

2021

## POLITICAL SCIENCE

## Paper : 4.1

## (Research Methodology)

Full Marks : 80

Time : 4 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.***Answer question no. 1 and any four from the rest.**1. Answer any **four** questions from the following :

5×4=20

- a) Distinguish between Qualitative and Quantitative Research.
- b) Distinguish between Method and Methodology.
- c) Write a short note on the utility of Literature Review.
- d) Define Triangulation in Data Analysis.
- e) Distinguish between Independent and Dependent Variable.

f) Identify the features of a good question in survey research.

2. Critically discuss the interpretive paradigm in social science research. 15
3. Analyse the problem of Qualitative Research Studies in Social Science. 15
4. Discuss the procedure of conducting review of literature. 15
5. Evaluate the importance of hypothesis in social science research. 15
6. Describe in detail the process of survey research with suitable examples. 15
7. Analyse the different types of aggregation strategies in social science research. 15