

Tuljaram Chaturchand College
of Arts, Science and Commerce, Baramati

Affiliated to Savitribai Phule University, Pune

Department of History (M.A. Part I)

Lectures 60

Semester I

Core Paper HIS 4101

Paper No.1

Credits:4

Course Title: History and its Theory

Objectives

The paper is designed to provide adequate conceptual base, bring better understanding of history and its forces, help interrogate existing paradigms and challenge the outdated, help in developing critique, help research in terms of formulating hypotheses and develop broad frames of interaction with other social sciences and attain certain level of interdisciplinary approach.

Course Content

Unit 1 : History:	08
1.1 Definition, nature, functions, concepts	
1.2 Modes of interaction with Humanities and Social Sciences	
Unit 2 : History and its theories	16
2.2 Greco-Roman	
2.3 Church	
Unit 3 : Emergence of Modern theories of history	16
3.1 Rationalist, Romanticist, Idealist	
3.2 School of Scientific History	
3.3 Materialist Theory of history and Introduction	
3.4 Positivism	
Unit 4 : Structuralism, Post-structuralism, Post modernism	14
Unit 5 : Subaltern Studies	06

Select Readings

English

Barry, Peter, *Beginning Theory: An introduction to literary and cultural theory*, Manchester University Press, New York, 1995.

Carr, E.H., *What is History*, Penguin Books, Harmondsworth, 1971.

Childs, Peter, *Modernism*, Routledge, London, 2000.

Collingwood, R.G., *The Idea Of History*, Oxford University Press, New York, 1976.

Eagleton, Terry, *Ideology*, Verso, 1991.

Encyclopaedia of Social Sciences

Foucault, Michel, *The Archeology of Knowledge*, translated by Sheridan Smith, Tavistock Publications, London 1982.

Hamilton, Paul, *Historicism*, London, Routledge, First Indian Edition, 2007.

Langlois Ch, V. and Ch. Seignobos, *Introduction to the study of History*, Barnes and Noble Inc. and Frank Cass and co., New York, 1966.

Russell, Bertrand, *History of Western Philosophy*, Routledge, London, rpt. 1996.

Marathi

Carr, E.H., *What is History?* Marathi translation by V.G. Lele, *Itihas Mhanaje Kay?*, Continental Prakashan, Pune, 1998

Dahake, Vasant Abaji, et.al (ed.) *Marathi Vangmayeen Sandhya- Sankalpana Kosh*, G.R Bhatkal Foundation, Mumbai, 2001.

Deo, Prabhakar, *Itihas: Eka Shastra*, Brain Tonic Prakashan, Nashik, 2007.

Kothekar, Shanta, *Itihas: Tantra ani Tatvadnyana*, Shri sainath Prakashan, Nagpur, 2005.

Sardesai, B.N., *Itihas Lekhan Shastra*, Phadke

Department of History (M.A. Part I)

Semester I

No.of Lectures-60

Core Paper HIS 4102

Paper No. 2

Credits:4

Course Title: Evolution of Ideas and Institutions in Ancient India

Objectives

The course intends to provide an understanding of the social, economic and institutional bases of Ancient India. It is based on the premise that an understanding of Ancient Indian history is crucial to understand Indian history as a whole.

