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VIDYASAGAR UNIVERSITY

Question Paper

B.A. Honours Examination 2022

(Under CBCS Pattern)

Semester - II

Subject: HISTORY

Paper : C 3 - T

Mauryan and Gupta Empire

Full Marks : 60

Time : 3 Hours

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Group - A

Answer any *five* questions.

2×5=10

1. Write a short note on Sixteen Mahajana Pada.
2. Write a short note on 'Stupa Architecture'.
3. Who invited the third Buddhist Council and where?
4. What are the main sources of Mauryan history?
5. Explain the idea of 'Agrahara'.
6. Who were the 'Rajukas'?

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7. What do you know about the Milindapanho?
8. What was the Mathura Art style?

Group - B

Answer any *four* questions.

5×4=20

9. Explain the concept of Ashoka's 'Dhamma'.
10. What is the historical significance of 'Arthashastra'?
11. Write a brief note on the Guilds during the Gupta Period.
12. What were the characteristic features of the 'Gandhara Art'?
13. Write a short note on 'Vyavahara Samata' and 'Dandasamata'.
14. Write a short note on the Vakatakas of the Deccan.

Group - C

Answer any *three* questions.

10×3=30

15. Evaluate the achievement of Chandragupta Maurya.
16. Examine the impact that Jainism and Buddhism made on India.
17. Estimate the achievements of Kanishka I as a ruler and conqueror.
18. Write an essay on the administrative structure of Gupta state.
19. Give an overview of India's trade with the Roman Empire during the first three centuries of the Christian era.

বঙ্গানুবাদ

বিভাগ - ক

যে কোনো পাঁচটি প্রশ্নের উত্তর দাও।

২×৫=১০

- ১। ষোড়শ মহাজনপদ সম্পর্কে সংক্ষিপ্ত টীকা লেখ।
- ২। 'স্তুপ স্থাপত্য' সম্পর্কে সংক্ষিপ্ত টীকা লেখ।
- ৩। তৃতীয় বৌদ্ধ সম্মেলন কে এবং কোথায় আহ্বান করেছিলেন?

P.T.O.

- ৪। মৌর্য ইতিহাসের প্রধান উপাদানগুলি কী কী?
- ৫। 'অগ্রহার' ধারণাটি ব্যাখ্যা কর।
- ৬। রাজুক কারা ছিল?
- ৭। মিলিন্দপনহা সম্পর্কে কী জান?
- ৮। মথুরা শিল্প শৈলী কী?

বিভাগ - খ

যে কোনো চারটি প্রশ্নের উত্তর দাও।

৫×৪=২০

- ৯। অশোকের 'ধম্ম'-এর ধারণাটি ব্যাখ্যা কর।
- ১০। 'অর্থশাস্ত্র'-এর ঐতিহাসিক গুরুত্ব কী?
- ১১। গুপ্ত যুগের গিল্ডের ওপর একটি সংক্ষিপ্ত টীকা লেখ।
- ১২। গান্ধার শিল্পের বৈশিষ্ট্যগুলি কী কী?
- ১৩। 'ব্যবহারসমতা' ও 'দণ্ডসমতা' সম্পর্কে সংক্ষেপে আলোচনা কর।
- ১৪। দাক্ষিণাত্যের বাকাটকদের ওপর একটি সংক্ষিপ্ত টীকা লেখ।

বিভাগ - গ

যে কোনো তিনটি প্রশ্নের উত্তর দাও।

১০×৩=৩০

- ১৫। চন্দ্রগুপ্ত মৌর্যের কৃতিত্ব সম্পর্কে আলোচনা কর।
- ১৬। ভারতবর্ষের উপর জৈন ও বৌদ্ধ ধর্মের প্রভাব পরীক্ষা কর।
- ১৭। শাসক ও বিজেতা হিসাবে প্রথম কণিষ্কের কৃতিত্বের মূল্য নিরূপণ কর।
- ১৮। গুপ্ত সাম্রাজ্যের শাসনতান্ত্রিক কাঠামো সম্পর্কে একটি প্রবন্ধ রচনা কর।
- ১৯। খ্রীষ্টীয় প্রথম তিন দশকে রোমান সাম্রাজ্যের সঙ্গে ভারতের বাণিজ্যিক সম্পর্কের পরিচয় দাও।

