

**INDIAN CONSTITUTION AND CIVIL SOCIETY
(INCO 3016)**

Time Allotted : 3 hrs

Full Marks : 70

Figures out of the right margin indicate full marks.

*Candidates are required to answer Group A and
any 5 (five) from Group B to E, taking at least one from each group.*

Candidates are required to give answer in their own words as far as practicable.

**Group – A
(Multiple Choice Type Questions)**

1. Choose the correct alternative for the following: **10 × 1 = 10**
- (i) Which Kinds of Justice have been mentioned in the Preamble to the Constitution of India?
(a) Social (b) Economic
(c) Political (d) All of them
- (ii) Grassroot democracy is related to
(a) Panchayat System (b) Lok Pal
(c) Inter-state Council (d) Regionalism
- (iii) Which of the following is not a feature of the Constitution of India?
(a) It is Democratic (b) It is Republic
(c) It is Federal (d) It is Presidential
- (iv) The Indian Constitution is an
(a) Enacted one (b) Evolved one
(c) Unwritten one (d) None of the Above
- (v) Majority provisions of the Constitution of India can be amended by
(a) The Parliament (b) The President
(c) The State Legislature (d) The Parliament of consent of States
- (vi) Who is the Head of the Government in India?
(a) The President (b) The Prime Minister
(c) The Speaker of Lok Sabha (d) The Deputy Chairman of Rajya Sabha
- (vii) The ideal of Welfare State is enshrined in the _____ of the Indian Constitution
(a) Preamble (b) Fundamental Rights
(c) Directive Principles of State Policy (d) The Seventh Schedule

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- (viii) The distribution of powers between the Centre and States in the Indian Constitution is based on the scheme provided in the
- (a) Morley-Minto Reforms, 1909 (b) Montagu-Chelmsford Act, 1919
(c) Government of India Act, 1935 (d) Indian Independence Act, 1947
- (ix) The Constitution of India is
- (a) Rigid (b) Flexible
(c) Combination of Rigidity & Flexibility (d) Neither Rigid nor Flexible
- (x) Rights given in the Constitution of India are called Fundamental Rights because
- (a) They are Natural Rights
(b) They can't be suspended
(c) They are Part of the Constitution
(d) They can be Enforced and Safeguarded by the Courts

Group – B

2. Discuss the salient features of the Indian Constitution. Can it be called as Federal Constitution? **(8 + 4) = 12**
3. Explain the Significance and Objectives of the Preamble. **(8 + 4) = 12**

Group – C

4. (a) What is the purpose of Part IV- Directive Principles of State Policy in the Constitution?
(b) State the basic ideals of Part IV- Directive Principles of State Policy in the Constitution? **(6 + 6) = 12**
5. What is fundamental in Fundamental Rights? Explain the significance of Fundamental Rights as provided in Chapter III of the Constitution of India. **(3 + 9) = 12**

Group – D

6. Discuss various powers of the President of India. Do you agree with the view that real power in India vests in the hands of Council of Ministers? Explain with the help of Constitutional provisions and suitable illustrations. **(6 + 6) = 12**
7. Why is separation of power safer than concentration of power? How should the powers of Government be separated? **(6 + 6) = 12**

Group – E

8. "Amendment is the need of the time but it should not be unrestricted. There is something which Constitution makers would have never intended to be amended." In the light of this statement, elucidate the procedure, scope, limitation and reviewability of the Constitutional amendments in India.

(3 + 3 + 3 + 3) = 12

9. Discuss the amendability of Indian Constitution

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