

B.A. (Hons.) III Semester (History)

Time: Three Hours

Max. Marks: 90

Paper – I Ancient and Medieval World

Internal Marks:10

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SECTION – I

- 1 Pre Historic Age: Paleolithic, Mesolithic and Neolithic
- 2 Bronze Age Civilizations: Egypt and Mesopotamia - Socio-Economic Structure, Science and Technology
- 3 Iron Age Civilizations: Greek and Roman - Polity, Society and Economy

SECTION – II

- 4 Origins of Feudalism in Western Europe; Manorial System; Conditions of Peasantry and Role of Church
- 5 Rise of Urban Centres; Organisation of Handicraft Industries; Revival of Trade and Commerce
- 6 Decline of Feudalism

SECTION – III

- 7 Arabia before Islam; Rise of Islam; Islam as a Social and Religious System
- 8 Evolution of Islamic State upto Abbasids; Administration under Umayyads and Abbasids
- 9 Society under Umayyad and Abbasids

SECTION – IV

Maps:

- 1 Important Sites of Bronze Age Civilizations
- 2 Important Towns of Greek Civilization
- 3 Important Towns of Roman Civilization
- 4 Extent of Arab Empire under Abbasids

Books Recommended:

1. Ali, A. : *The Sprit of Islam*
2. Arnold, T. W. : *Preaching of Islam*
3. Bloch, March : *Feudal Society, Vol. I and II*
4. Burn, A.R. : *Pelican History of Greece*
5. Cipolla, Carlo M. : *Fontana Economic History of Europe, Vol I-II*
6. Deanesly, Margaret : *A History of Early Medieval Europe*
7. Farukhi, A. : *Prachin Aur Madyakalin Viswa Ka Itihaas (Hindi)*

8. Finley M. L. : *Ancient Economy*
9. Heaton, Herbert : *Economic History of Europe*
10. Hilton, Rodney : *Transition From Feudalism to Capitalism*
11. Hitti, P. K. : *Islam : A Way of life*
12. Hitti, P. K. : *History of the Arabs*
13. Jones, A.H. : *Constantine and Conversion of Europe*
14. Katz, Solomon : *The Decline of Rome and the Rise of
Medieval Europe*
15. Keen, Maurice : *A History of Medieval Europe*
16. Kramer, S. N. : *The Sumerians*
17. Levy, R. : *The Social Structure of Islam*
18. Lewsis, Bernard : *The Arabs in History*
19. Montgomery, Watt : *Muhammad in Macca and Madina*
20. Muir, W. : *The Caliphate*
21. Shahu, K.P. : *Islam ka Udyo Va Vikas (Hindi)*
22. Sourdell, Dominique : *Medieval Islam*
23. Thmpson, J. W. : *Middle Ages. 2 Vols*
24. Thomas, Arnold : *The Caliphate*
25. Virotam, Balmukund : *Madhyakalin Europe*
26. Wensinck, A.J. : *The Muslim Creed*

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Paper II: History of India (1526 – 1857)

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SECTION – I

- 1 Establishment of Mughal Empire: Babur
- 2 Sher Shah and his Administration
- 3 Akbar: Rajput Policy and Religious Policy
- 4 Aurangzeb: Relations with Rajputs and Religious Policy

SECTION – II

- 5 Deccan Policy of the Mughals and Their Relations with the Sikhs and the Marathas
- 6 Mughal Administration: Central and Provincial; Mughal Revenue System
- 7 Political Institutions: Mansabdari and Jagirdari Systems
- 8 Decline of Mughal Empire

SECTION- III

- 9 French and British Companies' Rivalry in India
- 10 Occupation of Bengal by the British: Battle of Plassey and Buxer
- 11 Consolidation of British Rule: Wellesley and Dalhousie
- 12 Uprising of 1857: Causes, Nature and Impact

SECTION – IV

MAPS:

- 1 Political Conditions of India in 1526
- 2 Mughal Empire at the Death of Akbar (1605)
- 3 Mughal Empire at the Death of Aurangzeb (1707)
- 4 Major Centres of Uprising of 1857

Suggested Readings:

