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M.A. (POLITICAL SCIENCE)

PAPER - VIII-B RESEARCH METHODOLOGY.

- Unit - 1 : Scientific study of Political science.
Basic assumptions - Critics.
- Unit - 2 : Behaviour Revolution in Political Science and its critics.
Poper's Method and Kuhn's Method.
- Unit - 3 : Hypotheses, concepts and Variables. Tools and
Techniques of data collection, observation, questionnaire
and interviews.
- Unit - 4 : Data processing and analysis, statistical techniques of data
analysis - use of computers.
- Unit - 5 : Hermenetics. Report writing and thesis writing.

BOOKS :

1. W. P. Shively - The craft of political Research.
2. B. Smith - Political Research Methods.
3. Marsh - Stroker - Theory and Methods in Political Science.
4. Johnson - Joslyn : Political Science research Methods.
5. A. C. Isaak : Scope of Methods of Political Science.