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Test - 01



## POLITICAL SCIENCE

Time Allowed: 3 hr.

Max. Marks: 250

### Instructions to Candidate

- There are EIGHT questions. Candidate has to attempt FIVE questions in all.
- Question no. 1 and 5 are compulsory and out of the remaining, THREE are to be attempted.
- Answers must be written in the medium authorized in the Admission certificate which must be stated clearly on the cover of this Question-cum-Answer (QCA) booklet in the space provided. No marks will be given for answers written in medium other than the authorized one.
- Word limit in questions, wherever specified, should be adhered to.
- Attempts of questions shall be counted in chronological order. Unless struck off, attempt of a question shall be counted even if attempted partly. Any page or portion of the page left blank in the answer book must be clearly struck off.

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**SECTION A**

1. Answer the following questions: (150 Words Each)  $(10 \times 5 = 50)$

- (a) Gandhian Views on Parliamentary Swaraj
- (b) Contributions of M. N. Roy to Modern Indian Politics.
- (c) Historic Materialism by Marx
- (d) Communitarian perspective of justice.
- (e) How 'contentious pluralism' does helps a democracy to reinvent itself?

So: 1(a) Although GANDHI is not considered as a political philosopher in contemporary sense, but his Ideas & experiments had many relevant political connotations. <sup>No ed. relevant introduction</sup> One such idea was that of SWARAJ. Gandhi has taken this idea from the book - GITA where Swaraj is linked to cessation of desires. He in his book HIND SWARAJ modified the concept & gave his concept of PARLIAMENTARY SWARAJ.

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Gandhi who is an ANARCHIST called for creation of RAM RAJYA. For him State represents a COERCIVE force which is antagonistic with HUMAN DIGNITY.

For Gandhi, AHIMSA or NON VIOLENCE was an article of faith hence his swaraj cannot have elements of coercive power. Thus he alternatively proposed OCEANIC CIRCLE OF POWER.

Gandhi's pacifist swaraj is also linked to his idea of SARVODAYA. For him upliftment of most disadvantaged & weakest in the real sense of SWARAJ.

Then as Ramchandra Guha

puts it - "Gandhian experiments have expanded the boundary of politics as well as political sciences."

Remarks:

~~Incomplete & vague~~  
~~Read topic again from hints or roles~~

2(b) Sudipto Kaviraj calls MN Roy as the only <sup>Indian</sup> political philosopher in the real sense.

MN Roy's ideological journey from revolutionary nationalist to Marxist to finally RADICAL HUMANIST has provided new radical ideas to Indian politics. His works including INDIA IN TRANSITION, TOWARDS COMMUNISM, 22 THESIS ON RADICAL HUMANISM are starting points for many Marxists including R. D. Sarkar.

But the most important political idea was MN Roy's negation of MARXISM in India & providing a REASONE-D counter narrative. For Roy, Marxist ideas of historical materialism, dialectics, class struggle & revolution are not applicable in India.

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in book - On Indian ideology in brief  
HISTORIC MATERIALISM  
Out of my many ideas, the subject of  
the most outstanding feature  
of Karl Marx is ~~should~~ to be one

~~Capitalism has been developed through  
which had passed through various forms to  
RATIONALITY together with EDUCATION  
Capitalism goes this form of ECONOMY  
knowing that it - if the most successful  
will rise through But as struggle  
economy, mainly as a result of profit  
of partly in democratic, legislative  
free individuality. The other country  
ideal of cosmopolitan unity of  
individualism which was based on~~

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For most, it is the MATERIAL  
capital which is the driving force of growth.  
More had rejected the concept of  
HISTORIC IDEAS in favour of Hegel's materialism.  
It is the idea that in the end just  
like ideas - as in reality to time we  
belonged thereby.  
Thus years - as in reality to time we  
used to call & for that we need  
not of control or mind or power  
but an act of translation is the man  
idea who developed by ORTHODOX HEGELIS  
the human etc is also supposed that  
ECONOMIC structure which determines the  
movement of society.  
But there idea were such  
said by Neo Marxist like Gramsci,  
KOLIS AGRUSSE the Shaqueard that Man's  
lament is ENDOMIC EDUCATION of other  
Society now in its development than of class  
of poor of lower class of society than  
of upper class of poor of lower class

parts of superstructure also exist & play an important role.