1. Bayly, C. A. : *Indian Society and Making of the British Empire: The New Cambridge History of India, Vol. II*
2. Bhattacharya, Sabyasachi chowdhary : *Adhunik Bharat Ka Arthik Itihas, 1850-1947 (Hindi)*
3. Dey, U.N. : *Administration of Delhi Sultanate*
4. Dey, U.N. : *Mughal Administration*
5. Dharma Kumar (ed.) : *Cambridge Economic History of India, Vol. II*
6. Gordon, Stewart : *The Marathas, 1600-1818 : The New Cambridge History of India Vol. IV*
7. Hasan, Ibn : *Central Structure of Mughal India*
8. Heimsath, Charles : *Indian Nationalism and Hindu Social Reform*
9. Kulkarni, A. R. : *Medieval Maharastra*
10. Kulke, H and D. Rothemund : *History of India*
11. Majumdar, Datta and Ray – : *Advanced History of India*
12. Pandey, A. B. : *Later Medieval India*
13. Panigrahi, D. N. (ed.) : *Economy, Society and Politics in Modern India*

14. Qunungr, K.R. : *Sher Shal and His Time*
15. Richards, John F. : *Mughal Empire: New Cambridge History of India, Vol. V*

16. Rizvi, S. A. A. : *The Wonder That Was India*
17. Sangwan, R.S. : *Jodhpur and the Later Mughals : 1707-1752*
18. Sarkar, J.N. : *Mughal Polity*
19. Satish Chandra : *Medieval India: From Sultanate to the Mughal*
20. Satish Chandra : *Mughal Religious Policies : Rajput to Daccan*
21. Shukla, R. L. (ed.) : *Adhunik Bharat Ka Ithas (Hindi)*
22. Spear, T. G. P. : *History of India, Vol. II*
23. Srivastava, M.P. : *Policies of the Great Mughals*
24. Stein, Burton : *Peasants, State and Society in Medieval South India*
25. Tripathi, K.P. : *Some Aspects of Muslim Administration*
26. Tripathi, R. P. : *Rise and Fall of Mughal Empire*
27. Verma, H. C. : *Madyakalin Bharat, 1540-1701, Vol. I*

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Paper III History of Europe (From French Revolution to Partition of Africa)

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SECTION – I

- 1 Europe on the Eve of the French Revolution
- 2 The French Revolution: Causes, Course and Effects
- 3 Napoleon Bonaparte: Domestic and Foreign Policies

SECTION – II

- 4 The Congress of Vienna (1815)
- 5 The Conservative Era 1815-1830
- 6 The Revolutions of 1830 and 1848

SECTION- III

- 7 Unification of Germany
- 8 Unification Italy
- 9 Partition of Africa

SECTION – IV

MAPS:

- 1 Political Conditions of Europe on the Eve of 1789
- 2 Political Settlement of Europe by Vienna Congress
- 3 Unification of Italy
- 4 Partition of Africa

Suggested Readings:

1. Chauhan, D. S. : *Europe Ka Itihas* (Hindi)
2. Chauhan, D. S. : *Samkalin Europe* (Hindi)
3. Cipolla, Carlo M. : *Forntana Economic History of Europe*, Vols.I, II and III
4. Coleman, D. C. (ed.) : *Revisions in Mercantilism*
5. Davis, H. A. (ed.) : *Outline History of the World*
6. Dobb, Maurice : *Studies in the Development of Capitalism*
7. Fisher, H.A.L. : *A History of Europe*
8. Grant & Temperlay : *Europe in Nineteenth & Twentieth Centuries*
9. Gupta, Parthasarthi (ed.) : *Adhunik Paschim Ka Uday* (Hindi)
10. Gupta, Parthasarthi (ed.) : *Europe Ka Itihas* (Hindi)
11. Henderson, O. P. : *The Industrial Revolution On the Continent*
12. Hill, Christopher : *A Century of Revolution*
13. Hill, Christopher : *From Reformation to Industrial Revolution*
14. Hilton, Rodney : *Transition From Feudalism to Capitalism*
15. Keenigsberger, H. G. and Mosse, G. L. : *Europe in the Sixteenth Century*
16. Langer, W. L. : *Diplomacy of Imperialism*
17. Parker, G. : *Europe in Crisis 1598-1648.*
18. Parker, G. and Smith L. M. : *General Crisis of the Seventeenth Century*
19. Poliselky, V. : *War and Society in Europe 1618 – 1648*
20. Robb, Theodore K. : *The Struggle for Stability in Early Modern Europe*
21. Saboul, A. : *The French Revolution*
22. Stavrianes, L. S. : *The World Since 1500*
23. Stephen, J. Lee. : *Aspects of European History 1494-1789*
24. Thomson David : *Europe Since Nepolean*

