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**THIRD SEMESTER M.A. (CBCSS) [REGULAR / SUPPLEMENTARY]  
EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2024**

Political Science

POL 3C 10—POLITICAL THEORY : MARXIAN TRADITION

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 30 Weightage

**Section A (Short Answer Questions)***Answer any **four** questions.**Each question carries 2 weightage.*

1. Traditional Intellectuals.
2. New Democracy.
3. Critical Theory.
4. Mao on Contradiction.
5. Engels on Property.
6. Motion of Bourgeois Revolution.
7. Instrumentalist Concept of State.

(4 × 2 = 8 weightage)

**Section B (Short Essay Questions)***Answer any **four** questions.**Each question carries 3 weightage.*

8. Explain Dialectical Materialism.
9. Examine Marx's views on the origin and nature of state.
10. Outline the contributions of Mao to the theory and practice of Marxism.
11. Comment on Marxian Approach to the study of Society and Polity.
12. Discuss Lenin's Theory of Revolution.
13. Elucidate Gramscian perspective of State.
14. Give a brief account of Frankfurt School and its significance.

(4 × 3 = 12 weightage)

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**Section C (Essay Questions)**

*Answer any two questions.*

*Each question carries 5 weightage.*

15. Examine Marx's views and ideas on capitalism and its development.
16. Discuss the contributions of Lenin to the theory of Marxism.
17. Critically examine Gramsci's Theory of Hegemony.
18. Explain Althusser's conception of Ideological State Apparatuses.

(2 × 5 = 10 weightage)