2015

POLITICAL SCIENCE
( General )

Full Marks: 80
Time: 3 hours

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

Answer either in English or in Assamese

Answer either from POLITICS IN INDIA—II or from INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS—II

(POLITICS IN INDIA—II)

1. Answer the following as directed: 1×10=10

(a) Who presides over the Lok Sabha?

লোকসভা পরিচালনা কোনে করে?
(b) What is Veto power?

(গেটা কমান কি ?)

(c) What is the name of the book written by M. V. Paylee?

(এর নাম কি ?)

(d) What is the total number of High Courts in India?

(জাতীয় কৌশল কেইখন উচ্চ নায়কের আছে ?)

(e) The Council of Ministers can be dissolved if the _____ passes a vote of no-confidence.

( ফুল ইন দ্য ব্ল্যাক পার্লেমেন্ট যোগো দি মন্ত্রী পরিষদ পতন ঘটাব পারে।)

(f) The President has the right to issue _____.

(এর রাষ্ট্রীয় কমিশন যোগো দি মন্ত্রী পরিষদ পতন ঘটাব পারে।)

(g) The Indian National Congress was established in 1885 in the month of November/December/January.

( শুধু উভয় টা বাঁচি উলিওয়া )

(h) Financial emergency is declared under Article 360/361/362.

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(j) The word ‘secular’ was added to the Preamble of the Indian Constitution by the 42nd Constitutional Amendment of 1976.

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(Contd.)

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"Shudhu Ubboto Baiti Ulitawa"

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2. Write very short answers : 2x5=10

(a) What do you mean by the consolidated fund of India?

(b) Write two causes of growth of regional political parties.

(c) Write two miscellaneous powers of the Rajya Sabha.

(d) Write two powers of the Vice President of India.

(e) How is the Prime Minister of India appointed?

3. Write short answers (any four) : 5x4=20

(a) Write a note on the constitutional position of the Prime Minister.

(b) Write the discretionary powers of the Governor.

(c) Write a note on the writ of Habeas Corpus.

(d) What is the ideology of the Bharatiya Janata Party?

(e) What are the features of coalition government?

(f) What is the composition of the Supreme Court of India?
4. Answer the following questions: 10×4=40

(a) Evaluate the emergency powers of the President.

(b) Discuss the role of the Prime Minister in the Indian political system.

(c) Discuss the powers and functions of the High Court.

(d) Discuss the problems and prospects of regional political parties in India.

Or / অথবা

What is the difference between the Council of Ministers and the Cabinet?

What is the function of the Union Cabinet?

What are the reasons for the decline of power of the Parliament?

Or / অথবা

What do you mean by Pressure Groups? What is its role?
INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS—II

Attempt any four from Question Nos. 1 to 8

1. What is diplomacy? Discuss different types of diplomacy. 5+5=10

2. Discuss the concept of non-alignment. Discuss its relevance in contemporary times. 5+5=10

3. What are the major objectives of UNO? Evaluate the major challenges faced by the UNO in implementing its objectives. 5+5=10

4. Define security. What are the traditional security challenges faced by Nation-States today? 5+5=10

5. Discuss the concept of disarmament. Evaluate the role played by the superpowers in addressing the problems of disarmament during the Cold War period. 5+5=10

6. Discuss the formation of WTO. Evaluate the role of WTO in addressing the problems of developing countries. 5+5=10

7. What is meant by ‘neocolonialism’? Discuss various ways through which ‘neocolonialism’ was practised by powerful States. 5+5=10
8. Critically discuss the role of IMF and World Bank in addressing the global economic problems.

9. Write short notes on (any four) : 5x4=20

(a) NAM
   গোষ্ঠী-নিবেদনের আন্দোলন

(b) UN Charter
   বিশ্বসংঘর চাপ

(c) CTBT

(d) Colonialism
   উপনিবেশিকতাবাদ

(e) Arms Control
   অস্ত্র নিয়ন্ত্রণ

(f) Foreign Policy
   বিদেশিক নীতি

10. Write about the following (very brief) : 2x5=10

(a) Structural Adjustment Programme
   গার্থনিগত সমাবোজন কর্মসূচী

(b) SALT

(c) Bretton Woods Conference
   গ্রেটন উডুচ সমিতিল

(d) Veto Powers in UNSC
   বিশ্বসংঘর নিয়ন্ত্রণ বিপক্ষে ভূতার ক্ষমতা

(e) Secret Diplomacy
   গোপন কূটনীতি

11. Answer the following as directed : 1x10=10

(a) Who is the current Secretary General of the UNO?
   বিশ্বসংঘের বর্তমান সভাপতির নাম কি ?
(b) ‘To eradicate human rights violation’ is one of the goals of Millennium Development Goals.

(Write True or False)

(c) The headquarters of the World Bank is located in London.

(Write True or False)

(d) START Treaty was signed between Soviet Union and USA.

(Write True or False)

(e) The ‘Doha Round’ is associated with IMF.

(Write True or False)

(f) Neocolonialism, the Last Stage of Imperialism was written by

(i) A. G. Frank

(ii) S. Huntington

(iii) G. Bush

(iv) Kwame Nkrumah

(Choose the correct answer)

Neocolonialism, the Last Stage of Imperialism প্রচলনের লিখন

(i) এ. জি. ফ্রাঙ্ক

(ii) এচ. হার্টিংটন

(iii) জি. বুশ

(iv) কোরামে এন্দুমুনা

(Choose the correct answer)

(g) Marrakesh Agreement is related with

(i) disarmament

(ii) WTO

(iii) IMF

(iv) WB

(Choose the correct answer)
(h) India is a signatory to CTBT.
(Write True or False)

ভারতের CTBT একে স্বাক্ষরকারী ব্যাপ্তি।
(শুদ্ধ নে অশুদ্ধ লিখা)

(i) NAM was formed in Belgrade in 1961.
(Write True or False)

নাম (NAM) ১৯৬১ চনে বেলগ্রেডে গঠন হয়েছিল।
(শুদ্ধ নে অশুদ্ধ লিখা)

(j) Who wrote How Europe Underdeveloped Africa?

(i) H. Kissinger
(ii) Morgenthau
(iii) Walter Rodney
(iv) K. Waltz
(Choose the correct answer)