Course content

Unit 1 : Defining Ancient India	04
1.1 Historiography (colonial, nationalist)	
1.2 Terminology ('Hindu', 'Ancient', 'Early')	
Unit 2 : Sources: Perceptions, Limitations, Range	08
2.1 Archaeological	
2.2 Literary sources (Sanskrit, Prakrit, Pali; Religious, non-religious)	
2.3 Inscriptions	
2.4 Foreign accounts	
Unit 3 : Political Ideas and Institutions	14
3.1 Lineage Polities (Rig Vedic)	
3.2 Pre-State formations (Janapadas, Mahajanapadas)	
3.3 Early State Formations (From Mahajanapadas to Maurya)	
3.4 Administrative Institutions (Kingship: Rajanya-Samrat, Sabha and Samiti to Council of ministers)	
3.5 Saptanga Theory	
Unit 4 : Social ideas and institutions	12
4.1 Kin and Lineage society	
4.2 The emergence of caste based societies, marginalization and subordination	
4.3 Social protest and the emergence of new social and religious forms	
4.4 post-Mauryan social formations	
4.5 Education System in Ancient India	
Unit 5 : Economy	10
5.1 Development of Agriculture and Trade (Iron Age, Magadha, Gupta)	
5.2 Expanding Trade Economy	
5.3 The Mauryan State	
Unit 6 : Deccan and South India	12
6.1 Sangam Age	
6.2 The emergence of states in the Deccan – the Satavahanas	
6.3 Urban economy	
6.4 Trade Networks	

Select Readings

English

- Claessen, H.J.M and Skalnik, P, (ed.), *The Early State*, The Hague, 1978
- Jha, D.N., *Early India A Concise History*, Manohar
- Parasher-Sen, Aloka (ed.), *Subordinate and Marginal Groups in Early India*, Oxford India Paperbacks, Second Edition, 2007
- Sharma, R.S., *Aspects of Ancient Indian Political Ideas and Institutions*, Manohar, reprint, 1999.
- Sharma, R.S., *Sudras in Ancient India*, New Delhi, 1998.
- Thapar, R., *Ancient Indian Social History: Some Interpretations*, Orient Longman, reprint, 1996.
- Thapar, R., *From Lineage to State*, Oxford India Paperbacks, 1990
- Thapar, R., *Interpreting Early India*, Delhi, 1995.
- Thapar, R., *Narratives and the Writing of History*, Delhi, 2000.
- Sastri, K.A.N., *History of South India*, Oxford University Press, 1975.
- Veluthat, K.,

Marathi

- Jha, D.N., *Prachin Bharat* (in Hindi and Marathi)
- Jha, D.N., tr. G.B. Deglurkar, *Mauryottar wa Guptakalin Rajasvapadhati*, Diamond Publications, Pune, 2006.
- Kosambi, D.D. *Myth and Reality*, tr. Vasant Tulpule, *Puranakatha ani Vastavata*, Prakash
- Vishwasrao Lokavangmaya Gruha, Mumbai, 1977.
- Sharma, R.S., *Aspects of Ancient Indian Political Ideas and Institutions*, tr. Pandharinath
- Ranade, *Prachin Bharatatil Rajakiya Vichar ani Sanstha*, Diamond Publications, Pune, 2006.
- Sharma, R.S., *Prachin Bharat mein Rajnitik Vichar evam Sanstha*, (Hindi), Rajkamal Prakashan, New Delhi, 1992.

Department of History (M.A. Part I)

Semester I

Lectures 60

Core paper HIS 4103

Paper No.3

Credits:4

Course Title: Maratha Polity

Objectives

The purpose of the course is to study the administrative system of the Marathas in an analytical way, to acquaint the student with the nature of Maratha Polity, to understand basic components of the Maratha administrative structure, to enable the student to understand the basic concepts of the Maratha polity.

Course content

Unit 1 : Defining the term ‘Maratha Polity’	02
Unit 2 : Nature of Sources: Perceptions, Limitations, Range	06
2.1 Literary	
2.2 Foreign	
2.3 Archival	
2.4 Miscellaneous	
Unit 3 : Maratha State	06
3.1 Formation of the Maratha State	
3.2 Nature	
Unit 4 : Administrative Structure	14
4.1 Administrative Structure of the Deccani Kingdoms: a brief survey	
4.2 Principles underlying Maratha Administration	
4.3 Central: the institution of kingship, theory, problem of legitimacy, Ashta Pradhan Mandal	
4.4 Provincial and Village: administrative units	
4.5 Fiscal administration: Public income and expenditure	
Unit 5 : Socio-Political Power Structure	08
5.1 Religion	
5.2 Caste Sabha	
5.3 Gota	
5.4 Watan	
Unit 6 : Judicial Administrative System	12
6.1 Sources of law	
6.2 Judicial structure – central, provincial	
6.3 Judicial institutions – political, traditional	
6.4 Crime and punishment – police	
Unit 7 : Military system	12
7.1 Infantry	
7.2 Cavalry	
7.3 Navy	

