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VI Semester B.A. Degree (Private Registration) Regular Examination, April 2023  
(2020 Admission)

**CORE COURSE IN POLITICAL SCIENCE**  
**6B13POL : Indian Political Thought**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

## PART – A

I. Short answer. Answer **all** questions, **each** in **one** or **two** sentences. **Each** answer carries **one** mark.

- 1) Middle path of Buddhism.
- 2) Universal Religion of Vivekananda.
- 3) Trusteeship of Property.
- 4) Sree Narayana Guru on Universalism.
- 5) Ramakrishna Mission.
- 6) *Hind Swaraj*.

(6×1=6)

## PART – B

II. Short essay. Answer **any six** questions. **Each** answer carries **two** marks.

- 7) Discuss the Saptanga Theory of Kautilya.
- 8) Discuss Ram Manohar Lohia's concept of New Socialism.
- 9) Would it be correct to say that Tilak's view on Nationalism had a revivalist orientation? Comment.
- 10) Briefly explain Gokhale idea of Nationalism.
- 11) Explain the main feature of Ancient Indian Political Thought.
- 12) What are the similarities and differences of Hinduism moksha and Buddhism's nirvana?

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- 13) Explain the concept of Integral Nationalism as advocated by Deen Dayal Upadhyaya.
- 14) Write a short note on the Philosophy of Radical Humanism as advocated by M.N. Roy.

(2×6=12)

## PART – C

III. Answer **any four** questions, **each** in **120** words. **Each** answer carries **three** marks.

- 15) Do you agree that Raja Ram Mohan was the father of Indian Renaissance? Explain.
- 16) Critically discuss the nature of social order emphasized by Manu.
- 17) Examine Ramabai's contribution to gender issues.
- 18) Discuss Jayaprakash Narayan's concept of Total Revolution.
- 19) Examine Gandhiji's view on Non-Violence.
- 20) Explain Nehru's ideology of Democratic Socialism.

(3×4=12)

## PART – D

IV. Essay questions. Answer **any two**. **Each** answer carries **five** marks.

- 21) Discuss the relevance of Vivekananda's philosophy of Ideal Society.
- 22) Examine the concept of social justice with special reference to Dr. B.R. Ambedkar.
- 23) Discuss the constructive programme advocated by Gandhiji, which is central to the understanding of Gandhi's concept of Swaraj.
- 24) Critically evaluate the concept of Secularism as advocated by Jawaharlal Nehru.

(5×2=10)