

PG Part-I (DE) Exam., 2016

2016

HISTORY

FIRST PAPER

(First Half)

(Twentieth Century World)

Time : 2 hours

Full Marks : 50

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

1. Answer any *two* of the following questions :

15×2=30

- (a) Examine the growth of socialism in its various forms during the 19th century.
- (b) Analyze the causes of the Russian Revolution of 1917.
- (c) Was the Treaty of Versailles a 'dictated peace'? Argue.
- (d) What is Nazism? What were the factors that led to the rise of Hitler in Germany?

2. Write short notes on any *four* of the following : 5×4=20

- (a) Communist Manifesto
- (b) Significance of the Triple Entente (1907)
- (c) Marxist theory of imperialism
- (d) Disarmament
- (e) Moroccan Crisis (1905-06)
- (f) The Great World Depression
- (g) Massolini's ideology of Fascism
- (h) Trans-Atlantic slave trade

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1. Answer any two of the following questions :

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- (a) Explain the Communist Revolution in China and its impact on world politics.
- (b) Explain the ideological and political basis of the Cold War.
- (c) Evaluate the role of UNO as a peace-keeping organization.
- (d) What do you mean by the terms 'Glasnost' and 'Perestroika'? How was Mikhail Gorbachev responsible for the Russian Second Revolution?

2. Write short notes on any four of the following : 5×4=20

- (a) Panchsheel
- (b) Role of International Labour Organization
- (c) Non-Alignment
- (d) Impact of Globalization
- (e) Role of WHO
- (f) Warsaw Pact, 1955
- (g) Feminism
- (h) Apartheid

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SECOND PAPER

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(State in India)

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1. Answer any *two* of the following questions :

15×2=30

- (a) Discuss the socio-economic background of the Mauryan State.
- (b) Discuss the administrative organization of the Guptas.
- (c) What were the main features of the administration of the Vijayanagar State?
- (d) Discuss the relation between the Crown and nobility in Sultani period.

2. Write short notes on any *four* of the following : 5×4=20

- (a) *Arthasastra*
- (b) Characteristics of Asoka's Dhamma
- (c) *Uparika* and *Kumaramatyas*
- (d) Segmentary State in South India
- (e) Theocracy
- (f) *Minhaz-us-Siraj*
- (g) *Zat* and *Sawar*
- (h) *Zabti* system

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SECOND PAPER

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(State in India)

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1. Answer any *two* of the following questions :

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- (a) Examine the Gandhian view of the nature of State in connection with the growth of national State in India.
- (b) What is the nature of India's post-colonial economy?
- (c) Examine the contribution of Sardar Ballabhbai Patel as the architect of the post-Independent united India.
- (d) Write an essay on 'pluralism and civil society in India'.

2. Write short notes on any four of the following : 5×4=20

- (a) Bankim Chandra as a nationalist thinker
- (b) Derozeo and Young Bengal
- (c) B. R. Ambedkar
- (d) Dalit Movement
- (e) Sixth Schedule
- (f) Kashmir discord
- (g) Secularism in post-Independent India
- (h) Coalition politics

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THIRD PAPER

(First Half)

(History of Modern India : 1757-1857)

Time : 2 hours

Full Marks : 50

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1. Answer any two of the following questions :

15×2=30

- (a) What are the sources for writing the history of modern India? Add a brief note on oral source. 12+3=15
- (b) Make a critical analysis of the Anglo-Mysore relation during company's rule. 15
- (c) Explain the British policy of indirect political control over the Native States of India. 15
- (d) Discuss on the British administration in India was based on three pillars : The Civil Service, The Army and The Police. 15

2. Write short notes on (any four) : 5×4=20

- (a) The Asiatic Society (1784)
- (b) Mercantilism
- (c) James Mill
- (d) White Racism
- (e) Utilitarianism
- (f) The Hindu Widows' Remarriage Act, 1856
- (g) The Doctrine of Lapse
- (h) Ranjit Singh

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1. Answer any *two* of the following questions :

15×2=30

- (a) Examine the introduction of the Western medical science in India during 1757-1857.
- (b) Analyze the growth and development of railways in India. How was it beneficial for the Indian people?
- (c) Write an essay on the growth of the urban centres in early colonial India.
- (d) Explain about the social composition of the rebels in the Revolt of 1857.

2. Write short notes on any four of the following : 5×4=20

- (a) Ryotwari settlement of land revenue
- (b) Dadni system
- (c) Laissez-faire
- (d) Asiatic mode of production
- (e) Dalhousie's Minute on Railways, 1849
- (f) Titumir
- (g) Deindustrialization question
- (h) Sunset Law

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FOURTH PAPER

(First Half)

(History of Modern India : 1858 -1964)

Time : 2 hours

Full Marks : 50

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1. Answer any *two* of the following questions :

15×2=30

- (a) Discuss critically the impact of commercialization of agriculture on the economic life of the Indian people under the period of your study.
- (b) Critically examine the Tibet policy of Lord Curzon. What was its consequence?
- (c) Examine the changing role of women in the late nineteenth and early twentieth century.
- (d) Explain the rise and growth of the working class in colonial India.

2. Write short notes on any *four* of the following : 5×4=20

- (a) Birsa Munda
- (b) Indigo Revolt
- (c) Birth of Indian National Congress
- (d) Ilbert Bill
- (e) Keshab Chandra Sen
- (f) Partition of Bengal
- (g) Hindu Women Code Bill
- (h) National Income

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FOURTH PAPER

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Time : 2 hours

Full Marks : 50

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1. Answer any two of the following questions :

15×2=30

- (a)** Examine the ideologies and activities of Indian National Congress during 1885-1905.
- (b)** Write an essay on the growth of the revolutionary nationalist movements in colonial India up to 1932.
- (c)** Examine the growth and development of national science and its contribution in developing scientific consciousness among the people of India.
- (d)** Explain the land question and conflicts related to it in India since 1953.

2. Write short notes on any four of the following : 5×4=20

- (a) Jagadish Chandra Bose
- (b) Dr. U. N. Brahmachari
- (c) Dawn Society
- (d) Hind Swaraj of Gandhi
- (e) Abolition of Jamindari System
- (f) Quit India Movement
- (g) INA and Rani Jhansi Regiment
- (h) Great Calcutta Killings (1946)

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