7.4 Forts

Select Readings

English

Apte B.K., *A History of the Maratha Navy And Merchantships*, State Board for Literature and Culture, Bombay, 1973.

Chandra, Satish, *Medieval India (Society, the jagirdari crisis and the village)*, Macmillan India Ltd., Madras, 1992.

Gune, V.T., *Judicial System of the Marathas*, Deccan College, Pune 1953.

Kulkarni, A.R., *Maharashtra in the Age of Shivaji*, Pune, 2002.

Kulke, Hermann (ed.), *the State in India, 1000-1700*, Oxford University Press, Mumbai, 1997.

Mahajan, T.T., *Maratha Administration in the 18th century*

Ranade, M.G., *Rise of the Maratha Power*, Bombay, 1900.

Sen, S.N., *Administrative System of the Marathas*, Calcutta, 1976.

Sen, S.N., *Military System of the Marathas*

Marathi

Atre Trimbak Narayan, *Gaongada*, Varada, Pune, 1995.

Joshi, S.N, *Arvachin Maharashtratihaskalatil Rajyakarbharacha Abhyas*, (1600-1680), Pune Vidyapeeth, Pune 1960.

Joshi, S.N. and Bhingare, L.M. (ed.), *Adnyapatra ani Rajnitee*, Pune, 1960

Kulkarni A.R., *Shivkaleen Maharashtra*, Rajahamsa, Pune, 1993.

Kulkarni A.R., Khare G.H. (ed.), *Marathyancha Itihas*, Vol. I to III, Continental, Pune, 1984 (Vol. I), 1985 (Vol. II), 1986 (Vol. III).

Joshi S.N. (Ed.), *Chhatrapati Shivaji Raje Yanchi Bakhar*, Chitrashala, Pune, 1960.

Mehendale Gajanan B., *Shree Raja Shiv Chhatrapati*, Vol. I, part I, II, Mehendale, Pune, 1996.

Department of History (M.A. Part I)

Semester I

No.of Lecture-60

Core Paper HIS 4104

Paper No. 4

Credits ; 4

Course Title: Social Background of Dalit Movement in Maharashtra

Objectives:

This paper is designed to highlight a relatively neglected part of social history; it is an attempt to provide voice to the history of the oppressed. It defines and provides understanding of various concepts, further explains the caste system and evil practices like untouchability and its rigidification in ancient and medieval times. It lays emphasis on the earlier forms of protest by Buddhism, Jainism and later by Bhakti movement, in the medieval period especially in Maharashtra, which lays the foundation for social awareness and renaissance of the per Ambedkarian period.

Course content

Unit 1 : Emergence of caste system: a Brief survey	04
Unit 2 : Defining the term ‘Dalit’ and ‘Dalit consciousness’	08
2.1 Who were the untouchable ?	
Unit 3 : Historical Background of Protest	16
3.1 Buddhism	
3.2 Jainism	
Unit 4 : Bhakti Movement	16
4.1 Efforts of Medieval Saints	
4.2 Chokhamela, Soyarabai, Karmamela and Banka	
Unit 5 : Pre-Ambedkar socio-religious reform movements	16
5.1 Mahatma Phule and Satyashodhak Samaj	
5.2 Vitthal Ramji Shinde	
5.3 Rajarshi Shahu Maharaj	
5.4 Gopal Baba Walangkar	
5.5 Shivaram Janba Kamble	
5.6 Kisan Faguji Bansode	

