

2031  
LL.B., First Semester  
Paper – I: Jurisprudence - I (OLD)

Time allowed: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

**NOTE:** Attempt five questions in all, including Question No. I (Unit-I) which is compulsory and selecting two questions each from Unit II-III.

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**UNIT – I**

- I. Discuss briefly the following:-
- Scope and objectives of Legal Theory.
  - Salient features of natural law school.
  - Kinds of subordinates legislation
  - Ratio Decidendi and Obiter dicta (4x5)

**UNIT – II**

- II. Define law and discuss various kinds of law. (15)
- III. Critically analysis John Austin's command theory of law. Also explain how it differs from Kelsen's Pure Theory of law. (15)
- IV. Critically discuss Savigny's theory of Volksgeist'. (15)
- V. Explain the relationship between law and morals with appropriate examples and decided case law. (15)

**UNIT – III**

- VI. Critically discuss contributions of Ihering, Duguit and Ehrlich in the sociological school of jurisdiction. (15)
- VII. Define custom and explain its kinds. Also discuss essential requirements of a valid legal customs. (15)
- VIII. Critically discuss the contribution of jurists in American Realist School. (15)
- IX. Explain meaning, advantages and disadvantages of precedent as a source of law. Also discuss the position and importance of Precedent as a source of law. (15)

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