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POLITICAL SCIENCE

(Theory Paper)

Paper Code : PSC 205

**(International Relations : Contemporary
Issues And Challenges)**

Full Marks – 80

Time – Three hours

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

1. Answer any *two* of the following questions :
15×2=30
 - (a) Discuss the Rise of the Nation-State System in International Relations.
 - (b) Elucidate the causes and consequence of the First World War in International Politics.
 - (c) What is Globalisation ? Critically analyse the core features of Globalisation and to impact in International Relations ?
4+11=15

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- (d) Who is a Refugee ? Analyse the International Refugee Crisis in Contemporary International Politics. $4+11=15$

2. Answer any *two* of the following questions : $10 \times 2 = 20$

- (a) Examine the Political and Economic causes of Imperialism in International Politics ?
- (b) "The term Cold War is very often used to denote the very process of East-West Conflict itself." Identify in this context the Cold War rivalry between USA and USSR ?
- (c) What is Humanitarian Intervention ? How legal and legitimate were the Humanitarian Intervention ?
- (d) Analyse the Arab uprising and democratic transition of the countries in the Middle East ?

3. Write short notes on any *four* of the following questions : $5 \times 4 = 20$

- (a) Unipolarity and Multipolarity
- (b) European Union

(c) IMF

(d) North-South divide

(e) Human Security

(f) International Terrorism.

4. Answer the following as directed : $2 \times 5 = 10$

(a) The first wave Countries of European empire building during the fifteenth century were

(i) Dutch, English, French, Portuguese and Spanish

(ii) English, France, Danish and German

(iii) English, German, Italian and Russian

(iv) Spanish, Italy, German and Portuguese

(b) Who were the Axis Powers ?

(c) Bretton Woods Conference was concluded in

(i) July, 1944 (ii) August, 1944

(iii) September, 1944 (iv) October, 1944

(d) United Nations Convention relating to status of Refugees was held in

- (i) Geneva (1951) (ii) Brussel (1952)
- (iii) Hague (1954) (iv) New York (1953)

(e) Jihad is an example of what type of terrorism ?

- (i) Revolutionary (ii) State sponsored
- (iii) Religious (iv) Political.