Select Readings

English

Keer, Dhananjaya, *Mahatma Jyotiba Phule*, Popular Prakashan,

Desai, Sudha, *Social Life under the Peshwas*

Chentha- rasseoy, T.H. P, *Ambedkar in Indian History.*

Political thoughts of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar

Marathi

Atre, Truimbak Narayan, *Gav-Gada*, Mumbai, 1959

[13]

Bhagat, R.T. (ed.), *Sant Sahitya Ani Andhashraddha Nirmulan*, Chaitanya Prakashan, Kolhapur, 2002

Bhagat, R.T. (ed.), *Sant Sahitya Ani Dalit samvedan*, Chaitanya Prakashan, Kolhapur, 2003

Dandge, Manorama, *Prachin wa Madhyayugin Bharatacha Itihas*, Amaravati, 2004

Gawali, P.A., *Peshwekalin Samaj wa Jaticha Sangharsh*, Kolhapur, 1982

Gawali, P.A., *Peshwekalin Gulamgiri wa Asprishyata*, Kolhapur, 1990

Kausalyayan, Bhadant Anand, *Manusmriti Ka Jalani Geli?*, Nagpur

Keer, Dhananjay, *Mahatma Jyotiba Phule: amchya Samaj Krantiche Janak*, Mumbai, 1975

Khairmode, Changdev Bhagvanrao, *Dr. Bhimrao Ramji Ambedkar Charitra*, Vols. 1-9, Mumbai

Keer, Dhananjay and Malse, S.G. (ed.), *Mahatma Phule Samagra Vangmaya*, Mumbai, 1988

Kosare, H.L., *Vidarbhatil Dalit Chalvalisha Itihas*, Nagpur, 1984

Moon, Vasant, *Madhyaprant Varhadatil Ambedkarpurva Dalit Chalwal*

Nawalkar, H.N., *Shivaram Janba Kamble*, Pune, 1930

Department of History (M.A. Part I)

Semester II

Core Paper HIS 4201

No of Lectures - 60

Paper No 5

Credits: 4

Course Title: History and its Practice

Objectives :

The paper is designed to provide adequate conceptual base, bring better understanding of history and its forces, help interrogate existing paradigms and challenge the outdated, help in developing critique, help research in terms of formulating hypotheses and develop broad frames of interaction with other social sciences and attain certain level of Interdisciplinary approach.

Course content

Unit 1 : Defining Historical Research Methodology **04**

Unit 2 : Operations in Research Methodology **20**

2.1 Preliminary Operations: Choice of subject, preparation of outline

2.2 Analytical Operations: Heuristics and Hermeneutics

2.3 Synthetic Operations: Determining and grouping of facts, constructive reasoning

2.4 Concluding Operations: Valid generalizations, footnotes and bibliography

Unit 3 : Schools of History Writing **20**

3.1 Indian:

a. Colonial

b. Nationalist

c. Marxist

d. Subaltern

3.2 Non-Indian:

a. Cambridge

b. Annals

c. Dakar

Unit 4 : Recent developments in Methodology **16**

4.1. Myth, legend, folklore, oral history: their methodologies

4.2 The linguistic turn in history: methodologies of Deconstruction, Poststructuralist, Post-modernism

Select Readings

English

Carr, E.H., *What is History*, Penguin Books, Harmondsworth, 1971.

Collingwood, R.G., *The Idea Of History*, Oxford University Press, New York, 1976.

Lingoes Ch, V. And Ch. Seignobos, *Introduction to the study of History*, Barnes and Noble Inc. and Frank Cass and co., New York, 1966.

Foucault, Michel, *The Archaeology of Knowledge*, translated by Sheridan Smith, Tavistock Publications, London 1982.

Barry, Peter, *Beginning Theory: An introduction to literary and cultural theory*, Manchester University Press, New York, 1995.