[Santali Version]

Group - A

କ୍ଷମା କରନ୍ତୁ ଏହି ପ୍ରଶ୍ନ ଉପରେ ଉତ୍ତର ଦିଅନ୍ତୁ । ପ୍ରତି ପ୍ରଶ୍ନର ମାର୍କସଂଖ୍ୟା ୨×୫=୧୦

1. କେଉଁ ପଦ୍ୟର ଲକ୍ଷଣ ଉପରେ ଉଲ୍ଲେଖ କରାଯାଇଛି ? ଉତ୍ତର ଦିଅ ।
2. "ସୂକ୍ଷ୍ମ ସୂକ୍ଷ୍ମ" ଲକ୍ଷଣ ଉପରେ ଉଲ୍ଲେଖ କରାଯାଇଛି । ଉତ୍ତର ଦିଅ ।
3. କେଉଁ ପଦ୍ୟର ଲକ୍ଷଣ ଉପରେ ଉଲ୍ଲେଖ କରାଯାଇଛି ? ଉତ୍ତର ଦିଅ ।
4. କେଉଁ ପଦ୍ୟର ଲକ୍ଷଣ ଉପରେ ଉଲ୍ଲେଖ କରାଯାଇଛି ? ଉତ୍ତର ଦିଅ ।
5. "ସୂକ୍ଷ୍ମ" ଲକ୍ଷଣ ଉପରେ ଉଲ୍ଲେଖ କରାଯାଇଛି । ଉତ୍ତର ଦିଅ ।
6. କେଉଁ ପଦ୍ୟର ଲକ୍ଷଣ ଉପରେ ଉଲ୍ଲେଖ କରାଯାଇଛି ? ଉତ୍ତର ଦିଅ ।
7. କେଉଁ ପଦ୍ୟର ଲକ୍ଷଣ ଉପରେ ଉଲ୍ଲେଖ କରାଯାଇଛି ? ଉତ୍ତର ଦିଅ ।
8. କେଉଁ ପଦ୍ୟର ଲକ୍ଷଣ ଉପରେ ଉଲ୍ଲେଖ କରାଯାଇଛି ? ଉତ୍ତର ଦିଅ ।

Group - B

କ୍ଷମା କରନ୍ତୁ ଏହି ପ୍ରଶ୍ନ ଉପରେ ଉତ୍ତର ଦିଅନ୍ତୁ । ପ୍ରତି ପ୍ରଶ୍ନର ମାର୍କସଂଖ୍ୟା ୫×୪=୨୦

9. କେଉଁ ପଦ୍ୟର ଲକ୍ଷଣ ଉପରେ ଉଲ୍ଲେଖ କରାଯାଇଛି ? ଉତ୍ତର ଦିଅ ।
10. "ସୂକ୍ଷ୍ମ" ଲକ୍ଷଣ ଉପରେ ଉଲ୍ଲେଖ କରାଯାଇଛି । ଉତ୍ତର ଦିଅ ।
11. କେଉଁ ପଦ୍ୟର ଲକ୍ଷଣ ଉପରେ ଉଲ୍ଲେଖ କରାଯାଇଛି ? ଉତ୍ତର ଦିଅ ।
12. କେଉଁ ପଦ୍ୟର ଲକ୍ଷଣ ଉପରେ ଉଲ୍ଲେଖ କରାଯାଇଛି ? ଉତ୍ତର ଦିଅ ।
13. "ସୂକ୍ଷ୍ମ" ଲକ୍ଷଣ ଉପରେ ଉଲ୍ଲେଖ କରାଯାଇଛି । ଉତ୍ତର ଦିଅ ।
14. କେଉଁ ପଦ୍ୟର ଲକ୍ଷଣ ଉପରେ ଉଲ୍ଲେଖ କରାଯାଇଛି ? ଉତ୍ତର ଦିଅ ।

