2019

(2nd Semester)

POLITICAL SCIENCE

Paper : Pol–201

(Political Theory : Ideas and Concepts)

Full Marks : 70   *Pass Marks : 45%*

Time : 3 hours

(PART : B—DESCRIPTIVE)

(*Marks : 45*)

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

1. *(a)* What is classical liberalism? Discuss its
basic features.   3+6=9

Or

(b) What is socialism? Examine the major
principles of socialism.   3+6=9

2. *(a)* Define power. Discuss the various sources of power.   3+6=9

Or

(b) What is authority? Examine the different types of authority.   3+6=9

3. *(a)* What is revolution? Discuss the nature and characteristics of revolution.   3+6=9

Or

(b) What is resistance? Examine the various grounds for resistance to political authority.   3+6=9

4. *(a)* Define nationalism. Discuss the various factors for the rise and growth of nationalism.   3+6=9

Or

(b) What is imperialism? Discuss the various forms and methods of imperialism.   3+6=9

5. *(a)* What do you understand by globalization? Discuss the various dimensions of globalization. 3+6=9

Or

(b) How has globalization affected sovereignty of the Nation-States? Discuss. 9

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(PART : A—OBJECTIVE)

(Marks : 25)

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1. Put a Tick (✓) mark against the correct answer in the brackets provided :　　　　　　　　　1×10=10

   (a) Which of the following is not a principal attribute of liberalism?

   (i) Individual freedom　　(　)

   (ii) Powerful State　　(　)

   (iii) Rule of law　　(　)

   (iv) Political right　　(　)

(b) Who said, "socialism is like a hat that has lost its shape because everybody wears it" ?

   (i) G. D. H. Cole   ( )

   (ii) T. H. Green   ( )

   (iii) C. E. M. Joad   ( )

   (iv) H. J. Laski   ( )

(c) Which of the following is a method of exercising power?

   (i) Reward   ( )

   (ii) Persuasion   ( )

   (iii) Use of force   ( )

   (iv) All of the above   ( )

(d) When the right to rule emerges from established beliefs and practises in a society, it is known as

   (i) rational-legal authority   ( )

   (ii) traditional authority   ( )

   (iii) charismatic authority   ( )

   (iv) None of the above   ( )

(e) Who among the following defined power as, "the power of man over the minds and actions of other men"?

   (i) H. J. Morgenthau   (   )

   (ii) Max Weber   (   )

   (iii) MacIver   (   )

   (iv) Karl Deutsch   (   )

(f) Which of the following theories defined revolution in terms of 'conflict between social classes' ?

   (i) Idealist theory   (   )

   (ii) Marxist theory   (   )

   (iii) Liberal theory   (   )

   (iv) None of the above   (   )

(g) The term 'nation' is derived from the Latin word 'natio' which means

   (i) common religion   (   )

   (ii) common territory   (   )

   (iii) common history   (   )

   (iv) common birth or race   (   )

(h) Which of the following is a common method of imperialism?

   (i) Intervention ( )

   (ii) Protectorate ( )

   (iii) Extraterritoriality ( )

   (iv) All of the above ( )

(i) Which of the following is a feature of globalization?

   (i) Liberalization ( )

   (ii) Privatization ( )

   (iii) Free trade ( )

   (iv) All of the above ( )

(j) The most important factor responsible for globalization taking place is

   (i) trade liberalization ( )

   (ii) economic liberalization ( )

   (iii) political liberalization ( )

   (iv) technological change brought about by relentless economic competition ( )

2. Write short notes on the following :   5×2–10

(a) Ideological legitimacy

(b) Dialectical materialism

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3. Indicate *True* (T) or *False* (F) by putting a Tick (✓) mark : 1×5=5

(a) Socialism emerged as a reaction to capitalism.

(T / F)

(b) Revolution involves the replacement of an order by a new one.

(T / F)

(c) Authority is illegitimate power.

(T / F)

(d) Imperialism is the policy of restricting State power within its territory.

(T / F)

(e) The increasing gap between the rich and poor is caused by globalization.

(T / F)

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