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FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

B.A. I-Semester (CBCS) (New) Examination, November / December 2019

Subject : Economics

(DSC) Paper – I : Micro Economics

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

PART – A (5 x 4 = 20 Marks)

(Short Answer Type)

Note : Answer any FIVE of the following questions.

- ✓ 1 Substitution effect
- ✓ 2 Cobb-Douglas production function
- ✓ 3 Relationship between AR and MR
- ✓ 4 Product differentiation
- ✓ 5 Administered Prices
- ✓ 6 Selling costs
- ✓ 7 Budget line
- ✓ 8 Price discrimination

PART – B (5 x 12 = 60 Marks)

(Essay Answer Type)

Note: Answer ALL from the following questions.

- ✓ 9 (a) Explain properties of indifference curves.
OR
(b) Distinguish between Hicks and Slutsky substitution effects.
- ✓ 10 (a) Explain producers equilibrium with the help of iso-cost analysis.
OR
(b) Distinguish between short-run and long-run production functions.
- ✓ 11 (a) Define economies of scale and explain internal economies of scale.
OR
(b) Explain relationship between Average cost and Marginal cost with help of a diagram.
- ✓ 12 (a) Define price discrimination and explain third degree price discrimination.
OR
(b) Explain reasons for price rigidity in non-collusive oligopoly market.
- ✓ 13 (a) Explain characteristics of a business firm.
OR
(b) Define break-even point and explain break-even point with the help of a diagram.

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Subject : Political Science

(DSC) Paper – I : Understanding Political Theory

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

PART – A (5 x 4 = 20 Marks)

(Short Answer Type)

Note : Answer any FIVE of the following questions.

- 1 Value Fact-dichotomy
- 2 State of Nature
- 3 Kinship
- 4 Political Liberty
- 5 Feminist theory of equality
- 6 Nationalism
- 7 Collective responsibility
- 8 Social Media

PART – B (5 x 12 = 60 Marks)

(Essay Answer Type)

Note: Answer ALL from the following questions.

- 9 (a) What is Political Theory? Explain its significance.
OR
(b) Write an essay on Normative Political Theory.
- 10 (a) Discuss the importance of Evolutionary theories of the origin of the State.
OR
(b) Examine the challenges to the Sovereign State in the era of globalization.
- 11 (a) Write a note on Marxist theory of Liberty.
OR
(b) Explain the Liberal Theory of Justice.
- 12 (a) Evaluate the various strands of Liberalism.
OR
(b) Explain the concept of Multiculturalism.
- 13 (a) Write a note on the Powers and Functions of Judiciary.
OR
(b) Analyze the importance of Pressure groups in a Democracy.

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B.A. I-Semester (CBCS) Examination, November / December 2019
Subject : Public Administration

(DSC) Paper – I : Basics of Public Administration

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

PART – A (5 x 4 = 20 Marks)
(Short Answer Type)

Note : Answer any FIVE of the following questions.

- 1/ Nature of Public Administration
- 2 Elements of State
- 3/ Psychology
- 4 Urwick's views on classical approach
- 5/ Scientific Management
- 6/ Theory - X
- 7 Rensis Likert
- 8/ Jyothirao Phule

PART – B (5 x 12 = 60 Marks)
(Essay Answer Type)

Note: Answer ALL from the following questions.

- 9 (a) Define Public Administration and discuss its scope and importance.
OR
(b) Elaborate the evolution of Public Administration.
- 10 (a) Discuss the Public Administration relations with Political Science.
OR
(b) Explain the Public Administration relations with Economics.
- 11 (a) Describe the Kautilya's Saptanga Theory.
OR
(b) Explain Max Weber's views on Bureaucracy.
- 12 (a) Discuss Elton Mayo's contribution to Human Relations Approach.
OR
(b) Elaborate Herbert A. Simon's views on Behavioural approach.
- 13 (a) Describe the features of prismatic model society.
OR
(b) Explain the contribution of Dr. B. R. Ambedkar to social justice approach.

