

Semester	FIVE
Paper Number	B3PS230511T
Course	MINOR
Paper Title	INDIAN CONSTITUTION
No. of Credits	4
Theory / Practical / Composite	THEORY
Minimum No. of preparatory hours per week a student has to devote	4
Number of Modules	2
Syllabus	<p>Module-I</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Philosophy of the Indian Constitution 2. Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles of State Policy 3. Constitutional Amendment <p>Module-II</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. Union Executive: President, Vice President, Prime Minister, Council of Ministers 6. Union Legislature: Lok Sabha, Rajya Sabha, Law-making 7. Judiciary: Supreme Court, High Court; Judicial Activism
Learning Outcomes	<p>The course seeks to ensure that the students develop</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An understanding of the core values and provisions of India's constitutional design, • Develop the ability to apply this knowledge to comprehend current political developments, and become more participative citizens.
Reading/Reference Lists	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Abbas, H., Kumar, R. & Alam, M. A. (2011) Indian Government and Politics. New Delhi: Pearson, 2011. 2. Chandhoke, N. & Priyadarshi, P. (eds.) (2009) Contemporary India: Economy, Society, Politics. New Delhi: Pearson. 3. Chakravarty, B. & Pandey, K. P. (2006) Indian Government and Politics. New Delhi: Sage. 4. Chandra, B., Mukherjee, A. & Mukherjee, M. (2010) India After Independence. New Delhi: Penguin. 5. Singh, M.P. & Saxena, R. (2008) Indian Politics: Contemporary Issues and Concerns. New Delhi: PHI Learning. 6. Austin, G. (1999) Indian Constitution: Cornerstone of a Nation. New Delhi: Oxford University Press. 7. Austin, G. (2004) Working of a Democratic Constitution of India. New Delhi: Oxford University Press. 8. Jayal, N. G. & Mehta, P. B. (eds.) (2010) The Oxford

	Companion to Indian Politics. New Delhi: Oxford University Press.	
Evaluation	Theory CIA: 25 (20 mid sem test + 5 Assignment) +5 (attendance) Semester Exam: 70	
Paper Structure for Theory Semester Exam	Short questions: 10 out of 15 of 2marks each (10x2=20) Essay Type: 1 out of 3 of 15 marks each (1X15= 15) (35 marks per module) 35+35 (Module I + Module II= 70) (70+30 CIA=100)	