

## Discussion Section 1: Nations and States

Concepts for Discussion:

State	Nation
Sovereignty	Nation-State
Polity	Multi-National state
Politics	Stateless Nation
Policy	Legitimacy
Political System	Traditional Legitimacy
	Charismatic Legitimacy
	Rational-Legal Legitimacy
Constitution	Input legitimacy
	Output legitimacy
Normative Views of the State	National Identity
Conservative	
Liberal State	Ethnic Identity
Social Democratic State	
Marxist State	Nationalism (as distinct from patriotism, chauvinism, xenophobia)
Institutions	National Self-Determination
Formal Institutions	
Informal institutions	
Power	National Conflict
Freedom	Ethnic Conflict
Equality	

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