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Enrollment Number:

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B.A DEGREE EXAMINATIONS, AUGUST 2025

Second Semester

B.A Economics

B21PS01AN – Indian Political System and Democracy

(2023 January & 2024 July Admissions)

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

Time: 3 Hours

Max Marks: 70

Section A

Answer any ten of the following questions in a word or sentence each. Each question carries 1 mark.

1. Name any two factors that led to the emergence of nationalism in India.
2. Define Dyarchy established by Government of India Act of 1919.
3. Objectives Resolution
4. Article 44.
5. What do you mean by Human Rights?
6. NHRC
7. List out any two veto powers of the President of India.
8. Writ of Prohibition.
9. Judicial Activism.
10. Electoral Coalition.
11. Write any two elements that distinguishes New Social Movements from Old Social Movements.
12. Concurrent list.
13. The Gujral Doctrine.
14. The Panchasheel Agreement.
15. Narrate India's position on disarmament.

(1X10=10)

Section B

Answer any ten of the following questions in two or three sentences each. Each question carries 2 marks.

16. Define integrated judicial system of India.
17. Explain the role of cultural and educational rights in the protection of multiculturalism.

18. Narrate the purpose of joint sitting of the both houses of parliament.
19. Write any four socialistic principles included in DPSP.
20. What are the individual privileges of members of parliament?
21. Define collective responsibility of the council of ministers.
22. Explain the power of Original Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of India.
23. Write any two features of coalition politics.
24. List out the key features of Regional Parties.
25. Chipko Movement
26. Examine the functions of the NITI Aayog.
27. Describe the role of the Finance Commission.
28. Assess the external factors which pose challenges to our federalism.
29. List out the initiatives by the government of India to combat climate change.
30. Why India had changed its approach towards climate change during post 1990s?

(2X10=20)

Section C

Answer any five of the following questions in a paragraph each. Each question carries 4 marks.

31. Identify the important sources of Indian constitution.
32. Assess the importance of fundamental duties in India.
33. Describe the powers of the Speaker of Lok Sabha.
34. Discuss the stages involved in law making process in India.
35. Elaborate the executive functions of the President of India.
36. Explain the features of dominant party system in India.
37. Differentiate between political parties and interest groups.
38. Discuss the relevance of India Against Corruption movement.
39. Examine the Division of Powers in Indian Constitution.
40. Discuss the nature of foreign policy during Prime Minister Modi's phase.

(4X5=20)

Section D

Answer any two of the following questions in two pages each. Each question carries 10 marks.

41. Evaluate the features of Government of India Act of 1935.
42. Analyse the role of fundamental rights in strengthening of Indian democracy.
43. Outline the determinants of India's foreign policy.
44. Evaluate the areas of conflict in Indian federalism.

(10X2=20)