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## **B.A. First Year**

### **Semester I**

Pol - 101 : Basic Concepts of Political Science

Pol - 102 : Government and Politics of Maharashtra

### **Semester II**

Pol - 103 : Basic Concepts of Political Science

Pol - 104 : Government and Politics of Maharashtra

# **B.A. FIRST YEAR**

## **Semester I**

**Effective from Academic year 2009-10**

**Paper Code: Pol -101**

### **BASIC CONCEPTS OF POLITICAL SCIENCE**

Total : 50 Marks  
Term End Examination : 30 Marks  
Internal Assessment : 20 Marks

	<b>Periods</b>
<b>1. State:</b>	<b>15</b>
1.1 Meaning and Nature	
1.2 Elements of State	
1.3 Theories of Origin of State: Divine Theory, Social Contract Theory, Evolutionary Theory	
<b>2. Government:</b>	<b>15</b>
2.1 Meaning and Definition	
2.2 Organs of Government: Legislature, Executive and Judiciary	
2.3 Types of Government: Unitary, Federal, Parliamentary, Presidential	
<b>3. Sovereignty:</b>	<b>15</b>
3.1 Meaning, Definition and Types	

3.2 Austin's theory of Sovereignty

3.3 Pluralistic Theory of Sovereignty

**4. Citizenship, Rights:**

15

4.1 Citizenship: Meaning, Types and Acquisition

4.2 Meaning, Definition and Types of Rights and Duties

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Calcutta, Oxford Uni. Press, 1976.
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London, George & Allen, 1959.
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Cambridge, Polity Press, 1987.
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आणि अशोक जैन
- 16) कृ.दि.बोराळकर : राजकीय सिध्दांत
- 17) एस. एम.गर्जे : राज्यशास्त्र विकास
- 18) डी.के. गर्जे : राज्यशास्त्र सिध्दांत
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**Paper Code: Pol -102**

**GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS OF MAHARASHTRA**

Total	: 50 Marks
Term End Examination	: 30 Marks
Internal Assessment	: 20 Marks

**Periods**

**1. Sanyukt Maharashtra Movement:**

1.1 State Reorganization Commissions	10
1.2 Ideological Basis of Movement	10

**2. Organization of Government:**

2.1 Executive: Governor and Chief Minister	10
2.2 Legislature: Composition, Powers and Functions	10
2.3 Judiciary: High Court - Structure and Powers	10

**3. Cooperative Movement in Maharashtra** **10**

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Co-operative in Rural Maharashtra  
Oxford University,1980.
  
- 2) M.S.A. Rao. & : Politics in Maharashtra  
Francis Frankel, Vol. 2, Oxford Uty, Press 1990.

- 3) Usha Thakkar & : Politics in Maharashtra.  
Mangesh Kulkarni (Ed.)
- 4) V.M.Sirsikar : Politics of Maharashtra
- 5) व्ही.एम. क्षीरसागर : आधुनिक महाराष्ट्राचे राजकारण -1960 ते 2000
- 6) प्रा. पी.बी. पाटील : पंचायत राज व्यवस्था समिती अहवाल
- 7) भास्कर भोळे व : बदलता महाराष्ट्र  
किशोर बेडकीहाळ (संपादक)
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- 9) प्रा. अशोक जैन : महाराष्ट्राचे शासन आणि राजकारण
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- 13) डॉ. शांताराम भोगले : भारतीय स्थानिक स्वराज्य संस्था
- 14) भास्कर ल. भोळे : भारतीय शासन व्यवस्था
- 15) लालजी पेंडसे : संयुक्त महाराष्ट्राची चळवळ

## **Semester II**

**Paper Code: Pol -103**

### **BASIC CONCEPTS OF POLITICAL SCIENCE**

Total	: 50 Marks
Term End Examination	: 30 Marks
Internal Assessment	: 20 Marks

#### **Periods**

#### **1. Liberty, Equality and Justice :**

1.1 Meaning and Definition	10
1.2 Types of Liberty, Equality and Justice	10

#### **2. Democracy:**

2.1 Meaning and Features	05
2.2 Direct and Indirect Democracy	10
2.3 Merits and demerits of Democracy	10

#### **3. Welfare State:**

3.1 Meaning and Features	10
3.2 Obligatory and Optional Functions	10

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## Paper Code: Pol -104

### GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS OF MAHARASHTRA

Total	: 50 Marks
Term End Examination	: 30 Marks
Internal Assessment	: 20 Marks

#### Periods

#### 1. Panchayat Raj System:

1.1 Gram Panchayat – Composition and Functions	10
1.2 Panchayat Samiti – Composition and Functions	10
1.3 Zilla Parishad– Composition and Functions	10

#### 2. Ideology and Program of Political Parties in Maharashtra: 30

- 2.1 All India National Congress
- 2.2 Bhartiya Janta Party
- 2.3 Shivsena
- 2.4 R P I
- 2.5 N C P

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*Structure of Courses in Political Science*

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**SEMESTER-I**

Paper Code No.	Title of the Paper	Credits	Marks		
			Internal Assessment	Term & Exam.	Total
Pol - 101	Basic Concept of Political Science	04	20	30	50
Pol - 102	Government and Politics of Maharashtra	04	20	30	50
Total Credits & Marks of Semester I		08	40	60	100

**SEMESTER-II**

Paper Code No.	Title of the Paper	Credits	Marks		
			Internal Assessment	Term & Exam.	Total
Pol - 103	Basic Concept of Political Science	04	20	30	50
Pol - 104	Government and Politics of Maharashtra	04	20	30	50
Total Credits & Marks of Semester II		08	40	60	100
Total Credits & Marks of B.A.F.Y.		16	80	120	200

**Internal Assessment : A) Class Test - 10 Marks**

**B) Home Assignment - 10 Marks.**