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Subject : Psychology

(DSC) Paper – I : General Psychology

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

PART – A (5 x 4 = 20 Marks)

(Short Answer Type)

Note : Answer any FIVE of the following questions.

- 1 Behaviourism
- 2 Chromosomes and Genes
- 3 Measurement of sensations
- 4 Methods of improving Memory
- 5 Stages of Creative Thinking
- 6 Efficient methods of Learning
- 7 Factors influencing individual differences in intelligence
- 8 Measurement of emotions

PART – B (5 x 12 = 60 Marks)

(Essay Answer Type)

Note: Answer ALL from the following questions.

- 9 (a) What is the nature of Psychology? Explain various methods of psychology.
OR
(b) Describe briefly any two contemporary approaches to psychology.
- 10 (a) Define Attention. Explain in detail span and division of Attention with examples.
OR
(b) Define Depth perception. Describe in detail perceptual constancies with relevant examples.
- 11 (a) What is the nature of Thinking? Describe briefly theories of Reasoning.
OR
(b) What is a problem cycle? Explain any two strategies of problem solving.
- 12 (a) Define Learning. Explain in detail any two theories of Learning.
OR
(b) Define Intelligence. Distinguish between Thorndike's and Spearman's theories of Intelligence.
- 13 (a) What is Unconscious Motivation? Explain Maslow's theory of motivation.
OR
(b) What is the nature of Emotions? Bring out the important differences between Cannon-Bard and Schachter-Singer theories of emotions.

FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES
B.A. I-Semester (CBCS) Examination, November / December 2019
Subject : Communication and Journalism

(DSC) Paper – I : Introduction to Communication and Journalism

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

PART – A (5 x 4 = 20 Marks)
(Short Answer Type)

Note : Answer any FIVE of the following questions.

- 1 Non-verbal communication
- 2 Laswell formula
- 3 Publicity
- 4 Public opinion
- 5 Yellow journalism
- 6 Helical model of communication
- 7 Authoritarian theory
- 8 Paid news

PART – B (5 x 12 = 60 Marks)
(Essay Answer Type)

Note: Answer ALL from the following questions.

- 9 (a) Define communication. Discuss its role in society.
OR
(b) Describe the process of mass communication.
- 10 (a) What is a communication model? Explain Shannon and Weaver model of communication.
OR
(b) Explain SMCR model of communication.
- 11 (a) What is propaganda? Describe the various devices of propaganda.
OR
(b) Explain uses and gratification theory.
- 12 (a) What is journalism? Discuss its role in democracy.
OR
(b) Discuss the role of journalism in social change.
- 13 (a) What is online journalism? Discuss its advantages and disadvantages.
OR
(b) Discuss the present trends in television journalism.

FACULTY OF ARTS
B.A. I-Year I-Semester (CBCS) Examination, December 2019

Subject : English

Paper - I : English (Modern Language)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

PART – A (5 x 4 = 20 Marks)

I. Answer any Five question from the following.

- 1 Effect of Norman Conquest on Old English.
- 2 Openness of vocabulary in English.
- 3 A short note on the figure of speech 'Oxymoron'.
- 4 Importance of 'Atmosphere' in a play.
- 5 Constituent of a 'compound sentence'
- 6 Features of a 'short story'
- 7 Role of imagination in 'Romanticism'
- 8 The concept of 'Art for Art's sake'

PART – B (5 x 12 = 60 Marks)

II. Answer all the questions from following.

- 9 (a) What is the role of colonisation in the export of English.
OR
(b) Analyse the distinguishing features of Old English
- 10 (a) Describe the different processes in word formation with suitable examples
OR
(b) Elucidate the forces that influence changes in word meaning
- 11 (a) Define the terms 'Metaphor' and 'Metonymy' with two examples each.
OR
(b) Define the terms 'Simile' and 'Synecdoche' with two examples each.
12. (a) Discuss the factors that led to 'Renaissance' in Europe.
OR
(b) What are the features of 'Romanticism'?
- 13 (a) 'Plot' and 'Point of View' are the seminal tools of a writer. Do you agree?
Justify your reasons.
OR
(b) Discuss various types of characterisation..