Group - C

କ୍ଷମା କରନ୍ତୁ ଏହି ପ୍ରଶ୍ନ ଉପରେ ଉତ୍ତର ଦିଅନ୍ତୁ । ପ୍ରତି ପ୍ରଶ୍ନର ମାର୍କସଂଖ୍ୟା ୧୦×୩=୩୦

15. କେଉଁ ପଦ୍ୟର ଲକ୍ଷଣ ଉପରେ ଉଲ୍ଲେଖ କରାଯାଇଛି ? ଉତ୍ତର ଦିଅ ।
16. କେଉଁ ପଦ୍ୟର ଲକ୍ଷଣ ଉପରେ ଉଲ୍ଲେଖ କରାଯାଇଛି ? ଉତ୍ତର ଦିଅ ।

P.T.O.

17. උනුඳුම් නිසා උග්‍රවර්ධනයක් ඇතිවීමට ප්‍රධාන වශයෙන් හේතු වන්නේ කුමන සාධකයන්ගේ බලපෑම නිසාද ?
18. ජනප්‍රිය උනුඳුම් වර්ගයක් වන උනුඳුම් වර්ගයක් හඳුනාගෙන එහි ව්‍යුහය සහ ව්‍යුහගත වීමේ ක්‍රමය පිළිබඳව විස්තර කරන්න.
19. උනුඳුම් වර්ගයක් හඳුනාගෙන එහි ව්‍යුහය සහ ව්‍යුහගත වීමේ ක්‍රමය පිළිබඳව විස්තර කරන්න.

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Question Paper

B.A. Honours Examination 2022

(Under CBCS Pattern)

Semester - II

Subject: HISTORY

Paper : C 4 - T

Political History of Early Medieval India (600 A.D. to 1200 A.D.)

Full Marks : 60

Time : 3 Hours

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Group - A

Answer any *five* questions.

2×5=10

1. Write the names of any two important literary sources of Early Medieval India.
2. Who wrote 'Harshacharita'? What is its importance as a source of ancient history?
3. Who was the leader of the 'Kaivartas rebellion'? Which Pala King defeated the Kaivarta Chief?
4. Which Chola ruler is known as 'Gangakonda Chola' and why?
5. What do you mean by "Third Urbanization"?

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6. What is 'Nagara' style of architecture?
7. Why did Mahmud invade India?
8. Who started the construction work of 'Qutab Minar' and who completed it?

Group - B

Answer any *four* questions.

5×4=20

9. Analyse the importance of 'Charita' texts (historical biographies) in the reconstruction of the political history of Early Medieval India.
10. Was the 'Kaibarta Revolt' a feudal rebellion? Justify your answer.
11. Write a concise note on the career and achievements of Vijayasena.
12. Analyse the activities of the merchant guilds in Early Medieval South India.
13. Why the 'Bay of Bengal' was called 'Chola Sea'?
14. In which year the first battle of Tarain fought? What were the results of the Second Battle of Tarain?

Group - C

Answer any *three* questions.

10×3=30

15. Describe the rise of Gaur as a regional power under the leadership of Shashanka.
16. Briefly review the achievements of Pulakesin II on the basis of the Aihole Prasasti.
17. Write a short note on the Pallava art and architecture.
18. What are the basic trends of the *varnajati* system during the Early Medieval period in Indian history?
19. Discuss the 'Land Revenue System' of Chola dynasty.

বঙ্গানুবাদ

বিভাগ - ক

যে কোনো পাঁচটি প্রশ্নের উত্তর দাও।

২×৫=১০

- ১। আদি মধ্যযুগের ইতিহাস জানার জন্য দুটি গুরুত্বপূর্ণ সাহিত্যিক উপাদানের নাম লেখ।

P.T.O.

