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Syllabus

OF

**Defense & Strategic Studies
(General)**

Semester – IV & V

2014

Semester - 4
Theoretical

Total Marks :- 50

Paper – IV : National Security and Security Problems of India.

Internal Assessment

10 Marks.

Unit – I National Power and National Security

20 Marks.

1. Concept of National Power – Tangible Elements : Geography, Population, Extent of territory, National Resources, Industrial Capacity, Agricultural Capacity, Financial capability, Scientific and technological capability, Military capability.
Intangible elements : Leadership, Bureaucratic Organisational Efficiency, Type of Government, Societal and Ethnic Cohesiveness, National Character and Reputation, National Morale, Foreign Support, and Dependency.
2. Concept of National Security with reference to the contemporary thinking, National Security vis-à-vis National Defence, Threat perception, Regional Security & Global Security.
3. Elements of National Security :
 - a) Geographical factors of National Security.
 - b) Economic factors of National Security.
 - c) Political factors of National Security.
 - d) Social and Cultural factors of National Security.
 - e) Psychological factors of National Security.
 - f) Military factors of National Security.
 - g) Non – Traditional elements of National Security.

Unit – II Security Problems of India

20 Marks.

1. Security problems of India-Internal Security problems & External Security Problems.
Security problems in J & K and in the North Eastern Region-Insurgency & Counter-Insurgency.
Low Intensity Conflict
2. Defence policy and Nuclear Policy of India since Independence, Strategic Doctrine.
3. Indian Ocean & India's National Security – Security of Indian Islands in Indian Oceans.
4. Defence and Development in India, Defence Trade and Strategy of Arms Aid.
Defence Production and Defence Potential in India.
5. Economic Mobilisation during War & Peace.

PRACTICAL

Total Marks

50 Marks

Internal Assessment

10 Marks.

Unit – I Studies on World Wars

10 Marks

1. First World War 1914-1918 A.D. Causes Development in Strategy and Tactics in Land War, Naval War and Air War with special reference in Battle of Somme 1916 A.D.
2. Second World War 1939-1945 A.D. Causes Developments in Strategy and Tactics in Land War, Naval War and Air War with special reference to Battle of El Alamein 1942 A.D.
3. Arab-Israel War – 1967 A.D.
4. Gulf War – 1991 A.D.
5. Iran, Iraq War

Unit – II Report Writing

20 Marks

Students will be asked to write report on the basis of Study Tour Organised by the Department.

Viva

10 Marks

BOOKS RECOMMENDED

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| 1. Adi, W.A.C. | Oil Politics and Sea. The Indian Ocean Ports. |
| 2. Agrawal, R.K. | Defence Production & Development. |
| 3. Anand, V.K. | Insurgency & Counter-Insurgency. |
| 4. Bajpai, S.C. | Northern frontier of India. |
| 5. Bandyopadhyaya, J. | Making of India's Foreign Policy. |
| 6. Brines, R. | Indo-Pak Conflict. |
| 7. Chaudhary, J.N. | India's Problem of National Security in the 70s. |
| 8. Frankel, J. | National Interest. |
| 9. Khera, S.S. | India's Defence Problem. |
| 10. Kohli, S.N. | Sea Power and the Indian Ocean. |
| 11. Maxwell, M. | India's China War. |
| 12. Misha, K.P. | Non-alignment Frontier & Dynamics. |
| 13. Mogenthau, H.J. | Politics Among Nations. |
| 14. Panikkar, K.M. | India and the Indian Ocean. |
| 15. Panikkar, K.M. | Problems of Indian Defence. |
| 16. Panikkar, K.M. | Problems of Indian Defence. |
| 17. Poulouse, T.T. | Indian Ocean Rivalry. |
| 18. Rao, P.V.R. | Indian Defence Policy and Organisation Since Independence. |
| 19. Saigal, J.R. | Unfought War of 1962. |
| 20. Singh, S. | Defence of the Western Border. |
| 21. Singh, K.R. | Indian Ocean. |
| 22. Singh, R. | Aspects of Indian Defence. |
| 23. Subrahmanyam, K. | India's Security Perspectives. |
| 24. Venkateswar, A.L. | Defence Organization in India. |
| 25. Subrahmanyam, K. | Defence & Development |
| 26. Thomas, Raju | Defence of India |
| 27. Chopra, M.K. | India-The Search for power |
| 28. Agwani, M.S. | Politics in the Gulf |
| 29. Agwani, M.S. | The West Asian Crisis |
| 30. Dewan, B.N. | War and Peace in West Asia |
| 31. Harkabi, Y. | Arab Strategies and Israeli Response. |
| 32. O'Ballance, E. | The Third Arab-Israeli War. |
| 33. Tachinene, D.R. | Arab-Israeli Military Balance Since Oct. 1973. |
| 34. Kenneth Macksey | Technology in War |
| 35. Bhupendra Jasani | Space Weapons and International Security |
| 36. SIPRI | Outer Space Battlefield of the future |
| 37. SIPRI | CBW and the Law of War |

Semester - 5 Theoretical

Total Marks :- 50

Paper – V : Models of Security , Strategic Thoughts and International Relations.

Internal Assessment

10 Marks.

Unit – I : Models of Security

20 Marks.

1. Origin and Structure of UNO in brief - Organization of peace.
2. Concept of Environmental Security – Importance and its efforts for building World Peace.
3. Humanization of war and organization of peace.
4. Role of Indian Army as Peace Keeping Force in CONGO, KOREA, SRI LANKA.
5. Concept of Collective Security & Collective Defence.
6. Concept of Arms Control and Disarmament-Efforts under UNO-NPT, Sea Bed Treaty, SALT – I & II, START – I & II, I.N.F Treaty, CTBT.
7. Balance of Power – Traditional Factors and New elements added in Post- Cold War Period.
8. Military Pacts of Treaties – NATO, CENTO, SEATO, ASEAN, ANZUS.
9. Non Aligned Movement (NAM) – Its importance in present World .
10. South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC) - Its role in regional security development
11. International Terrorism & Global and National Security.

