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24POL24102: Political Theory
(Semester IV)

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Paper:

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Max. Marks: 60
SET:A

Instructions to the candidate:

- 1) All questions are compulsory.
- 2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
- 3) Draw a well labelled diagram wherever necessary.

Q1) Answer the following

[2 X 4 =8]

- a) Who has defined political theory as a “abstract model of the political order”?
- b) Write any two tasks of political theory.
- c) “Individualism” is the element of which political ideology.
- d) What is Patriarchy ?

Q2) Write Short Notes in 50 words (Attempt any 4)

[4 X 4 = 16]

- a) Meaning of Theory.
- b) Classical Political Theory
- c) Radical feminism
- d) Class War in Marxism
- e) Meaning of Conservatism
- f) Significance of political theory

Q3) Answer the following in 100 words (Attempt any 4)

[5 X 4 = 20]

- a) What is nature and scope of political theory ?.
- b) Differentiate between Normative and Historical approaches of Political theory.
- c) Discuss historical materialism in Marxism .
- d) Briefly describe characteristic features of conservatism.
- e) Distinguish between Sex and Gender.
- f) Explain Lenin’s theory of party organization.

Q4) Answer the following (Attempt any 2)

[8 X 2 = 16]

- a) Briefly explain evolution and growth and political theory.
- b) Explain meaning of hegemony in context to Gramsci.
- c) What is Feminism? Discuss different types of feminism in detail.
- d) Explain Institutional approach of political theory in detail.