B.A. (Hons.) IV Semester (History)

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Paper – I Rise of Modern World

Internal Marks:10

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SECTION – I

- 1 Transition from Feudalism to Capitalism: Theories and Problems
- 2 Renaissance: Its Social Roots ; City States of Italy, Spread of Humanism in Europe and its Results
- 3 Reformation: Origins and Results

SECTION – II

- 4 Early Colonial Expansion : Motives, Process and Consequences of Colonization in Americas
- 5 Economic Development during 16th Century; Shift of Economic Balance from the Mediterranean to Atlantic Region
- 6 Mercantilism: Origins, Nature and Consequences

SECTION – III

- 7 Glorious Revolution of 1688
- 8 Agrarian Revolution
- 9 Industrial Revolution

SECTION – IV

Maps:

- 1 City States of Italy
- 2 Important Centres of Renaissance
- 3 Important Centres of Reformation
- 4 Major Places connected with Industrial Revolution

Suggested Readings:

- 1 Chauhan, D. S. *Europe Ka Itihas (Hindi)*
- 2 Chauhan, D. S. *Samkalin Europe (Hindi)*
- 3 Cipolla, Carlo M. *Before the Industrial Revolution, European Society and Economy, 1000-1700*
- 4 Cipolla, Carlo M. *Forntana Economic History of Europe, Vols II and III.*

- 5 Coleman, D. C. (ed.) *Revisions in Mercantilism*
- 6 Davis, H. A. (ed.). *Outline History of the World*
- 7 Davis, Ralph *The Rise of the Atlantic Economics*
- 8 Dobb, Maurice *Studies in the Developments of Capitalism*
- 9 Fisher, H.A.L. *A History of Europe*
- 10 Gupta, Parthasarathi (ed.) *Adhunik Paschim Ka Uday (Hindi)*
- 11 Gupta, Parthasarathi (ed.) *Europe Ka Itihas (Hindi)*
- 12 Hall, J.R. *From Galileo to Newton*
- 13 Henderson, O. P. *The Industrial Revolution On the Continent*
- 14 Hill, Christopher *From Reformation to Industrial Revolution*
- 15 Hilton, Rodney *Transition From Feudalism to Capitalism*
- 16 Hobsbawm, E.J. *The Age of Revolution*
- 17 Hobsbawm, E.J. *Nation and Nationalism*
- 18 Keenigsberger, H.G. and G. L. Mosse *Europe in the Sixteenth Century*

- 19 Morgan, K.O. *Oxford Illustrated History of Britain, 1789-1983*
- 20 Parker, G. *Europe in Crisis 1598-1648*
- 21 Parker, G. and L. M. Smith *General Crises of the Seventeenth Century*
- 22 Parry, J.P. *The Age of Reconnaissance*
- 23 Porter, Andrew *European Imperialism, 1860-1914*
- 24 Rabb, Theodore K. *The Struggle for Stability in Early Modern Europe.*

- 25 Roberts, J.M. *Europe 1880-1945*
- 26 Stavrianes, L. S. *The World Since 1500*
- 27 Stephen, J. Lee. *Aspects of European History 1494-1789*
- 28 Wood, Anthony *History of Eurorpe 1915-1960*

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Paper II: Socio-Economic History of India (1526 – 1857)

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SECTION – I

- 1 Social Structure: Ruling Class, Religious Class, Peasants and Artisans
- 2 Position of Women
- 3 Bhakti Movement and Sufism: Salient Features
- 4 Educational System: Art and Architecture

SECTION – II

- 5 Village Community; System of Agriculture
- 6 Handicraft Industry; Trade and Commerce
- 7 Standard of Living
- 8 Currency System of the Mughals

SECTION- III

- 9 Land Revenue Systems of the British : Permanent Settlement, Rayotwari System and Mahalwari System.
- 10 Decline of Handicraft Industry
- 11 Western Education
- 12 Introduction of Railways

SECTION – IV

MAPS:

- 1 Major Urban Centres during the Mughal Period
- 2 Major Internal Trade Routes under the Mughals
- 3 Centres of Major Mughal Monuments
- 4 Jurisdiction of Permanent Settlement

Suggested Readings:

1. Banga, Indu and Jaidev (ed.) : *Cultural Reorientation in Modern India*
2. Bayly, C. A. : *Indian Society and the Making of the British Empire:*
The New Cambridge History of India, Vols. I & II
3. Chitnish, K.N. Chopra : *Social and Cultural History of Medieval India*
4. Das, A.C., B.N. Puri & P.N. : *Bharat Ka Samajik, Aarthik Aur Sanskritik Itihas, (Hindi)*
5. Desai, Z.A : *Indo-Islamic Architecture*
6. Gopal, S. : *The Permanent Settlement in Bengal and its Results*
7. Gordon, Stewart. : *The Marathas, 1600-1818 : The New Cambridge*
History of India, Vol. IV
8. Kulkarni, A. R. : *Medieval Maharastra*
9. Rashid, A : *Society and Culture in Medieval India*
10. Richards, John F. : *Mughal Empire: New Cambridge History of India, Vol. V*
11. Satish Chandra. : *Medieval India: From Sultanate to the Mughals*
12. Sen, Sunil K. : *Agrarian Relations in India, 1793-1947.*
13. Sharma, G.N. : *Madhyakalin Bharat Ki Rajnitik Aur Aarthik Sansthayen (Hindi)*
14. Spear, T.G.P. : *History of India, Vol. II*
15. Srinivas, M.N. : *Social Change in Modern India*
16. Stein, Burton : *Peasants, State and Society in Medieval South India*
17. Tara Chand : *Bhartiya Sanskriti Par Islam Ka Prabhav*
18. Tripathi, R.P. : *Rise and Fall of Mughal Empire*
19. Verma, H. C. : *Madyakalin Bharat, 1540-1701 (Hindi), 2 Vols. I & II*

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Paper III History of Europe (From the Third French Republic to World War II)

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SECTION – I

- 1 The Development of Parliamentary Government; The Third French Republic
- 2 Development of Liberalism in Britain; Parliamentary Reforms
- 3 Russian Revolution (1905)

SECTION – II

- 4 The Eastern Question
- 5 International Relations; Diplomatic Alliances and Rivalries
- 6 The World War I: Causes, Nature and Consequences

SECTION- III

- 7 Bolshevik Revolution (1917): Causes and Impacts
- 8 Rise of Fascism and Nazism
- 9 World War II: Causes and Impacts

SECTION – IV

MAPS:

- 1 Political Conditions of Europe on the Eve of First World War
- 2 Major Countries related to the Eastern Questions
- 3 Powers involved in Triple Alliance and Triple Entente
- 4 Political Conditions of Europe on the Eve of Second World War

Suggested Readings :

- 1 Carr, E. H. *The Bolshevik Revolution, 1917-23*
- 2 Carr, E.H. *1917 : Before and After*
- 3 Chauhan, D. S. *Samkalin Europe (Hindi)*
- 4 Cipolla, Carlo M *Before the Industrial Revolutio: European Society and Economy 1000-1700*

- 5 Cipolla, Carlo M. *Forntana Economic History of Europe, Vols. II and III*

- 6 Davis, H. A. (ed.) *Outline History of the World*
- 7 Dorpalen, Andreas *Europe in the 20th Century*
- 8 Fisher, H.A.L. *A History of Europe*
- 9 Gupta, Parthasarthi (ed.) *Europe Ka Itihas (Hindi)*
- 10 Hill, Christopher *A Century of Revolution*
- 11 Hinsley, F. H (ed.) *Modern History: Material Progress and World Wide Problems*
- 12 Hobsbawm, E.J. *The Age of Revolution*
- 13 Hobsbawm, E.J. *Age of Extremes : The Short Twentieth Century (1914-1991)*
- 14 Joll, James *Europe Since 1870*
- 15 Langer, W. L *European Alliances and Alignments*
- 16 Langer, W. L. *Diplomacy of Imperialism*
- 17 Lee, F. B. *Europe Since 1914*
- 18 Mergan, R.P. *German Social Democracy and The First International*

- 19 Morgan, K.O. *Oxford Illustrated History of Britain (1789-1983), Volumes II*
- 20 Porter, Andrew *European Imperialism, 1860-1914*
- 21 Roberts, J.M. *Europe 1880-1945*
- 22 Robertson, E.(ed.) *The Origins of the Second World War*
- 23 Roth, J.J. (ed.) *World War II : A Turning Point in Modern History*
- 24 Taylor, A. J. P. *The Origins of the Second World War*
- 25 Thompson, David *Europe Since Napoleon*
- 26 Wiskemann, E. *Europe of the Dictators*
- 27 Wood, Anthony *History of Europe 1915-1960*