Unit – II : International Relations and Strategic Thoughts

20 Marks.

International Relations and Foreign Policy

1. Nature and scope of International Relations
2. Theories of International Politics – Morgenthau's Realist Theory, System Theory, Game Theory, Communications Theory, Equilibrium Theory, Decision making Theory.
3. Determinants of Foreign Policy.
4. Basic factors of India's Foreign Policy- Foreign Policy Vis-à-vis Defence Policy.
5. Indian's relations with the Big Powers-USA, Russia, UK, France.
6. Indian's relations with her neighbours – China, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Sri-Lanka, Nepal.

Strategic Thoughts

1. Thoughts on Land Warfare – Clausewitz, Jomini, Moltke, Liddle Hart.
2. Thoughts on Armoured Warfare – J.F.C Fuller and Guderian.
3. Thoughts on Guerilla Warfare – Mao Tse Tung and Che Guevara.
4. Thoughts on Sea Warfare – A.T. Mahan.
5. *Thoughts on Air Warfare – Douhet and Mitchell*

PRACTICAL

Total Marks

50 Marks

Internal Assessment

10 Marks.

SKETCHING OF THE STRATEGIC MAPS

India

10 Marks

1. Indian States and Union Territories with Capitals.
2. Strategic Raw Materials.
3. Defence Industries and Atomic Installation.
4. India and her Neighbours.
5. Indian Army, Navy, Airforce Command and Fleet HQs.

World

10 Marks

1. Different Countries and their Capitals.
2. Countries of NATO, SEATO, CENTO, ANZUS and their Capitals.
3. Countries of Non Aligned Movement and their Capitals.
4. Indian Ocean Littoral Countries and their Capitals.
5. Countries of SAARC and their Capitals.

Lecture by Candidates on selected topics.

10 Marks

Viva

10 Marks

BOOKS RECOMMENDED

1. Bajpai, U.S
 2. Bandopadhyaya, J.
 3. Kumar, M.
 4. Maxwell, M.
 5. Misha, K.P.
 6. Prasad, B.
 7. Rahman, M.W.
 8. Shah, A.
 9. Alexander, F.
 10. Belgrami, S.J.R.
 11. Car, E.H.
 12. Collier, B.
 13. Duppy, T.N.
 14. Esposito V.J.ed
 15. Hart, L.
 16. Hart, L.
 17. Hayes, G.P.
 18. Jacobson, H & Other Ed.
 19. Koch, H.W.ed
 20. O'balance, E.
 21. Tachinene, D.R.
 22. Chakraborti, T.
 23. Sen Sharma, P.
 24. Ghosh, N.K.
 25. Ghosh, P.
 26. Das, P.
 27. Adie, W.A.C.
 28. Anand, M.K.
 29. Brien, Bond
 30. Brodie, B
Brodie, B.
 31. Burton, A
 32. Clausewitz, V.
 33. Cohan, A.A.
 34. Dixon, C.A. and Heilburn, D
 35. Earle, E.M.
 36. Ellis, J.
 37. Emme, E.M
 38. Falls, E.
 39. Fisher, H.A.L.
 40. Fuller J.F.C.
 41. Fuller, J.F.C.
 42. Galula, David
 43. Rall R.A.
 44. Halperin, M.H.
 45. Hart, B.H.L.
 46. Howard, M.
 47. Howard, M.
 48. Hurd, A.
 49. Mao Tse Tung & Che Guevara
 50. Martin, L.W.
 51. Tedder, L.
- Non-Alignment, Perspective and Prospective
 Making of India's Foreign Policy.
 Theoretical Aspects of International Politics
 India's China War.
 Non-alignment Frontier & Dynamics.
 India's Foreign Policy
 Politics of Non-alignment.
 India's Defence and Foreign Policy.
 International Terrorism, National
 Regional and Global Perspective
 Arms Race and Disarmament
 International Relations Between the two war 1919-39
 A Short History of the World War II
 Military History of World War II
 Concise History of World War II
 History of the World War I.
 History of the World War II.
 Middle East Politics : The Military Dimension.
 Decisive Battles of World War II.
- Origins of World War I.
 The Third Arab-Israeli War.
 Arab-Israeli Military Balance Since Oct. 1973
 Pratiraksha Adhayan, Part -I (In Bengali)
 Pratiraksha Bidhya, Paper - I, Part - II (In Bengali)
 Antarjatic Samparka
 Antarjatic Samparka
 Antarjatic Samparka
 Chinese Strategic Thinking under
 Mao-Tse-Tung.
 Terrorism and Security.
 Liddel Hart : A Study of his Military
 Thought.
 A Guide to Naval Strategy.
 Strategy in Missile Age.
 Revolutionary Violence.
 On War
 The Communism of Mao Tse Tung
 Communist Guerrilla Warfare
- Makers of Modern Strategy.
 Guerrilla Warfare.
 The Impact of Air power
 Art of War
 Napoleon
 Armoured Warfare
 The Conduct of War
 Counter Insurgency Warfare : Theory & Practice.
 Studies in Napoleonic Strategy.
 Contemporary Military Strategy.
 Strategy : The indirect approach
 Theory and Practice of War.
 Clausewitz.
 The Command of the Sea.
 Guerrilla Warfare.
- Sea in Modern Strategy.
 Air Power in War.