Encyclopaedia of Social Sciences

History and Theory: Studies in the Philosophy of History (Journal), Wesleyan University, USA.

Marathi

Carr, E.H., *What is History?* Marathi translation by V.G. Lele, *Itihas Mhanaje Kay?*, Continental Prakashan, Pune, 1998

Dahake, Vasant Abaji, et.al (ed.) *Marathi Vangmayeen Sandnya- Sankalpana Kosh*, G.R

Bhatkal Foundation, Mumbai, 2001.

Deo, Prabhakar, *Itihas: Eka Shastra*

Kothekar, Shanta, *Itihas: Tattva ani Vyavahar*

Sardesai, B.N., *Itihas Lekhan Shastra*, Phadke Prakashan, Kolhapur, 2002

Department of History (M.A. Part I)

Semester II:

Core Paper : HIS 4202

No of Lectures - 60

Paper No 06

Credits: 4

Course Title: Evolution of Ideas and Institutions in Medieval India

Objectives

The course examines the nature of medieval Indian society, economy, state formations, and the main religious currents of the time. It is seen as a continuation of the course on ancient India. It is also seen to be crucial to an understanding of the nature of society, and the problems of the challenge to that society, through colonialism, at a later stage.

Course content

Unit 1 : Defining medieval India	04
1.1 The Transition to the Medieval	
1.2 Historiography of the study of Medieval India	
Unit 2 : Sources: Perceptions, Limitations, Range	08
2.1 Persian sources	
2.2 Regional language sources	
2.3 Foreign sources: Travelers' accounts, European records	
Unit 3 : The state in medieval India: perceptions and practice	14
3.1 Modern theories of the medieval state: Theocracy, Autocracy, Feudal, Segmentary, Patrimonial-Bureaucratic	
3.2 Medieval Theories of the State: Farabi, Ghazzali, Shukracharya, Barani, Abul Fazl, Ramachandrapant Amatya	
3.3 State formation in peninsular India – Chola, Bahamani, Vijayanagar	
Unit 4 : Administrative Systems	08
4.1 Central and Provincial	
4.2 Mansabdari	
Unit 5 : Medieval Indian society	14
5.1 Social Mobility and Stratification in medieval India	
5.2 The emergence of new classes: Administrative, agrarian and mercantile classes in medieval India	
5.3 Bhakti and social change	
5.4 Sufism	
5.5 Towards a composite culture	
Unit 6 : Economic institutions	12
6.1 Agrarian systems, north and south India	
6.2 Trade, internal and external	
6.3 Financial Institutions: Banking, Bills of Exchange	

Select Readings

English

- Alam, Muzaffar and Subrahmanyam, Sanjay, *The Mughal State*, Oxford India Paperbacks, 2000
- Alavi, Seema (ed.), *The Eighteenth Century in India*, OUP, New Delhi, 2002.
- Anderson, P., *Passages from Antiquity to Feudalism*, London, 1981.
- Chandra, Satish, *Medieval India* (2 vols.), Har-Anand Publications Pvt. Ltd., Third Edition, 2006 (also available in Hindi)
- Chitnis, K.N., *Aspects of Society and Economy in Medieval India*, Pune, 1979.
- Habib, I., *Essays in Indian History – Towards a Marxist Perspective*, Tulika, 1995.
- Hasan, S. Nurul, *Religion, State and society in Medieval India*, Oxford University Press, 2005
- Jha, D.N. (ed.), *The Feudal Order*, Manohar Publications, 2002
- Kulke, H. (ed.), *The State in India, 1000-1700*, OUP, 1997.
- Marshall, P.J. (ed.), *The Eighteenth Century in Indian History: Evolution or Revolution?*, OUP, New Delhi, 2003
- Mukhia, H., *Perspectives on Medieval India*, Delhi, 1994.
- Sharma, R.S., *Early Medieval Indian Society: A Study in Feudalisation*, Sangam Books Ltd., 2001

