

**2020**  
**POLITICAL SCIENCE**

Full marks : 90

Time : 3 hours

**General instructions:**

- i) *Approximately 15 minutes is allotted to read the question paper and revise the answers.*
- ii) *The question paper consists of 33 questions.*
- iii) *Marks are indicated against each question.*
- iv) *Answers to questions carrying 1 mark should not exceed one sentence.*
- v) *Answers to questions carrying 2 marks should not exceed 50 words.*
- vi) *Answers to questions carrying 4 marks should not exceed 100 words.*
- vii) *Answers to questions carrying 6 marks should not exceed 200 words.*
- viii) *Answers to questions carrying 8 marks should not exceed 300 words.*

**N.B:** *Check that all pages of the question paper are complete as indicated on the top left side.*

**Choose the correct answer from the given alternatives in questions 1 – 5**

1. When was the Communist Party of India (CPI-M) created after a split from the Communist Party of India? **1**  
(a) 1962 (b) 1963  
(c) 1964 (d) 1965
2. GST stands for **1**  
(a) Goods and Services Tax (b) Goods and Sales Tax  
(c) Goods and Stores Tax (d) Goods and Stamp Tax
3. Who among the following signed the Shimla Agreement in July, 1972 on Pakistan's behalf? **1**  
(a) General Yahya Khan (b) Asif Ali Zardari  
(c) Bilawal Bhutto (d) Zulfikar Ali Bhutto
4. SEATO was formed under the leadership of **1**  
(a) Britain (b) United States  
(c) France (d) Soviet Russia
5. Which of the following is not a founding member of ASEAN? **1**  
(a) Indonesia (b) Malaysia  
(c) Philippines (d) Myanmar
6. What was the top most priority of the First Five Year Plan? **1**
7. When was the Indo-US nuclear deal signed? **1**
8. What does the word 'Perestroika' mean? **1**

9. What is meant by unilateralism? **1**
10. Give the full form of SAFTA. **1**
11. When and by whom was the 'Tryst with Destiny' speech delivered? What does 'service of India' refer to in this speech? **1+1=2**
12. What is meant by 'one party dominance phase'? **2**
13. What was the 39<sup>th</sup> Constitutional Amendment Act? **2**
14. Name any four countries of Non-Aligned Movement. **2**
15. What were the four programmes of modernisation which Prime Minister Zhou Enlai undertook in China? **2**
16. What is meant by globalisation? **2**
17. Describe any two main problems faced in the process of partition of India. **4**
18. Mention any four provisions of the Tashkent Declaration. **4**
19. Describe the composition and functions of the UN Security Council. **4**
20. Examine any two factors responsible for participatory upsurge in the early 1990's. **4**
21. Explain four economic consequences of globalisation. **4**
- Answer **any four** from questions 22 - 28 **4x6=24**
22. Examine the nature of Congress dominance in Indian politics. **(6)**
23. Explain any three legacy of the National Emergency of 1975. **(6)**
24. Examine the roles of the Pressure Groups. **(6)**
25. Write the main objectives of Non-Aligned Movement. **(6)**
26. Examine India's relation with USA from 1990 onwards. **(6)**
27. Why was ASEAN formed? State its main objectives. **(2+4=6)**
28. Two vital reforms are needed in the United Nations in relation to:  
a) the reforms of structures and  
b) the reforms of processes, i.e., the question of Veto Power.  
Examine the reforms needed in the light of the given statement. **(3+3=6)**

Answer *any three* from questions 29 – 33

**8x3=24**

29. Examine any four roles and functions of a political party. (8)
30. What was the green revolution? Explain any three economic benefits. (2+6=8)
31. What was Shock Therapy? Explain any three consequences of the Shock Therapy after the end of communist rule in Russia. (2+6=8)
32. Examine any four main causes responsible for conflicts between India and Pakistan. (8)
33. Discuss any four non- traditional notions of security. (8)

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