

MA 3rd Semester Examination 2013
Subject : Political Science
Paper - IX
(Modern Political Analysis)

Time : 3 Hrs.

Full Marks : 80

1. Answer the following questions
(each within 50 words) 2×5 = 10
 - (a) How did Robert A. Dahl define political analysis?
 - (b) Mention any two differences between traditional and modern approaches to the study of Political Science.
 - (c) What is David Easton's view regarding human behaviour?
 - (d) Mention the attributes of a political system as identified by David Easton.
 - (e) What are the common properties of a political system?

2. Answer any three questions from the following
(each within 100-150 words) 4×3 = 12
 - (a) What are the main features of the communication approach adopted by Karl Deutsch?

- (b) Write any three differences between a political party and a pressure group.
- (c) What are the characteristics of political modernisation identified by the first model that was advanced by James S. Coleman and Lucian Pye?
- (d) Write a note on David Easton's 'intellectual foundations of political behaviouralism'.
- (e) Mention any three characteristics of bureaucracy.

3. Answer any three questions from the following
(each within 200-250 words) $6 \times 3 = 18$

- (a) Write a note on normative political analysis.
- (b) Discuss the significance of military as a political institution.
- (c) Discuss various functions of political parties.
- (d) What is political modernisation? Discuss the various perspectives on political modernization.
- (e) Explain the group theory of political science.

4. Answer any four questions from the following
(limit your answer within 300-400 words) $10 \times 4 = 40$

- (a) Critically discuss the political communication approach.
- (b) Explain the significant elements of decision-making theory.
- (c) Explain G. Almond's structural functional approach.

- (d) Discuss the nature and scope of political analysis.
- (e) Discuss the management of bureaucratic organisations.
- (f) Describe the development of modern political analysis.

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