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Indian Constitution — Complete Syllabus

BTEUP Diploma in Electrical Engineering • 5th Semester • Session 2026-27

Subject 5.5 (Audit Course) (Q) • 50 Marks internal • 0 Credits • L 2 - P 0 • Qualifying only

About this document: 5.5 is an audit course marked (Q) — compulsory to appear and pass, but marks are not included for percentage and division.

Examination Scheme

Code	Paper	Type	L - P	Credits	Internal	External	Total
5.5	Indian Constitution (Q)	Audit Course	2 - 0	—	50	—	N/A
Indian Constitution Total				—	50	—	N/A

What This Subject Aims To Do

To provide a comprehensive understanding of the Indian Constitution's history and philosophy, and to familiarise students with the administrative structure, powers and functions of the Union, State and Local governments, along with the Judiciary and Election Commission.

Unit-Wise Complete Topic List

Unit	Topic	Periods	Marks Share
I	The Constitution – Introduction	6	20%
II	Union Government	6	20%
III	Indian Legislature & Judiciary	6	20%

IV	State Government	3	12%
V	Local Administration	4	16%
VI	Election Commission	3	12%

Unit - I: The Constitution - Introduction (06 Periods, 20%)

Topics: The History of the Making of the Indian Constitution; Preamble and the Basic Structure, and its interpretation; Fundamental Rights and Duties and their interpretation.

Unit - II: Union Government (06 Periods, 20%)

Topics: Structure of the Indian Union Government; President – Election, Role and Power; Prime Minister and Council of Ministers.

Unit - III: Indian Legislature & Judiciary (06 Periods, 20%)

Topics: Composition of Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha; Powers & Functions of Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha; Structure of Supreme Court including Appointment of Judges; Powers & Functions of Supreme Court.

Unit - IV: State Government (03 Periods, 12%)

Topics: Governor – Role and Power; Chief Minister and Council of Ministers; State Secretariat.

Unit - V: Local Administration (04 Periods, 16%)

Topics: District Administration; Municipal Corporation; Zila Panchayat.

Unit - VI: Election Commission (03 Periods, 12%)

Topics: Structure of Election Commission of India; Role and Function of Election Commission.

Reference Books (as listed in the syllabus)

- Ethics and Politics of the Indian Constitution Rajeev Bhargava Oxford University Press, New Delhi, 2008
- The Constitution of India B.L. Fadia Sahitya Bhawan; New edition (2017)
- Introduction to the Constitution of India DD Basu Lexis Nexis; Twenty-Third 2018 edition

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