1(d)

COMMUNITARIAN PERSPECTIVE of Justice came as a counter to the LIBERTARIAN perspective (R. Nozick) & FOUCAULTIAN perspective. Scholars like Michael Sandel, Walzer, Charles Taylor, Macintyre etc. have criticised Rawls concept of Justice.

For communitarians, man is never an ATOMISTIC SELF-INTEREST always SITUATED in his COMMUNITY  
 -> Thus his sense of Justice is shaped by the values of his community.  
 They criticised Rawls claim of a UNIVERSAL Idea of Justice at FAIRNESS.

For communitarians this is

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 of justice  
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## PLURALITY of Justice.

M. Walzer in his book - Spheres of Justice says - "different social goods need to be distributed differently based on different spheres of Justice."

For Charles Taylor, individuals always see the virtue of Justice through the lens of the community.

In recent years many multiculturalists like Will Kymlicka, Bikhu Parekh etc have also extended the debate of cultural content in the liberal philosophical tradition.

Ques We are living in the age of DEMOCRACY but also in the age of DEMOCRATIC CONFUSION. Today there are many country specific, leader specific models of democracy. But the most

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In what ways has the government been successful in its efforts to implement the recommendations of the Constitutional Commission? In what ways has it failed? What are the strengths and weaknesses of the Constitutional Commission's recommendations? How have they been received by the public? What are the strengths and weaknesses of the Constitutional Commission's recommendations? How have they been received by the public?

**2. Attempt all questions:**

- (a) Provide justification as to how the Welfare State actually enhances individual liberty on the basis of views of eminent scholars who support the notion of such a state? (200 Words) (15 Marks)
- (b) Explain the statement by Robert Nozick "The minimal state is inspiring as well as right". (200 Words) (15 Marks)
- (c) Analyse the reasons behind Ambedkar's call for complete transformation of Indian social structure and destruction of Brahmanical supremacy as the only path for emancipation of the deprived. (250 Words) (20 Marks)

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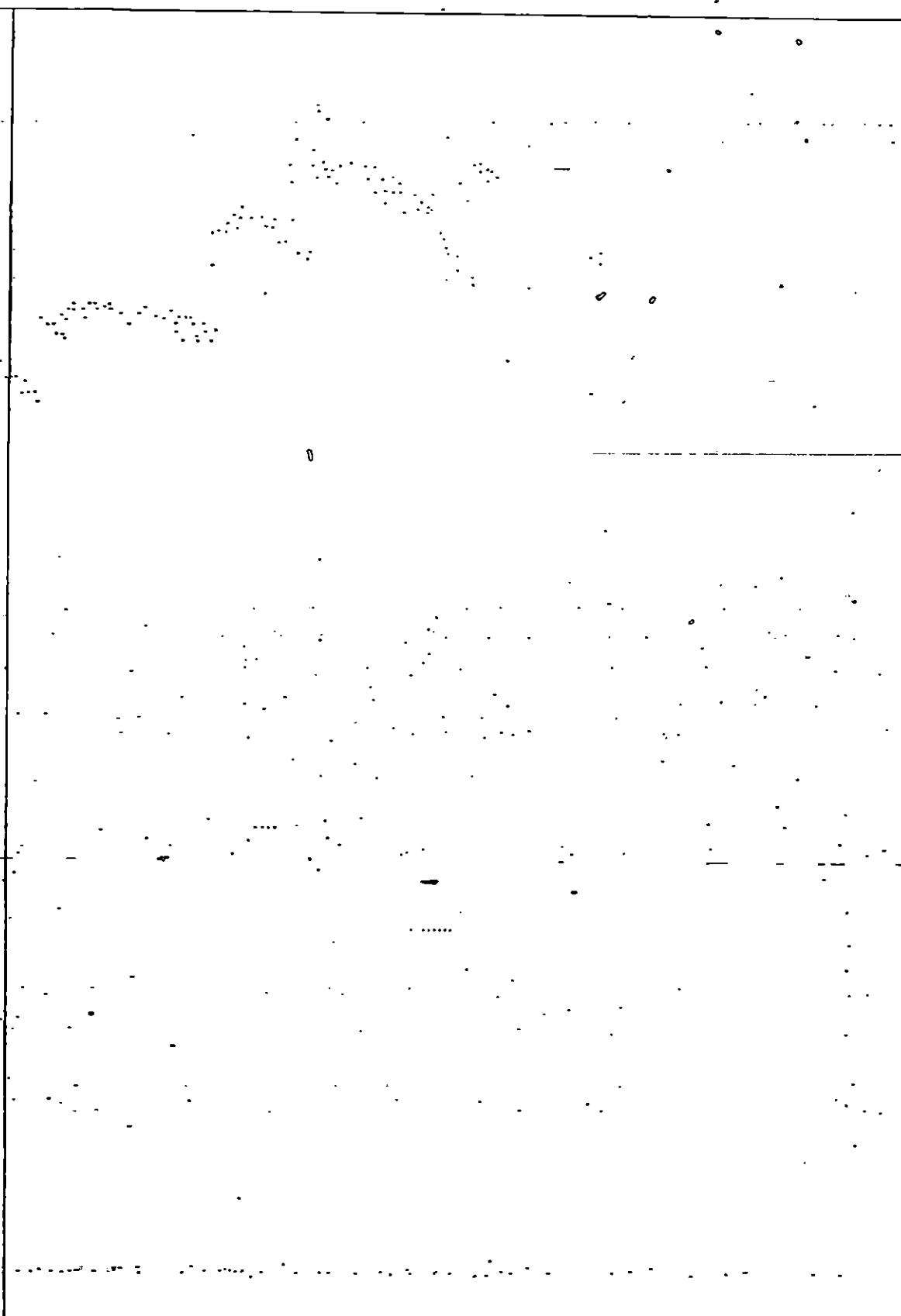
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3. Attempt all questions:

- (a) According to Vaughan, in the state advocated by Hobbes, the only cement that binds the individuals together is the sheer terror of the tyrant "Leviathan" that stands above them all. How justified is this statement in your views?  
(200 Words) (15 Marks)
- (b) Discuss the relationship between Ethics and politics as per views of Aristotle.  
(200 Words) (15 Marks)
- (c) What compelling conditions are behind creation of State as per John Lock and what are its basic features?  
(250 Words) (20 Marks)

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## 4. Attempt all questions:

- (a) Mill's defence of rights of women was in tune with his general views on equality and liberty. Discuss. (200 Words) (15 Marks)
- (b) What are the social and ideological foundations of Fascism? In what aspects does it show similarity to Communism? (200 Words) (15 Marks)
- (c) While classical Marxism can hardly replace liberalism as the dominant ideology due to its own faults but it will continue to serve as a check on excesses of the Capitalist system. Discuss. (250 Words) (20 Marks)

(a) JS Mill is considered as one of the greatest liberal scholars. It is said that if anybody deserves to be called a liberal it is JS Mill. His work "On Liberty", "On Republican government", "On Subjugation of Women" are some of the best known works in the field of liberty, equality & women rights.

JS Mill has extensively discussed & defended the rights of liberty & equality. He not only promoted freedom of speech & expression but also associated freedom like freedom of association etc. He argued - that - "all but one men in the

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majority would be wrong to shut the minority opinion. Mill had argued that TRUTH can only be found out after deliberation. For him even a mad man could have something reasonable to say.

Mill has also defended equality in the most sense. For Mill all men are equal in most sense & hence all should begin with equal rights; especially of freedom of speech & expression.

In his work on - SUBJUGATION OF WOMEN, JS Mill had argued for equal suffrage rights for women & thus was one of the foremost feminist scholars.

His love for equality & freedom / liberty can be sensed from the fact that he argued ~~that~~ - DEMOCRACY to be the best form of government.

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But scholars like PARKER have called Mill as a scholar of EMPTY LIBERTY & ABSTRACT INDIVIDUALISM.

But it would be wrong to say that Mill had an empty notion of liberty. Rather Mill's argument for monarchy in BARBARIAN countries was extension of the fact that for him democracy & liberty is not a gift. colonies must first be ready to adopt these.

Thus when today freedom of speech & expression together with liberty is under attack because of fundamentalism, terrorism etc JS Mill's work are the best recourse to protection of humanity's most cherished liberty.

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from now  
to have a correct  
understanding

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4(b)

FASCISM is not considered as an ideology in normative sense. Rather it is considered to be a WORST FORM OF POWER POLITICS. In common parlance it is known by NAZISM, etc.

