

**M.A. Examination 2018**  
**Semester-II**  
**Comparative Religion**  
**Course : MACOMRCP 205**  
**(Religion in the Contemporary World)**

**Time : 3 Hours**

**Full Marks : 40**

**Questions are of value as indicated in the margin**

Answer **any four** questions

1. Explain and examine T.N. Madan's views on secularism. 10
  2. How does John Hick explain cumulative traditions or institutionalized forms of religion? Elaborate. 10
  3. Discuss the relation between religion and politics after Louis Dumont. 10
  4. What do you understand by scientific study of religion? Discuss following Z.A. Bagir. 10
  5. 'Religion and Terrorism can never go together discuss after Bardwell Smith. 10
  6. What do you understand by the term pluralism? Discuss briefly the nature of religious pluralism as outlined by W.L. Rowe 10
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