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**PHI 228: PHILOSOPHY OF TECHNOLOGY**

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**MARKS: 100**

**TIME: 3 HOURS**

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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

- **Answer Question One and any other two Questions of your choice.**
- **Question One carries 40 marks and the other questions carry 30 marks each.**

**QUESTION 1**

Critically discuss the instrumentalist philosophy of technology.

**QUESTION 2**

According to Martin Heidegger, “the West has reached the end of its rope, only a God can save us”. Critically discuss this statement.

**QUESTION 3**

Discuss in detail how technology has become a new basis of belief.

**QUESTION 4**

Compare and contrast theories of Determinism and Substantivism in philosophy of technology.

**QUESTION 5**

“Where science seeks to know technology seeks to control”. Do you agree? Critically discuss.