

Semester-I

History

Time-4 hrs

Paper/ CC-1

Total Marks=80

A. Answer any four of the following.

15 x 4=60

- 1) Discuss the nature and Scope of History?
- 2) What do you understand by causation in History?
- 3) Examine the relationship between History and Geography.
- 4) How did Marx interpret different phases in Historical Evolution?
- 5) Determine the scope of Economic History.
- 6) Do you think that objectivity in History writing is possible?
- 7) What are the thrust areas of the thematic history of science, technology and environment?
- 8) Evaluate the social debates in History with special reference to Pirenne thesis and English civil war.

B) Answer any four of the following.

5x4=20

- 1) Give the definitions of history.
- 2) What do you understand by the term structuralism?
- 3) How do you describe the contribution of Michel Foucault in post modernism?
- 4) What are the salient features of subaltern historiography?
- 5) What are the main arguments of Orientalism?
- 6) What is the relation between History and Economics?
- 7) Briefly discuss the features of peasant historiography.
- 8) Do you think that imperialist historiography has been failed to properly judge the Indian national movements.

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Paper/CC-2

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A. Answer any four of the following.

15 x 4=60

- 1) Describe the different theories regarding the evolution of Human Society.
- 2) Describe the debates regarding the home land of the Indo-Europeans.
- 3) What was the feature of Harappan economy? Describe its religious belief.
- 4) How can you describe the Socio-Economic life of the Egyptian people?
- 5) What is Polis system? How was it significant in ancient Greek society?
- 6) Did the Romans introduce a strong law system? Was the punishment too harsh?
- 7) What was the basic structure of Roman religion? What was their initial reaction towards Christianity?
- 8) How far Taoism and Confucianism influenced the traditional Chinese society?

B) Answer any four of the following.

5x4=20

- 1) Write a note on Historical Materialism.
- 2) Do you find the notion of divine kingship in Ancient Egyptian society?
- 3) What was the importance of Silver treaty?
- 4) What was the importance of Sports in Greek society?
- 5) Describe the political situation of China under Chou/Zhou dynasty.
- 6) What was the salient feature of Varna system?
- 7) Describe the Age of Pyramid?
- 8) How was Osiris important in Egyptian society?

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Paper/CC-3

Total Marks=80

A. Answer any four of the following.

15 x 4=60

- 1) Discuss the Rise of Church in Medieval Europe.
- 2) Discuss the nature of European Feudalism as described by historians.
- 3) Discuss the causes of Crusade in Medieval Europe.
- 4) Evaluate the Feudal Society of Medieval Japan.
- 5) Evaluate the chief characteristics of the society in pre-modern China.
- 6) Explain the role of Bhakti and Sufi saints to promote syncretic culture in medieval Indian Society.
- 7) Describe the medieval Chinese dynasties.
- 8) Write a brief note on the 'Village community' in medieval India.

B) Answer any four of the following.

5x4=20

- 1) Write a short note on 'Fief' and 'Vassalage'.
- 2) How do you describe the trends of Crusades?
- 3) Give an account on the domination of church on the society and economy of medieval Europe.
- 4) Write short note on Ninety-five thesis of Martine Luther.
- 5) What is the argument of Robert Brenner regarding the decline of Feudalism?
- 6) Who were Samurai?
- 7) Briefly discuss about the contribution of Sung dynasty in medieval china.
- 8) What is the opinion of R.S.Sharma regarding Indian Feudalism?

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A. Answer any four of the following.

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- 1) What are the main features of capitalism?
- 2) Give an account on the rise of imperialism in the mid nineteenth century.
- 3) Do you think that Germany was mainly responsible for the First World War?
- 4) What are the causes and impact of Russian revolution in 1917?
- 5) How do you describe the causes of the great depression of 1929-32?
- 6) What are the factors that led to the beginning of the Second World War in 1939?
- 7) Briefly discuss the salient features of apartheid in south Africa.
- 8) What do you know about the Kashmir problem?

B) Answer any four of the following.

5x4=20

- 1) How the Sarajevo Massacre played an important role for the beginning of the First World War?
- 2) Do you think that the treaty of Versailles was forceful treaty?
- 3) How do you describe the rise of Hitler and Nazism in Germany?
- 4) 'After the Second World War the process of de colonization took place very rapidly in the third world countries '- discuss it.
- 5) What is the impact of communist revolution in China on World politics?
- 6) Do you think that after the decline of U.S.S.R, the world turn from bi-polar to unipolar?
- 7) What do you know about the Cuban missile crisis?
- 8) Briefly discuss the salient feature of Globalization?