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2071
B.A./B.Sc. (Hons.) Sixth Semester
Political Science
[Opt. (iii)]: Western Political Thought

Time allowed: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 90

NOTE: Attempt five questions in all, including Question No. I which is compulsory and selecting one question from each Unit.

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- I. Attempt any nine of the following in about 10-20 words each:-
- Write two major features of Hobbes's social contract.
 - Write Hobbes's Natural laws.
 - Write two important functions of Hobbes's Leviathan.
 - State any two major works of Hobbes.
 - What are the natural rights according to Locke?
 - What is the nature of Locke's social contract?
 - Write major works of Locke.
 - Write any two features of Locke's Liberalism.
 - Write few characteristics of Rousseau's General Will.
 - Distinguish between 'actual will and real will'.
 - What is the nature of man according to Rousseau while living in the state of nature?
 - Write two features of Marx's theory of economic determinism.
 - How Marx defined Class Struggle?
 - Why does Marx believe in revolutionary Methods?
 - Write Marx views on capitalism. (9x2)

UNIT – I

- II. Discuss Hobbes's views on nature of Man and its impact on the outcome of social contract. (18)
- III. Do you agree that Hobbes was the forefather of totalitarian thinkers? Discuss. (18)

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UNIT – II

- IV. Write Locke's views on the nature of contract. What Locke favored limited government? (18)
- V. Discuss Lock's contribution to the Philosophy of Liberalism. (18)

UNIT – III

- VI. Critically discuss Rousseau's view on social contract. (18)
- VII. Discuss Rousseau's attempt of reconciliation between Locke's individualism and Hobbes's absolutism in his theory of social contract. (18)

UNIT – IV

- VIII. Explain Marx's 'Historical materialism' and the role of class and class struggle in this. (18)
- IX. Critically examine Marx's theory of surplus value. (18)

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