



**2022/TDC/ODD/SEM/POLDSC/  
GE-101T/184**

**TDC (CBCS) Odd Semester Exam., 2022**

**POLITICAL SCIENCE**

**( 1st Semester )**

Course No. : POLDSC-101T/POLGE-101T

**( Introduction to Political Theory )**

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 28

Time : 3 hours

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

**UNIT—I**

**1. Answer any four of the following questions :**

**1×4=4**

(a) Who said, "Politics is the master science"?

(b) Which theory explains that 'Conflicts are the feature of the class society'?



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- (c) Normative theory is value-based. Write Yes or No.
- (d) Who wrote the book, *Communist Manifesto*?
- (e) Who defined politics as 'authoritative allocation of values in the society'?
2. (a) Write any two differences between Normative and Empirical political theory. 2
- Or
- (b) Mention two features of politics. 2
3. Answer either (a) or (b) :
- (a) Discuss the nature and scope of political theory. 4+4=8
- (b) Explain the Marxist view of politics. Is Marxist view different from Liberal view of politics? 6+2=8

UNIT—II

4. Answer any four of the following questions : 1×4=4
- (a) In which year French Revolution took place?

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- (b) Mention any one kind of economic equality.
- (c) Who said, "The voice of the people is the voice of the God"?
- (d) Who wrote the book, *A Theory of Justice*?
- (e) What is franchise?
5. (a) Write any two features of social justice. 2
- Or
- (b) Write a note on Gender equality. 2
6. Answer either (a) or (b) :
- (a) Define Democracy. Explain the conditions for the success of democracy. 2+6=8
- (b) What is Liberty? How can liberty be safeguarded? 3+5=8

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UNIT—III

7. Answer any four of the following questions : 1×4=4

- (a) What is 'Jus Soli'?
- (b) When did UN General Assembly adopt Universal Declaration of Human Rights?
- (c) Mention one basic element of the state.
- (d) Which theory explains that 'The state can do no wrong'?
- (e) Who said, "Will, not force, is the basis of the state"?

8. (a) What are the differences between State and Civil Society? 2

Or

(b) Write a note on UN Charter. 2

9. Answer either (a) or (b) :

(a) Explain the methods of acquisition and loss of citizenship. 4+4=8

(b) What is Civil Society? What are its functions? 2+6=8

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UNIT—IV

10. Answer any four of the following questions : 1×4=4

- (a) Write one kind of censorship.
- (b) Who was the Chancellor of the Nazi Germany during World War II?
- (c) Plato suggested the censorship of art and literature. Write Yes or No.
- (d) Write the name of the author of the book, *The Satanic Verses*.
- (e) Who said, "I disagree with what you say but I will defend your right to say it"?

11. (a) What is Lee thesis? 2

Or

(b) What is Tiger Economies? 2

12. Answer either (a) or (b) :

(a) Are democracy and economic growth compatible? Discuss. 8



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(b) Define Censorship. Do you think censorship is justified? 2+6=8

UNIT—V

13. Answer any four of the following questions : 1×4=4

(a) Which Article of the Indian Constitution abolishes untouchability?

(b) Which Commission has recommended for the reservation of seats?

(c) Who said, "Family is the first society"?

(d) Write the name of any one liberal feminist.

(e) In which year was the Prevention of Domestic Violence Act enacted?

14. (a) Define caste. 2

Or

(b) Write the names of two areas where the state should not intervene. 2

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15. Answer either (a) or (b) :

(a) What is Protective Discrimination? Give arguments against protective discrimination. 2+6=8

(b) Define 'Principles of Fairness'. Does Protective Discrimination violate the Principles of Fairness? 2+6=8

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