

PAPER – 204 History of Modern world (1930 to 2000 A.D.)

Total Marks- 70

Core Course code- 204

Lectures- 60 credit- 4

Unit- 1

- (a) Franklin D. Roosevelt and New Deal.
- (b) Rise and Growth of Nazism in Germany and Fascism in Italy - Rise of Militarism in Japan.

Unit- 2

- (a) Progress of Soviet Union under Stalin.
- (b) Origin, nature and results of the Second World War.
- (c) Communist Revolution of 1949 in China - its impact on World Politics- assessment of Mao- Tse- Tung.

Unit- 3

- (a) U.N.O. and the concept of world peace- aims, achievements and failures of U.N.
- (b) Nationalist Movement in Asia and Africa – decolonization- regional tensions in palestine and Kashmir.

Unit- 4

- (a) Ideological and political basis of Cold War. Pacts and alliances like NATO, SEATO, WARSAW Pact and Baghdad Pact. Non - Aligned Movement and the Third World.
- (b) Progress in fields of sciences, technology and communication.
- (c) Genesis and process of disintegration of socialist block -end of Cold War, ascendancy of U.S.A. in the world, its impact on society and politics- Globalization and its impact.

Suggested Readings :

1. Bell P.M.H.; The Origin of the second world war in Europe, London: Longman
2. Benns Lee,; Europe since 1914(1986)
3. Corn well: A.D. Word History in the Twentieth Century (Longman)
4. Fieldhouse D.K.: Economics Empire: 1830- 1914 (London)
5. Fieldhouse D.K.: The Colonial Empires (London)
6. Henderson W.O.: The Industrialization of Europe.
7. Bhatt Devendra , Adhunik Europe no Itihas, Ahmedabad.
8. Raval R.: Antarrashtriya Sambandho, Ahmedabad.