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**M.A. SEMESTER I EXAMINATION 2025**

**Instructions regarding Internal Assessment preparation and submission:**

- i. All answers should be **hand written**;
- ii. **Internal assessment should be arranged as follows:**
  - a. Cover page (to be downloaded from website);
  - b. Copy of ID card;
  - c. **Admission Receipt of Semester I**
  - d. Question paper
  - e. Contents
- f. Answer of any **one** question for **each of Courses C.C. 1.1 – 1.5**



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**C.C. 1.1: Enlightenment and Its Critics**

**Q1. Answer any *one* from the following:** **(1 × 10 = 10)**

- a) Discuss in details Marx's views on modernity. [10]
- b) Write a detailed note on Hegel's views on freedom. [10]

**C.C. 1.2: Contemporary Liberalism and Its Critics**

**Q2. Answer any *one* from the following:** **(1 × 10 = 10)**

- a) Discuss in details Gramsci's concept of hegemony. [10]
- b) Discuss Martha Nussbaum's concept of liberal feminism. [10]

**C.C. 1.3: Politics in Ancient and Medieval India**

**Q3. Answer any *one* from the following:** **(1 × 10 = 10)**

- a) Write a detailed note on Kautilya's theory of diplomacy. [10]
- b) Discuss the nature of Kingship during the medieval period in India. [10]

**C.C. 1.4: Colonial India**

**Q4. Answer any *one* from the following:** **(1 × 10 = 10)**

- a) Discuss in details about Jinnah's Two-Nation Theory. [10]
- b) Write a detailed note on Jawaharlal Nehru's ideas on socialism in the context of national construction in post-independent India. [10]

**C.C. 1.5: Political Theory in Indian Context since Independence**

**Q5. Answer any *one* from the following:** **(1 × 10 = 10)**

- a) Analytically discuss Partha Chatterjee's concept of civil society and political society. [10]
- b) Discuss in details T.N. Madan's concept of secularism. [10]