

**PARUL UNIVERSITY**  
**FACULTY OF ARTS**  
**B.A Summer 2018 – 19 Examination**

**Semester: 1**  
**Subject Code: 15104101**  
**Subject Name: Political theory**

**Date: 29/04/2019**  
**Time: 02:00 pm to 04:30pm**  
**Total Marks: 60**

**Instructions:**

1. All questions are compulsory.
2. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
3. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
4. Start new question on new page.

Q.1 Do as directed. (08)

A. Multiple choice type questions. (Each of 0.5 mark)

1. Political science is a branch of \_\_\_\_\_  
a) Social sciences b) Physical sciences c) Natural sciences d) Sociology
2. The term “politics” was first employed by  
a) Socrates b) Plato c) Aristotle d) Max Weber
3. Politics is the study of the shaping and sharing of power ..... Who made this statement ?  
a) Gettel b) Lasswell and Kaplan c) David Easton d) Willoughby
4. \_\_\_\_\_ is the oldest approach to the study of politics  
a) Philosophical b) Historical c) Legal d) None
5. Who was first to give the term “state” its scientific meaning ?  
a) Plato b) Aristotle c) Machiavelli d) John Locke
6. \_\_\_\_\_ gave to his sovereign absolute, inalienable, indivisible and unlimited authority  
a) Thomas Hobbes b) John Locke c) Jean Jacques Rousseau d) All
7. \_\_\_\_\_ considered slavery as a natural institution  
a) Plato b) Aristotle c) Socrates d) All
8. Models of democracy is written by \_\_\_\_\_  
a) David Held b) J.S. Mill c) Aristotle d) None
9. J.S. Mill is the prime advocate of \_\_\_\_\_  
a) Classical democracy b) Protective democracy c) Participatory democracy d) Developmental Democracy
10. Theory of natural rights represents an early expression of the \_\_\_\_\_ perspective of rights  
a) Marxist b) Liberal c) Negative d) Positive
11. Liberty is regarded as a distinctive principle of \_\_\_\_\_  
a) Socialism b) Marxism c) Anarchism d) Liberalism
12. The book “principles of social and political theory” is written by \_\_\_\_\_  
a) Ernest Barker b) J S Mill c) John Locke d) None
13. The concept of general will is postulated by \_\_\_\_\_  
a) John Locke b) Thomas Hobbes c) Jean Jacques Rousseau
14. The book “Development as freedom” is written by \_\_\_\_\_  
a) Amartya sen b) J S Mill c) C.B. Macpherson d) Martha C. Nussbaum
15. The book “Two concepts of liberty” written by \_\_\_\_\_  
a) Isaiah Berlin b) J S Mill c) C.B. Macpherson d) Martha C. Nussbaum
16. Who authored the famous book .... Discourses on the origin of inequality...”?  
a) Thomas Hobbes b) John Locke c) Plato d) Jean Jacques Rousseau

B. Terms/ Short notes/ Case study/ Charts/ Graphs/ Tables, etc. (Each of 01 mark) (07)

1. Name three modern approaches to the study of politics.
2. Which are the four main elements of state ?
3. What is the meaning of the term “state of nature”?
4. Who was the greatest champion of the theory of legal rights ?
5. What is negative liberty ?
6. What are legal rights ?
7. According to John Locke, which are the three main rights of man?

Q.2 Answer the following.

- A. Discuss the sources of law (04)  
B. Discuss plato’s theory of Justice (04)

- C. Discuss the concept of simple equality (04)
- OR
- C. Discuss the concept of legal Justice (04)
- Q.3 Answer the following.
- A. Discuss the concept of welfare state (05)
- B. Discuss the features of participatory democracy (05)
- C. Discuss the difference between positive and negative rights with appropriate examples (05)
- OR
- C. Discuss the three impediments to the maximization of a person's developmental power? (05)
- Q.4 Answer the following
- A. Discuss the distinction between negative and positive liberty (06)
- B. Discuss the concept of creative freedom (06)
- C. "Rights comes with obligations". Discuss the statement with appropriate examples (06)
- OR
- C. Discuss the meaning of rights and its different types with appropriate examples . (06)