Marathi

- Chitnis, K.N., *Madhyayugin Bharatiya Sankalpana wa Sanstha*, Bhalchandra Printing Press Pvt. Ltd., Bombay, 3rd Reprint, 2003.30
- Moreland, W.H., *From Akbar to Aurangzeb*, tr. Rajendra Banahatti, *Akbar te Aurangzeb*, Diamond Publications, Pune, 2006.
- Moreland, W.H., *India at the Death of Akbar*, tr. Sunanda Kogekar, *Akbarkalin Hindustan*, Diamond Publications, Pune, 2006.
- Sarkar, Jadunath, *Aurangzeb*, tr. S.G. Kolarkar, *Aurangzeb*, Diamond Publications, Pune, 2006.
- Siddiqui, N.A., *Land Revenue System under the Mughals*, tr. P.L. Saswadkar, *Mughalkalin Mahsul Padhati*, Diamond Publications, Pune, 2006.

Department of History (M.A. Part I)

Semester II

No of Lectures - 60

Core Paper HIS 4203

Paper No 07

Credits: 4

Course Title: Socio-Economic History of the Marathas

Objectives

The purpose of the course is to study socio-economic history of the Marathas in an analytical way, to acquaint the student with the components of social structure and their functions, to understand the relationship between religion, caste, customs, traditions, class in 17th and 18th century Maratha Society, to enable the student to understand aspects of economic life, to trace the determinants of changes in social and economic life.

Course Content

Unit 1 : Defining socio-economic history	02
1.1 Historiography of Socio-economic History.	
Unit 2 : Village community	10
2.1 Land Tenures	
2.2 Residents of the village	
2.3 Balutedari system	
Unit 3 : Social institutions	12
3.1 Varna and caste	
3.2 Communities	
3.3 Marriage'	
3.4 Family	
Unit 4 : Social Stratification and mobility	02
Unit 5 : Fairs and Festivals	02
Unite 6 : Education	06
6.1 Educational institutions	
6.2 Primary education	
6.3 Higher education	
Unit 7 : Agrarian System	12
7.1 Types of land	
7.2 Assessment of land	
7.3 Methods of land revenue collection	
Unit 8 : Trade, Industries and handicraft	08
8.1 Centers of trade	
8.2 Trade routes	
8.3 Major and minor industries	
Unit 09 : Currency and Banking	06
9.1 Types of coins	
9.2 Banking houses	

Select Readings

English

Chitnis K.N., *Socio-Economic History of Medieval India*, Atlantic Publishers, Delhi, 2002.

Desai, Sudha, *Social life in Maharashtra under the Peshwas*, Bombay, 1980

Kulkarni, A.R., *Medieval Maratha Country*, Books and Books, New Delhi, 1996.

Kulkarni, A.R., *Medieval Maharashtra*, Books and Books, New Delhi, 1996

Kulkarni A.R., *Maharashtra: Society and Culture*, Books & Books, Delhi, 2000.

Kulkarni A.R., *Explorations in the Deccan History*, Pragati Publications in association with ICHR, Delhi, 2006.

Kumar, Dharma (ed.), *The Cambridge Economic History of India*, Vol. II, Orient Longman, in association with OUP, Delhi, 2005.

Mahajan T.T., *Trade, Commerce and Industries under the Peshwas*, Pointer Publishers, Jaipur, 1989.

Raychaudhuri, Tapan and Habib, Irfan (ed.), *Cambridge Economic History of India*, Vol. I, Orient Longman, in association with OUP, Delhi, 2005.

Marathi

Atre, Trimbak Narayan, *Gav-Gada*, Varada, Pune, 1995

Bhave, V.K., *Peshwekalin Maharashtra*, Varada, Pune, 1998.

Chapekar, N.G., *Peshwaichya Savlit*, Pune, 1936.

