PG (CBCS) ODD SEMESTER EXAMINATION, 2022

POLITICAL SCIENCE

3rd Semester

COURSE NO. POLCC - 302

(Modern Indian Political Thought)

Full Marks : 70
Pass Marks : 28

Time : 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

Answer any five questions, taking one from each unit

Unit-I

1. Enunciate arguments of MG Ranade for social and economic modernisation during Colonial Period. 14

2. Describe Phule's critique of Brahminism illustrating from his book 'Gulamgiri'. 14

Unit-II

3. Discuss Aurobindo's notion of Freedom in the context of "Human Evolution". 14

4. Elaborate Tagore's critique of Nationalism for its destructive consequences. 14

Unit-III

5. What is Swaraj. Discuss its various connotations with the help of Satya/Truth. 14

6. What is Satyagraha? Give reasons why is it superior to Violence as a weapon of mass struggle. 5+9=14

Unit-IV

7. Discuss Savarkar's idea of Hindutva. How is different from Hinduism? Elaborate. 9+5=14

8. Examine Ambedkar's understanding of hurdles in the process of 'Annihilation of Caste'. 14

Unit-V

9. Describe in detail Jayaprakash Narayanan's concept of Sarvodaya. 14

10. Describe various aspects of Ram Manohar Lohia's Doctrine of New Socialism.

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