- ২। 'হর্ষচরিত' কে রচনা করেন? সমসাময়িক ইতিহাসের উপাদান হিসাবে এর গুরুত্ব কী ছিল?
- ৩। কৈবর্ত বিদ্রোহের নেতা কে ছিলেন? কোন্ পাল রাজা বিদ্রোহীদের পরাস্ত করেন?
- ৪। কোন্ চোল শাসক 'গঙ্গাকোষ' নামে পরিচিত ছিলেন এবং কেন?
- ৫। "তৃতীয় নগরায়ণ" বলতে কী বোঝ?
- ৬। 'নাগর' স্থাপত্য রীতি কী?
- ৭। মামুদ কেন ভারত অভিযান করেছিলেন?
- ৮। কুতুবমিনারের নির্মাণ কাজ কে শুরু করেন এবং কে এটি সমাপ্ত করেন?

বিভাগ - খ

যে কোনো চারটি প্রশ্নের উত্তর দাও।

৫×৪=২০

- ৯। আদি মধ্যযুগীয় ভারতের রাজনৈতিক ইতিহাসের পুনর্নির্মাণে 'চরিত' গ্রন্থের গুরুত্ব বিশ্লেষণ কর।
- ১০। 'কৈবর্ত বিদ্রোহ' কি সামন্ত বিদ্রোহ ছিল? উত্তরের স্বপক্ষে যুক্তি দাও।
- ১১। বিজয়সেন-এর জীবন ও কৃতিত্ব সম্পর্কে একটি সংক্ষিপ্ত প্রবন্ধ লেখ।
- ১২। আদি মধ্যযুগীয় দক্ষিণ ভারতে বণিক সংঘগুলির কার্যকলাপ বিশ্লেষণ কর।
- ১৩। বঙ্গোপসাগরকে 'চোল সমুদ্র' বলা হয় কেন?
- ১৪। কোন্ বছর তরাইনের প্রথম যুদ্ধ সংঘটিত হয়? তরাইনের দ্বিতীয় যুদ্ধের ফলাফল কী হয়েছিল?

বিভাগ - গ

যে কোনো তিনটি প্রশ্নের উত্তর দাও।

১০×৩=৩০

- ১৫। শশাঙ্কের নেতৃত্বে একটি আঞ্চলিক শক্তিরূপে গৌড়ের উত্থানের বর্ণনা দাও।
- ১৬। আইহোল প্রশস্তির ভিত্তিতে দ্বিতীয় পুলকেশীর কৃতিত্ব সংক্ষেপে পর্যালোচনা কর।
- ১৭। 'পল্লব শিল্প ও স্থাপত্য' সম্পর্কে একটি নিবন্ধ লেখ।
- ১৮। ভারতের ইতিহাসে আদি মধ্যযুগীয় পর্বে জাতিবর্ণ ব্যবস্থার মূল প্রবণতাগুলি কী কী?
- ১৯। চোল বংশের অধীনে ভূমি রাজস্ব বন্দোবস্ত সম্পর্কে আলোচনা কর।