Joshi, S.N., *Marathekalin Samaj Darshan*, Anath Vidarthi Gruha, Pune, 1960.

Oturkar, R.V., *Peshwekalin Samajik Va aarthik Patravyavahar*, BISM, Pune, 1950.

Department of History (M.A. Part I)

Semester II

No of Lectures- 60

Paper Code No. HIS 4204

Paper No. 08

Credits: 4

Course Title: Nature of Dalit Movement in Maharashtra

Objectives :

The paper intends to provide an understanding of the changing position of Dalit at conceptual and practical level of social transformation, from 19th century till today. This paper also lays emphasis on Ambedkarian Movement, which marks an evolutionary phase in Dalit emancipation. It highlights the constitutional rights for safeguarding the interests of the oppressed. It takes into account Dalit literature, which provides space for understanding of Dalit consciousness and adds new dimensions in understanding 'Dalit'.

Course content

Unit 1 : Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar's Ideology	08
1.1 Social	
1.2 Economic	
1.3 Political	
1.4 Religious	
Unit 2 : Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar's Movement	16
2.1 Bahishkrit Hitakarni Sabha	
2.2 Mahad Satyagraha	
2.3 Simon Commission	
2.4 Round Table Conference and Poona Pact	
2.5 Kalaram Mandir Satyagraha	
2.6 Independent Labour Party	
2.7 All India Scheduled Caste Federation	
Unit 3 : Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar and Constitution of India	12
3.1 Role of Dr. Ambedkar in the making of the Indian Constitution	
3.2 Safeguards for Lower Castes	
3.3 Issue of the Hindu Code Bill	
Unit 4 : Movement of Conversion to Buddhism (1935-1956)	06
Unit 5 : Nature of Post-Ambedkarian Movement	08
5.1 Conversion to Buddhist movement	
5.2 Socio-economic Development of Dalits	
Unit 6 : Dalit Consciousness and other Modes of Expression: a brief review	10
6.1 Dalit Literature	
6.2 Press	
6.3 Ambedkari Jalase	
6.4 Dalit Rangbhumi	

Select Readings

English

Dr. B.R. Ambedkar writing and speeches, 18 Vols. Government of Maharashtra, Bombay.

Gaikwad, D.S. and others (ed.), *Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar and Fifty Years of Conversion*, Suyog Prakashan, Pune, 2007.

Kadam, K.N. (ed.), *Dr. B.R. Ambedkar: The Emancipator of the Oppressed*, Popular Prakashan, Bombay, 1993.

Robb, Peter (ed.), *Dalit Movement and the meaning of Labour in India*, Oxford University Press.

Sunthankar, B.R. *Maharashtra in 18th and 19th Century*. Two vols. Manmohan Bhatkal Popular Book Depot.

Keer, Dhananjay, *Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Life and Mission*. Popular Prakashan Pvt. Ltd.

Vakil, A.K., *Reservation Policy and Scheduled Castes in India*, Ashis Publishing House, New Delhi

Marathi

Ganavir, Ratnakar, *Dr. Ambedkar Vicharadhan*, Bhusaval, 1982

Keer, Dhananjay, *Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar*, Mumbai, 1984

Keer, Dhananjay, *Rajarshi Shahu Chhatrapati*, Mumbai, 1992

Khairmode, Changdev Bhagwanrao, *Dr. Bhimrao Ramji Ambedkar Charitra*, Vols. 1-9, Mumbai

Kharat, P. O., *Dalit Katha, Ugam ani Vikas*, 1992

Kharat, Shankarrao, *Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkaranche Dharmantar*, 1966

Kshirsagar, Ramachandra, *Bharatiya Republican Paksha*, Aurangabad, 1979

Narke, Hari, *Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Gaurav Grantha*, Mumbai, 1992.

Phadke, Bhalchandra, *Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar*, Pune, 1985

Vaidya, Prabhakar, *Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar ani Tyancha Dhamma*, Mumbai, 1989.