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**II Semester B.A. Degree (CCSS – Supple./Improv.) Examination, May 2015**  
**CORE COURSE IN POLITICAL SCIENCE**  
**2B02 POL : Introduction to Political Sciences**  
**(2011 – '13 Adm.)**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Weightage : 30

1. Objective type :

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A) The number of Articles in the Constitution of India is

- 1) 365
- 2) 367
- 3) 395
- 4) 368

B) "The observable activities which make up the political system"

- 1) Structure
- 2) Functions
- 3) Input
- 4) Output

C) "Checks and Balances" exist in the constitution of

- 1) USA
- 2) France
- 3) China
- 4) Russia

D) Third sector of the society is

- 1) State
- 2) Media
- 3) Civil society
- 4) Government

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2. Fill in the blanks :

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- A) \_\_\_\_\_ is considered as the exponent of the theory of separation of powers.  
 B) Absolutism or unlimited power is called \_\_\_\_\_  
 C) The oldest method of study in political science is \_\_\_\_\_  
 D) Executives, appointed for a long term basis is known as \_\_\_\_\_

3. Match the following :

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|----------------------|--------------------------------------|
| A) Almond            | Human nature in politics             |
| B) Graham Wallas     | System analysis in political science |
| C) David Easton      | New aspects in politics              |
| D) Charles E. Meriam | Civic culture                        |

Short questions. Answer **any nine** of the following. Weightage **1** for **each** answer.

4. Executive
5. Pluralism
6. Parties
7. Constitutionalism
8. Post behaviouralism
9. Functions
10. Separation of powers
11. Political psychology
12. Democracy
13. Verification
14. Lok Sabha
15. Traditionalism
16. Charles E. Meriam.

(9×1=9 Weightage)



Paragraph questions. Answer **any five**. Answer shall **not** exceed **100** words. Weightage **2** for **each** answer.

17. Write a note on parliament.
18. Attempt a paragraph on 'Monism'.
19. Write a comparative note on political and permanent executive.
20. What do you mean by public opinion ?
21. Write a paragraph on "separation of powers".
22. Explain traditionalism in political science.
23. What is political anthropology ? (5×2=10 Weightage)

Essay type questions. Answer **any two**. Answer shall **not** exceed **500** words. Weightage **4** for **each** answer.

24. Define Constitution and examine its classifications.

OR

25. Write an essay on the interdisciplinary approaches to political science.  
 26. Write an essay on the three organs of the government.

OR

27. Write an essay on the major approaches to political science.

(2×4=8 Weightage)