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Group - A

ମାଧ୍ୟମିକ ଗଣିତ ପରୀକ୍ଷା ଦ୍ୱାରା ପ୍ରଦତ୍ତ ପ୍ରଶ୍ନ ଉତ୍ତର ଦିଅ- $2 \times 5 = 10$

1. ଶୁଦ୍ଧ ପରିମିତ ସମତଳ ଗଠନର ସମସ୍ତ କୋଣର ସମଷ୍ଟି କିମ୍ପାଦେ ଗଣନା କର ।
2. ଉପରୋକ୍ତ ସମସ୍ତ କୋଣର ସମଷ୍ଟି କିମ୍ପାଦେ ଗଣନା କର ।
3. ଏକ ସମତଳ ଗଠନର କୋଣର ସମଷ୍ଟି କିମ୍ପାଦେ ଗଣନା କର ।
4. ଏକ ସମତଳ ଗଠନର କୋଣର ସମଷ୍ଟି କିମ୍ପାଦେ ଗଣନା କର ।
5. ଏକ ସମତଳ ଗଠନର କୋଣର ସମଷ୍ଟି କିମ୍ପାଦେ ଗଣନା କର ।
6. ଏକ ସମତଳ ଗଠନର କୋଣର ସମଷ୍ଟି କିମ୍ପାଦେ ଗଣନା କର ।
7. ଏକ ସମତଳ ଗଠନର କୋଣର ସମଷ୍ଟି କିମ୍ପାଦେ ଗଣନା କର ।
8. ଏକ ସମତଳ ଗଠନର କୋଣର ସମଷ୍ଟି କିମ୍ପାଦେ ଗଣନା କର ।

Group - B

ମାଧ୍ୟମିକ ଗଣିତ ପରୀକ୍ଷା ଦ୍ୱାରା ପ୍ରଦତ୍ତ ପ୍ରଶ୍ନ ଉତ୍ତର ଦିଅ- $5 \times 4 = 20$

9. ଏକ ସମତଳ ଗଠନର କୋଣର ସମଷ୍ଟି କିମ୍ପାଦେ ଗଣନା କର ।
10. ଏକ ସମତଳ ଗଠନର କୋଣର ସମଷ୍ଟି କିମ୍ପାଦେ ଗଣନା କର ।
11. ଏକ ସମତଳ ଗଠନର କୋଣର ସମଷ୍ଟି କିମ୍ପାଦେ ଗଣନା କର ।
12. ଏକ ସମତଳ ଗଠନର କୋଣର ସମଷ୍ଟି କିମ୍ପାଦେ ଗଣନା କର ।
13. ଏକ ସମତଳ ଗଠନର କୋଣର ସମଷ୍ଟି କିମ୍ପାଦେ ଗଣନା କର ।

14. එහි උපරිම වශයෙන් සලකා බැලීමේ ප්‍රතිඵලයක් ලෙසින් පවතින ?
විවිධ වශයෙන් ප්‍රකාශයක් සලකා බැලීමේ ප්‍රතිඵලයක් ලෙසින් පවතින ?

Group - C

ප්‍රකාශයේ දී පවතින ව්‍යාජයක් සලකා බැලීමේ ප්‍රතිඵලයක් ලෙසින් $10 \times 3 = 30$

15. උපරිම වශයෙන් එහි ව්‍යාජයක් සලකා බැලීමේ ප්‍රතිඵලයක් ලෙසින් පවතින ?
විවිධ වශයෙන් ප්‍රකාශයක් සලකා බැලීමේ ප්‍රතිඵලයක් ලෙසින් පවතින ?
16. විවිධ වශයෙන් ප්‍රකාශයක් සලකා බැලීමේ ප්‍රතිඵලයක් ලෙසින් පවතින ?
විවිධ වශයෙන් ප්‍රකාශයක් සලකා බැලීමේ ප්‍රතිඵලයක් ලෙසින් පවතින ?
17. විවිධ වශයෙන් ප්‍රකාශයක් සලකා බැලීමේ ප්‍රතිඵලයක් ලෙසින් පවතින ?
විවිධ වශයෙන් ප්‍රකාශයක් සලකා බැලීමේ ප්‍රතිඵලයක් ලෙසින් පවතින ?
18. විවිධ වශයෙන් ප්‍රකාශයක් සලකා බැලීමේ ප්‍රතිඵලයක් ලෙසින් පවතින ?
විවිධ වශයෙන් ප්‍රකාශයක් සලකා බැලීමේ ප්‍රතිඵලයක් ලෙසින් පවතින ?
19. විවිධ වශයෙන් ප්‍රකාශයක් සලකා බැලීමේ ප්‍රතිඵලයක් ලෙසින් පවතින ?
විවිධ වශයෙන් ප්‍රකාශයක් සලකා බැලීමේ ප්‍රතිඵලයක් ලෙසින් පවතින ?