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FIRST SEMESTER M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, DECEMBER 2015

(CUCSS)

History

HIS CSS IC 104 – HISTORY OF PREMODERN SOCIETIES

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 36 Weightage

Section A (Essays)

*Answer any **two** of the following.*

Each question carries 4 weightage.

1. Discuss the main difference between the Tribal and Pastoral modes of production and distribution.
2. Discuss the religious philosophies of Jainism and Buddhism.
3. Elucidate the concept of feudalism and its manifestations in medieval Society.
4. Describe the growth and development of towns and their contribution to pre modern society.

(2 x 4 = 8 weightage)

Section B (Short Essays)

*Answer any **seven** of the following in a paragraph.*

Each question carries 2 weightage.

5. Trace the spread of Buddhism in China.
6. Write a short note on silk route.
7. Examine the power of Pope in medieval Europe.
8. Write a note on the pattern of Indian Ocean trade.
9. What are the limitations of science and technology during the medieval period?
10. What do understand by Iqta System?
11. Examine the causes for Decline of Roman Empire.
12. Discuss the main **philosophe** of Aristotle.
13. Bring out the difference between two groups Sunni and Shia.
14. How important was the invention of money in the field of trade?

(7 x 2 = 14 weightage)

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Section C (Short Notes)

*Answer **all** the questions.*

Each question carries 1 weightage.

15. Surplus.
16. State.
17. Land lord.
18. Trade guild.
19. Monotheism.
20. Coinage.
21. Slave system.
22. Silk route.
23. Dark Age.
24. Ancient.
25. Feudal system.
26. Caravan trade.
27. Astronomy.
28. Crusades.

(14 x 1 = 14 weightage)