

SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY
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Paper Code: IL - 702	Total Credit:
Title Of Paper: Public International Law	

Unit	Description in Detail	Weightage (%)
I	Historical and Theoretical Foundations of International Law Definition, Scope and Origin of International Law- Public International Law and Private International Law- True Character of International Law. Theories as to the basis of International Law	
II	Inter Sources of national Law and State Practices "Customs" International Treaties and Conventions.. General Principles of Law Recognized by the Rations, Judicial Decisions, Works of Jurists (Text Writers and Publicists Works), Resolutions of General Assembly and other International Institutions. Other Sources:-International Comity, International State Papers other than Treaties, State Instructions for guiding their own offices, Place of reason in the modern system.	
III	Relationship Between International Law and Municipal Law Theories and State Practices, Indian Practice and Provisions of the Indian Constitution relating to Incorporation of International Law into Municipal Law. Role of Indian Judiciary in interpreting and applying norms of International Law where Municipal Law is silent	
IV	State in General: State as a Subject of International Law, Criteria of Statehood, Classification of States and Non-State Entities.	
V	Recognition of State Definition Theories and Forms of Recognition, Effects of Recognition and Non-Recognition, Doctrines of Recognition (Stimson, Hellestien, Estrada.Tobar and Lauterpacht Doctrines), Methods of Recognition-De-facto and De-jure Recognition. Recognition of Government. Recognition of Absentee Government, Recognition of Government in Exile and Recognition of Belligerency and Insurgency. Indian Practice on Recognition.	
VI	Jurisdiction of State Territorial and Exterritorial Jurisdiction, Exemptions and Immunity from Slate Jurisdiction, Nationality, Asylum and Extradition.	
VII	Diplomatic Agents and Consuls:	



	Institution of Diplomatic Agents, Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations, 1861, Vienna Convention on Consular Relations, 1863, Classes of Diplomatic Representatives and Consuls, Immunities and Protection.	
VIII	The United Nations Organization: League of Nations. Origin, Purpose, Principles and Membership of UNO. The General Assembly, Security Council and Secretariat — Composition, Jurisdiction and Powers.	
IX	The International Court of Justice, Composition, Jurisdiction, Contribution to International law	
X	Law of War, Disarmament and Nuclear Proliferation: History of Laws of War, Provisions relating to Use of Force under UN Charter U.N. Peace keeping Forces	

Basic Text & Reference Books:-

- An Introduction to International Law - Starke
- International Law - Fenwick
- Public International Law - V.D. Mahajan
- International Law - M.P. Tandon

