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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN
PHILOSOPHY

PHIL 253: CRITICAL THINKING

STREAMS: B.A PHIL (PART/TIME)

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: FRIDAY 08/08/2025

11.30 A.M. – 11.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer question one and any other two.

1. a. Define critical thinking while highlighting how different it is from logic. (15 marks)
b. Distinguish between deductive and inductive argument with relevant examples. (15 marks)
2. is the study of critical thinking important? Explain five reasons. (20 marks)
3. state and explain in details any four informal fallacies. (20 marks)
4. compare and contrast critical and creative thinking. (20 marks)
5. with relevant examples, differentiate the three essential aspects of the four definitions. (20 marks)

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