

2020

HISTORY

4th Semester Examination (DODL)

Paper : EC-16

(Modern South East Asia)

Full Marks : 80 Time : 4 Hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.

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

GROUP-A

Answer any **four** questions : 15×4=60

1. Discuss the traditional society of Siam. What was the role of King Monkut and Chulalongkaran in the reformation of the country? 5+10=15
2. Explain the changes in Thai politics after the Second World War. 15
3. Do you think Paul Doumer was the pioneer of a new administration of French Indo-China? 15
4. Who was 'Nguyen the Patriot'? Discuss his patriotic contributions in the freedom movement of Vietnam. 4+11=15
5. What was the impact of Dutch and British rule in Indonesia? 15

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6. Do you think cultivation of rice was truly revolutionary for Thailand? Did the Thai farmers lead a prosperous life? 10+5=15
7. Who introduced Dutch Culture System? How was it significant? 2+13=15
8. Do you think Indonesian foreign policy was significant in post world war politics? 15

GROUP-B

Answer any **four** questions: 5×4=20

1. What was the earlier identity of Thailand? Who renamed the country and Why? 1+1+3=5
2. Who was Pigneau de Behaine? Why is he famous? 2+3=5
3. Discuss the geographical varieties of South East Asia. 5
4. Write a short note on Pridi-Phanamyong. 5
5. Why Java was more densely populated than other Indonesian islands? 5
6. Discuss the role of educated youth in the rise of early nationalism in Vietnam. 5
7. Which European country ruled Cambodia? Briefly discuss the role of Singhanuk in the liberation of Cambodia. 1+4=5
8. Discuss the early nationalism in Indonesia. 5