Scholars ranging from Hanna Arendt to Erich Fromm, Niebuhr etc. have been trying to study the causes for the rise of fascism.

In this regard ERICH FROOM's work on "fear of freedom" is a classic. Froom argues that modernity had led to excessive individualism & alienation of individual from himself. Thus the individual - at now seeks refuge in leaders which appear to be SUPERMAN.

Similarly scholars have analysed that the solid base for Fascism has been primarily been middle classes which have

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Pro organization of assets  
First talk about the social actual titles & then bring of scholars

a feeling of estrangement because of rapid urbanization, modernization etc.

the work of Karl Mannheim - SOCIOLOGY

of KNOWLEDGE is worth mentioning:

Similarly Hanna Arendt has argued that hyper-nationalism provides an ideologically fertile ground for rise of fascism. She has even equated COMMUNISM, SOCIALISM, STALINISM with Fascism.

But the debate is still ~~is~~ underway. While liberals have called ~~communists~~ as fascists, socialist scholars like Lazăr call "Fascism as the last resistance from the liberal side".

While there are some similarities in way leaders like Lenin implemented Communism but still there are major differences. While Communism calls for stateless, classless society fascism has very strong state leaders. Similarly

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You had to  
show so many  
similarities

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While fascism's main concern is power & the leader for communism it is exploitation of the masses. Thus there may be superficial similarities but there are definitely some stark differences as well.

Q(C) Liberalism & Marxism have been the dominant ideology in the domain of political science. But after the end of Cold War, acceptance of market economy by China, India, decline of Arab socialism thesis like END OF HISTORY ie end of ideological battle because mainstream. The scholar like FRANCIS FUKUYAMA's work of liberalism winning the battle of ideologies is worth mentioning.

Scholar both within & outside Marxism have tried to analyze the reason for decline of Marxist ideology. Scholastic

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Neo Marxist theory thought like GRAMSCI, Adorno, Max Horkheimer blame it on the authoritarian regimes that LENIN & STALIN had established in former USSR.

But still the critical school theorist agree that Marxist conception of alienation is still very relevant. Also scholars like Andrew Webb, Sidney Webb, etc argue that till the time there is poverty, hunger, inequality, in the world communist ideology will have relevance.

Even scholar like Karl Marx himself in his work IDEOLOGY & UTOPIA has called Marxism/Communism as ideology of the poor masses.

Thus it might be true that

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What were the possible reasons for its decline one by one pointwise.

Classical Marxism with its focus on revolution,<sup>its mode</sup> economic determinism & class struggle might not have much relevance today but Marx's ideas of alienation, freedom from necessities etc. still are very relevant.

Even scholars like Niesbet, Seminars have expanded these ideas by giving concepts like POWER LINES of the masses.

Given in India - socialist program is not only engrained in the constitution but is also very relevant. Thus it can be safely concluded that classical Marxism might not become a dominant ideology but still it would provide an effective check against capitalist system.

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H.W. Serve as a check & critique of Capitalism & Liberalism.

## SECTION B

5. Answer the following questions: (150 Words ( $10 \times 5 = 50$ )
- Basic Features of Critical theory.
  - The Public-Private Divide as per Feminist Theory.
  - Laski's theory of Rights: Main arguments.
  - The Post-Colonial state is a product of circumstances created by Colonialism. Comment.
  - Pluralist perspective on Power.

S/1) CRITICAL THEORY is a Neoplanist school of thought which evolved in the CHICAGO school in late 1960s. Scholars like MAX HORKHEIMER, THEODOR ADORNO, HERBERT MARCUSE & later JURGEN HABERMAS have expanded the idea of YOUNG MARX particularly ALIENATION & HUMAN ESSENCE.

For critical school theorists orthodox Marxism as propounded by Lenin etc. is not the real essence of Marxism. They call concepts like historical materialism as CRUDE ECONOMIC REDUCTIONISM.

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TIONISM.

They have rather focused on elements of superstructure. In this regard Adorno & Horkheimer's work of "Dialectics of Enlightenment" is a detailed discussion on how Capitalist social order has led to formation of MASS CULTURE.

