

**SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY**  
**B. Com. (Honours) (3 Years)**  
**Specialization in International Accounting and Corporate Banking & Insurance**  
**Semester: IV**  
**Syllabus with effect from: December 2016**

<b>Paper Code: UB04SCOH02</b>	<b>Total Credits: 3</b>
<b>Title of Paper: Cultural Heritage of India</b>	

Unit No.	Description in Detail	Weightage
<b>1</b>	<b>Indian Culture- An Introduction</b> Significance of Geography on Indian Culture. Society in India through ages- Ancient period- varna and jati, Contemporary period; caste system and communalism. Religion and Philosophy in India: Ancient Period: Pre-Vedic and Vedic Religion, Buddhism and Jainism, Indian philosophy.	<b>25%</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>Indian Architecture and Cultural Heritage</b> Indian Art & Architecture: Gandhara School and Mathura School of Art; Indian Temples - Nagara - Dravida - Vesara Styles. Hindu Temple Architecture, Buddhist Architecture, Medieval Architecture and Colonial Architecture.	<b>25%</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>Architecture and Paintings</b> Indo - Islamic Architecture - Moghul Architecture. Indus Valley Architecture. Indian Painting Tradition: ancient, medieval, modern indian painting and odishan painting tradition.	<b>25%</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>Indian Music &amp; Dance</b> Performing Arts: Divisions of Indian classical music: Hindustani and Carnatic, Dances of India: Various Dance forms: Classical and Regional.	<b>25%</b>

**Evaluation : Internal : 40 Marks (Theory)**  
**: External: 60 Marks (Theory) – Two Hours Examination**

**Reference Books:**

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