

M.A. 1st Semester Examination, 2011

**POLITICAL SCIENCE WITH RURAL
ADMINISTRATION**

(Western Political Thought)

COURSE NO. — PLS-101

Full Marks : 50

Time : 2 hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their
own words as far as practicable*

GROUP — A

[Marks : 20]

1. Answer any *one* of the following : 10 × 1

(a) Examine the key features of modernity.

(b) How would you associate Roussian with counterenlightenment. Discuss.

2. Answer any *two* of the following : 5 × 2

(a) Discuss, in brief, the background of Enlightenment.

(b) Briefly explain the second theoretical moment of the state.

(c) Define the concept of civil society.

GROUP – B

[Marks : 20]

3. Answer any *one* of the following : 10 × 1

(a) Write a note on Frankfurt School.

(b) Examine the debate between Post-modernism and Marxism.

4. Answer any *two* of the following : 5 × 2

(a) Briefly explain the contribution of Lukacs on Western Marxism.

- (b) Discuss, in brief, Gramsci's views on Revolution.
- (c) Briefly examine Lyotard's views on Post-modernism.

[*Internal Assessment : 10 Marks*]