Critical theorists like Herbert Marcuse in their work - "One Dimensional Man" has expanded the idea of alienation. Theodor Adorno has identified mass media as an industry of creating mass culture.

Critical school theorist Habermas has also criticised science & modernity for excessive individualism. Thus he proposes COMMUNICATIVE ACTION & PUBLIC SPHERE to be utilised for ending of alienation between the people.

#### Remarks

What is the basic view of this school?  
What do they say about Marxism & Liberalism?  
What is their contribution?

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old culture has this  
of adults how this  
adolescence seems so  
young and full of  
energy and enthusiasm  
that it is difficult to determine  
whether this is a result of  
natural development or  
of external factors  
For the most (sexual politics)  
PATRIARCHY.

Public private divide is one of the  
fundamental concepts linked with  
that Chapman's concept of  
RADICAL FEMINIST POLITIC THOUGH  
in the words of Gao Hezhi  
is "public" and "private"  
which is now by its definition  
radical feminism is a contradiction  
different from other traditions like  
liberalism, socialist in the sense that for  
them patriarchy was the root cause of  
inequality of women.  
SUSAN HOWE ORIN, SIMONE DE BEAUVOIR  
KATE MILLET, the divide of public &  
private always is actually an outcome of  
the relationship between men and women.

Susan Moller Oken in her book Gender Justice & Society has talked about the following connotations.

- (1) Politics in public impact the private sphere like legislation on domestic violence.
- (2) public & private interface has diluted.
- (3) private relationship between husband & wife is governed by political power.

This for radical feminist if women are to come out of deprivations & degradations, the public private divide has to be abolished.

(c) Laski is one of most prominent social liberal thinkers who have extensively dwelt in the arena of rights.

Laski belongs to TRADITIONAL & MORAL RIGHTS tradition. For Laski rights are those which leads to moral upliftment of the society.

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friends & the people  
of your community  
is the best way to  
achieve the goal of  
Human Rights & Human  
Dignity.

Sociology is related to the concept

We study that MONISTIC notion of  
feudal society is an "injustice"  
"struggling for the salvation in the  
worldly phenomena". But stills that

of servitude, caste & Hinduism are the  
biggest factors for the socialization

and also some of society  
should be in society. Thus all the institutions

caste is just one of the many absolute

lastly, it is the fact that

society's right & individual rights  
for him there is no relationship between  
rights are those which common people  
rights of positive law. For any

lastly suggests the notion of human

Q1) State is one of the most contested concept in political science. As Garner puts it "political science starts & ends with state".

In this regard the analysis of POST COLONIAL STATES is a recent development. Here concepts of OVER DEVELOPED STATE given by Hamza Alavi is of the view that "state in countries like Bangladesh & Pakistan is an outcome of the circumstances created by colonialism".

Alavi argues that in these countries state has become overdeveloped & gained relative autonomy. Rather state has become a class onto itself.

Alavi's analysis is influenced by Niccolas Poulantzas - relatively autonomous

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(27) Why?  
How did this happen?  
What role has bureaucracy played in this?

## State analysis.

For Alavi, post colonial countries have PRISMATIC SOCIETIES but modern administration. This mismatch into politics & economics has led to OVER ARCHING role to be taken by State.

State now becomes a equilibrium maker between RURAL INDIGENOUS BOURGEOISE, METRO POLITAN BOURGEOISE & MILITARY.  
He has given the concept of Metropolitan military oligarchy for state structure in

Pakistan:

gives his analysis that provided a clear understanding of state & its role in post colonial countries.

(e) Power is essentially the most contested concept in the discipline of political science. It is source, nature, function & origin of power which all are essentially contested.

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In this regard PLURALIST tradition proposed by ROBERT DAHL in his study "WHO GOVERNS?" negated the elitist concept of power as proposed by C. Wright Mills.

Dahl gives the concept of POLYARCHY i.e. many interest groups & associations hold equal power.

Pluralist tradition was also opposed to the elitist scholars like Pareto (Fox & lion concept); Robert Michels (Iron law of oligarchy).

But later even Robert Dahl has changed his views gave the concept of DEFORMED POLYARCHY, i.e. corporates having more power.

Pluralist scholars like Laski<sup>2</sup>, Maciver etc. have also rejected monistic sovereign centric view of power rather gone for a pluralistic approach.

