____ takes reason to be the sole means of acquiring philosophical knowledge.
Rationalism

The philosophical idea that establishes the world as a product of a single understanding substance is known as called ____
Monism

The method of rationalism takes reason to be the sole means of acquiring philosophical knowledge. True or False ____
True

The critical or transcendental method of philosophy ____ takes stock of the arguments of empiricism and rationalism and builds a new system of tremendous importance in the history of philosophic thought.
Kant

_____ method of philosophy consists in the constructive dialectical process of opposition and reconciliation

Hegel

Identifying a complex argument involves a complex reasoning. True or False _____

true

_____ arguments are those in which the premises do not lead to the conclusion with certainty.

Inductive

The branch of philosophy that studies reality in its most comprehensive scope is _____

Metaphysics

_____ is also referred to as the science of human conduct

Ethics

To claim the knowledge of anything, one must possess correct _____ about the thing

Information

The idea that only change is constant is from _____.

Heraclitus

We have knowledge only when we can NOT provide reasons and evidence for our claims. True or False _____

False

According to _____, water is the primary source of all things in the universe.

Thales

According to _____ happiness could best be achieved by living a balanced life and avoiding excess by pursuing a golden mean in everything.

Aristotle

To the _____ we can never know the true inner substance of things, only how they appear to us.

Sceptics

Nationalist and ideological philosophy is also known as a sub of _____ in African philosophy.

Professional philosophy

_____ was largely a religious philosophy which became a strong influence on early Christianity (especially on St. Augustine)

Neo-Platonism

Condensation and Refraction theory was developed to justify _____ as the primary source of all things

Air

The weakness or strength of an Inductive argument depends on the degree of evidence contained in the conclusion. True or False _____

True

Denotative definition is one that attempt to identify the extension of the term in a question. True or False _____

True

According to the Law of Identity, not everything you say presupposes that thing. True or False _____

False

In a disjunctive syllogism, the first premise is a _____.

Disjunction

It is through the possession of language by human beings that their thought and conduct are made possible. True or False _____

True

Argumentum ad Baculum means _____

Appeal to force

_____ fallacy mostly occurs when we misinterpret someone's original statement or intention.

Amphiboly

Fallacy of Begging the question is also known as _____

Petito-pricipii

_____ definition does not attempt overcoming ambiguity or to achieve precision rather it focuses on formulating a theory within which a fully correct definition of important terms could be stated.

Theoretical

According to the law of _____, you cannot refuse to be this and also refuse to be the other.

Excluded middle

The law of _____ tells you that a thing must be one thing or another thing.

Non-contradiction

MCQs

Philosophy grew out of

Wonder and Curiosity

One of the following is a fundamental factor that determines the definition of philosophy

Issues

To wondering about life and every issues that borders on human existence is

Philosophical activity

The conception of philosophy as a person's attitude or principle is called

Under labourer

The conception of philosophy that may possibly limit what we call knowledge to statements about observable facts and their interrelations is called

Clarification of concept

The empiricists conception of truth or reality is based on

Sense experience

Which of the following is referred to as the science of reasoning?

Logic

The idea of epistemology was explained using the idea of world of "Form" by

Plato

Which of the following philosophers is NOT a member of the Medieval age of philosophy?

Berkeley

The medieval philosophers employed philosophy to teach

Religion

An attempt to become aware and to doubt all preconceptions and the essence in order to ensure certainty in the process is called

Scepticism

Which of the following grew after the traditional branches of philosophy?

Feminism

The author of synthetic apriori knowledge is

Kant

Philosophical knowledge is believed to follows the logic of

Proposition

Which of the following is an Islamic philosopher in the Medieval period?

Averroes

“Most mechanics are dark in complexion, Yisa is a mechanic, therefore Yisa is dark in complexion.” What kind of argument is this?

Inductive

The traditional epistemologists were concerned with the following epistemological questions EXCEPT

How do we justify our claim to knowledge?

Which of the following branches of philosophy has been defined as the science of being as being?

Metaphysics

The first philosopher to confess that “the only thing I know is that I know nothing” is

Socrates

Answers to the Greeks questions about reality, cosmos, and other fundamental matters that surrounds human existence are always sought through

Religion and mythology

Which of the following group holds a relativistic view of knowledge?

Sophism

The Era of the Ionians was dominated by the following philosophers EXCEPT

Zeno of Citium

Natural philosophy gave rise to the following EXCEPT

Culture

The Greek philosophers were said to have had contact with and influenced by

Egyptian philosophy

That pleasure is the most important pursuit of mankind, and that we should always act so as to maximize our own pleasure is the philosophical position of the.

Hedonists

What are the opposing doctrines that characterised The Age of Reason and The Age of Enlightenment?

Rationalism and Empiricism

What form of function is performed by language when the utterance operate as to evoke action from the hearer?

Directive

“I shall contest the next election,” is an example of what function of language?

Performative

Which of the following is NOT an informal fallacy?

Four term

What fallacy is committed in the argument below:

Only man is rational. But no woman is a man. Therefore, no woman is rational.

Equivocation

Which of the following is not a variants of fallacy of attacking the person (Argumentum ad Hominem)?

Cursive

What kind of definitions is directed at developing coherent theoretical account of the subject at hand?

Theoretical

“All students” falls under what category of proposition?

Universal affirmative

Recursive definition is sometimes referred to as

Inductive

The words Definiendum and definiens are two key words you must master before you can understand the method of definition by

Genus and Difference.