

**GUJARAT NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY  
GANDHINAGAR**

Course: National Security and Regional Co-operation  
Semester- II (Batch: 2023-24)

End Semester Examination: April 2024 (LL M)

Date: 27<sup>th</sup> April, 2024

Duration: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 50

**Instructions:**

- Read the questions properly and write the answers in the given answer book.
- Do not write anything on the question paper.
- The respective marks for each question are indicated in-line.
- Indicate correct question numbers in front of the answer.
- No questions or clarification can be sought during the exam period, answer as it is, giving reason, if any.

Answer <b>any five</b> of the followings:	Marks
Q.1 Regional agreement could range from economic to political to environmental, although it has typically taken the form of a political economy initiative where commercial interests have been the focus for achieving broader socio-political and security objectives.  In view of this, discuss the major Areas of Regional Economic Integration and Cooperation, and current issues related to it.	(10)
Q.2 National Security is an all-encompassing term that includes the protection of a nation and its citizens from a range of multi-dimensional threats and coercion. The overwhelming scope of a strategy to deal with these threats in a fast-evolving national and international landscape is sometimes a hindrance in formalising a National Security Strategy.  In view of this, discuss the India's major concerns over internal security challenges and the National Security Exception under GATT, 1947.	(10)
Q.3 Discuss the salient features of National Security Act, 1980 and its criticisms & concerns over its misuse.	(10)
Q.4 Under the Constitution of India, law and order is a state subject. There have been questions raised on how National Investigation Act, 2008 is usurping state rights under the guise of fighting terror.  In view of this discuss the focused areas under NIA Amendment Bill, 2019.	(10)
Q.5 Balance of Power is Temporary and Unstable in nature. Explain and critically analyze the theory of 'Balance of Power'.	(10)
Q.6 Making of Foreign Policy in India requires many stakeholders and compromises between them. Discuss some of the major determinants of India's Foreign Policy while elaborating its procedure of making.	(10)
Q.7 Indian Maritime Security is vulnerable. Discuss the threats, limitations and steps taken by government to secure it. Suggest some measures to achieve the Maritime Security.	(10)
Q.8 Discuss the concept of security as evolved over a period of time. Highlight the five-issue area or concerns of security as highlighted by Barry Buzan.	(10)

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