Pluralist views include  
of Charles Lindblom & David Gauthier

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**6. Attempt all questions:**

- (a) What is participatory and deliberative democracy? Examine the methods of participatory and deliberative democracy. (200 Words) (15 Marks)
- (b) Provide arguments to support the statement "Liberty and equality are inherently opposed to each other". (200 Words) (15 Marks)
- (c) Although they bear several resemblances, the views of Machiavelli, and Kautilya originate from radically different sources and reflect opposite spirit and ideology. Explain. (250 Words) (20 Marks)

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7. Attempt all questions:

- (a) What are the general features of the Dharmashastras Tradition of Indian Political thought and how does Bhikhu Parekh bring out its various shortcomings?  
 (200 Words) (15 Marks)
- (b) What do you understand by 'spiritual nationalism' by Aurobindo Ghosh? Why was the Congress according to him not able to gain Swaraj? (200 Words) (15 Marks)
- (c) Equality of Resources as advocated by Dworkin consists of redistribution being done as continuous process rather than being a one time phenomena. Also bring out the salient features of "Equality of Capabilities" approach by Dr. Amartya Sen.  
 (250 Words) (20 Marks)

7(a) DHARMA SHASTRA tradition is one of the most prominent ancient Indian political thought. It has DHARMA as the over arching concept but still has touched on visesha like origin of state, nature of state, authority of king, interstate relations, questions of sovereignty, aims of life etc.

This as Ramaswamy Iyer puts it - it has both political & philosophical elements. <sup>elaborate work on his view</sup>

In Dharmashastrai origin of state/ king is talked about via QVASI CONTRACT between people & God to review the ARAJAATA

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& MATSYA NYAYA. Thus king has divine personality with absolute power. But the tradition also talks about king's duty in the form of RAJYA DHARMA.

Similarly Dharmashastra has talked about PATERNAL AUTHORITY of king. In Manusmriti it is written that "in the welfare of the people lies the welfare of the king".

~~Periods  
Buddhist  
Poor framework~~

Manusmriti (earliest of Dharmashastras) has also talked about interstate relation ship (Mandala theory) & state sovereignty (Saptanga theory). Thus the political ideas were wide ranging & comprehensively discussed.

But scholars like Bikhram Parch have pointed out certain shortcomings of the tradition. Bikhram Parch states that the tradition was REGRESSIVE, STATUS QUOIST.

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(S) It would been better if you stated your views on Dharma texts regarding JUSTICE CASTE SYSTEM.

as it had accepted the VARNA THEORY.  
 He says - that while Buddhist  
tradition was democratic, Dhaarmashastr  
-a was undemocratic. He has also  
compared absolute authority to king in  
the Dhaarmashastr tradition with  
limited sovereignty in Buddhism to  
Maharajahmat.

Scholar like Gail Omvedt,  
Kancha Iliaiah have also argued that  
 while Dhaarmashastr accepted inegali-  
tarian social order, Buddhism was aimed  
at creating counter hegemony by the  
Dalits.

- (Q) AUROBINDO GHOSH is considered  
 to be one of the foremost proponents  
 of CULTURAL <sup>Spiritual</sup> NATION ALISM. Rabindra-  
 nath Tagore had said "that the Idea  
 of spirit of India would be spread in  
 the world by the works of Aurobindo".

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Aurobindo belonged to the school of SPIRITUAL NATIONALISM. He was greatly influenced by German philosopher Hegel & Heddle as well as Neo Vedantins of Swami Vivekananda. Aurobindo in his writings in LIFE DIVINE, NEW LAMPS FOR THE OLD EYE has elaborated on the idea of spiritual nationalism.

For Ghosh, India was NATION from the very beginning. It is just that SPIRIT of India was not AWAKENED. Once he asked the youth to join the freedom struggle to liberate SHAKTI BHARAT MATA.

For Ghosh, liberating Indian Spirit & nation is not for the Indian but also for the world. He has further

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Blame more on spiritual & religious aspects.

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given his theory of INTEGRAL HUMAN UNITY & COSMOPOLITAN WORLD SYSTEM.

Thus his nationalism had an internationalist outlook.

He also disagreed on the moderate notion of Swaraj. He called their methods of prayer & petitions as political mendicancy.

