

**MASTER OF ARTS IN
PSYCHOLOGY (MAPC)
Term-End Examination
June, 2025**

**MPC-003 : PERSONALITY : THEORIES AND
ASSESSMENT**

Time : 2 Hours

Maximum Marks : 50

Note : *All Sections are compulsory.*

Section—A

Note : *Answer any **two** questions in about
450 words each.*

2×10=20

1. Discuss the biological factors that determine personality development. 10
2. Explain the key tenets of Karen Horney's theory of personality. 10

3. Explain the development of personality in the light of Rogers' theory. 10
4. Describe the development of self, as given by Allport. 10

Section—B

Note : Answer any **four** questions in about 250 words each. 4×6=24

5. Explain the purpose of interview method and discuss its weaknesses. 4+2
6. Elucidate Guilford's trait theory of personality. 6
7. Discuss the criteria of standardization of a psychological test. 6
8. Explain faking and measures to avoid faking in inventory. 6
9. Elucidate Eysenck's trait/type hierarchy, highlighting the arousal theory. 6

Section—C

Note : Write short notes on any **two** of the following in about **100** words each. 2×3=6

10. Sheldon's somatotype personality. 3
11. Differentiate between introverts and extroverts. 3
12. Nomothetic approach vs. Idiographic approach. 3

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