For Gokhale, Swaraj is not just political freedom but also SPIRITUAL FREEDOM.

He had also criticised moderate notion that British rule was blessing in disguise. Gokhale elaborated on method like PASSIVE RESISTANCE to be followed for real swaraj.

Thus it was clear that his ideas were different & often counteracted the British hegemony & civilizing mission & rather provided Indians with a sense of respect & unity.

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Why only critique of moderate free voter system is about the whole Congress Party?

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7(c)

Sustainability is a SOVEREIGN VIRTUE  
as it would broaden our mind if it.

Value of Hydropower is  
not sustainable but eventually turn to the

value of Hydropower is  
not sustainable

equally & with sustainability with today  
not pollution & threat to environment

ETHICAL BASIS of hydropower is  
an evaluation of development on basis

a LEVEL PLAYING FIELD for equality  
for division there should be  
ideal JUSTICE & EQUALITY

ROLE OF GOVERNMENT & INDIVIDUAL CIVIL JUSTICE  
which state should duly compensate for  
acts of ENVIRONMENTAL GENITIVE ACTIVITY

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ROLE OF GOVERNMENT  
ROLE OF INDIVIDUAL  
ROLE OF CIVIL SOCIETY

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DWORKIN argues for providing extra  
privileges in his thought experiment to  
those who have ~~a~~ true will.

~~Yours DWORKIN argues that  
competing by differentiation should be  
done at the ~~starting~~ & then all should  
be allowed to pursue their goals & state  
should provide maximum participation rights.  
Thus for DWORKIN it is better to implement rights  
once than as a continuous process.~~

Amartha Sen has criticised the  
idea of R.Dworkin by stating that equality  
of resources is not enough; rather use  
should focus on EQUAL CAPABILITIES.  
Sen defines capability as the ability to  
do what & want to do. Thus more  
equal resources would not provide a  
level playing field.... whatever need is

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Your<sup>sb</sup> answer will be incomplete if you don't mention parametric variations

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equal capacity to ~~to~~ pursue our goals.

Gives an example; that an illiterate (not having capacity) would not have any use for book (resource). Thus strategy should be for equal capabilities.

Even Martha Nussbaum

agreed on Sen's lines. The MULTI-DIMENSIONAL HUMAN DEVELOPMENT index also uses the capability approach

to provide empirical data on capabilities across the various parameters.

But scholars like R. Nozick, Hayek, Th. Friedman have criticised both Dworkin & Sen's idea of equality. For them equality of resources & capabilities takes liberty of an individual. But Indian constitution through affirmative action & its welfare function is a concrete example of Sen's model.

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8. Attempt all questions:

- "Gender is one of the many identities of an individual" and acceptance of the fact is actually a prerequisite for the feminist perspective to be effective. Discuss and also analyse how the modern state is viewed by Feminist. (200 Words) (15 Marks)
- Hobbes starts with 'Individualism' and 'Liberalism' but ended with 'Totalitarianism'. Discuss. (200 Words) (15 Marks)
- Describe in detail the features of 'Theory of Justice given by John Rawls' with special reference to the "Difference Principle". (250 Words) (20 Marks)

8(a)) Feminism is a META IDEOLOGY.

which has many strands within it.

Often these have the common concern  
but their understanding of the causes  
& solution are very different.

Thus while radical feminist  
like Betty Friedan, Kate Millett, Susan  
Molko Stein etc. call for diluting the  
differences of gender in post modern  
post feminist school of thought rather  
calls for embracing WOMENHOOD.

For post modern scholars  
WOMENHOOD is ~~a~~ <sup>call</sup> for celebration.

They call for SISTERHOOD based on the

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Common cultural & biological characteristics of women.

~~Talk about gender identity~~ Nowadays many post feminist scholars also argue that gender is just one of the many identities that a person has. They call for DIFFERENTIATION based on social groupings.

Also post colonial scholars like UMA Chakravortty etc. talk about gender plus social identity as the way of differentiation.

As the above discussion brings out the divergencies among various feminist discourses, similar is their analysis of ROLE & FUNCTION of state.

Radical feminist like Catherine Mackinnon has argued that state represents male power. Scholars like Kate Millett in her book "Sexual politics" criticises the

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How does state serve some notion of patriarchy?  
What needs to be done?



social contract tradition scholars.

Also Susan Moller Okin in her Gender Justice & Society wants the state to play an active role in upliftment of women.

Scholar like IRIS MARION YOUNG call for differentiated citizenship where they call for EQUATING ~~by~~ Differentiating. They the tradition is contested & there are many feminist models on state.

(b) Hobbes has been called as greatest of all individualists. But scholars have also criticised his ABSOLUTE state is Leviathan.

Hobbes analysis is based on his understanding of human nature. For Hobbes, state of nature was a 'WAR OF ALL AGAINST ALL'. There was no peace & security. Every body

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Was sovereign in their own right. Thus he proposes a social contract where state (Leviathan) becomes the only SOVEREIGN. For Hobbes, Chaos & anarchy leads to human degradation. Thus he prefers stability over liberty.

Hobbes thus establishes that

"liberty exists where law is silent". For

him individual Caesarism absolute

liberty & can resist only for preservation

of life. Actually <sup>as long as law is silent</sup> his liberty is unrestricted

Thus scholars call him an ABSOLUTIST in his prescriptions. But this is not to say that was a logically inconsistent thinker.

Rather he was the most LOGICALLY CONSISTENT thinker. He has used

RESOLUTIVE COMPOSITIVE method to derive at his conclusions.

Remarks

~~Read again~~

Hobbes argue that it is because of the selfish self serving human nature & his concern for the individual that he prescribes an absolute state.

This can be compared with

John Locke who has argued for a CONSTITUTIONAL UNITED STATE.

For Locke, humans have reason & hence state cannot be absolute.

But the difference in Hobbes

Locke should be seen as their presence in time. While Hobbes saw the phase of revolutions (Puritan etc.) Locke saw the peaceful glorious evolution.

This Hobbes Leviathan is ABSOLUTE but only for protection of Hobbesian individual. As Lasti says "Every scholar is a child of his times" hence it was the time of British history that had influenced Hobbes ideas.

Remarks

This was the main demand of the author you had to pick up your point in his defense

86)

John Rawls is considered to be one of the most prominent political philosopher of the 20th century. His idea, JUSTICE AS FAIRNESS given in his book by the <sup>first</sup> ~~Author~~

same name, has been a starting point for many subsequent scholars like Amartya Sen (resource redistribution), Amartya Sen (capability model), R. Nozick (entitlement theory). Even the communitarian have used Rawls theory of justice to answer their own conception.

Rawls wanted to give a DENTALO

GICAT, UNIVERSAL, GRAND THEORY of Justice. Thus he invents new political

philosophical concepts

Rawls has used new concepts

like ORIGINAL POSITION, VELY FAVORITISM

Remarks

~~Democracy & original position  
Original position behind the~~

REFLEXIVE EQUILIBRIUM in his derivation of principles of Justice.

For Rawls, "rational individuals behind the veil of ignorance & in original position would deliberate & reach on the principles of Justice which would provide FAIR TERMS OF COOPERATION to all.

thus he comes out with the following principle of Justice as Fairness.

in the ~~same~~ lexical order.

(i) Maximum liberty to all

(ii) Equality of opportunity to all

ii (b) Difference principle - in actions should be such that it should lead to the betterment of the least advantaged.

Thus he proposes a system which

he calls as the FIRST VIRTUE OF SOCIAL INSTITUTIONS. He says -

"it should be fair to both rich & poor, socialist & capitalist".

Remarks

Use  
more  
accurate  
phrasing

This idea of different province was first  
suggested by R. D. Webster whom later about  
1917 playing game for the people.  
But it's better both limitation of  
country limitation - freedom of total liberty  
(throughout the same result could be done while)  
UN ENCLAVE STATE. Making two parts  
M. Goulds, Rangoon. Industrial is an ABSOLUTE  
for communal term like Wales,  
gives the different system of India.  
has sacrificed liberty for the safety  
through off limitation rule.  
So which can be a TAC + apart  
and of course  
in practical philosophy is after such discussion  
that in your country you can do what you want  
but in India it is difficult to talk about autonomy  
because of NYAY + NEEDI is also important  
for you, it is more to talk about autonomy  
theory of public. Still Gauls control the nation  
but you can't do what you want



REMARKS

1. This revised autonomy goes

2. In which case it's TAC + apart

3. This idea of different province was first