

2021

HISTORY

Semester-I Re-examination (DODL)

Paper : CC-02

(Ancient Societies)

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

1. Answer any **four** questions : 15×4=60
 - a) What was the extent of Harappan Civilization? Discuss briefly about their urban planning and economy. 8+4+3=15
 - b) Describe different theories related to the emergence of society and civilization. What were the different stages of human society? 10+5=15
 - c) Who were the Aryans? Discuss the condition of Vedic society. 5+10=15

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- d) Discuss the nature of Egyptian kingship along with the political development of ancient Egypt. 5+10=15
- e) What do you know about the Greek civilization before 800BCE? 15
- f) Describe the religious and philosophical aspects of ancient Greece. 15
- g) How did the Roman religion affected the Roman society? Discuss the importance of Roman Law with reference to Twelve Tables? 8+7=15
- h) How far Confucianism influenced the Chinese society? What was their attitude towards women? 9+6=15

GROUP-B

2. Answer any **four** questions: 5×4=20
 - a) Who first used the term 'Historical Materialism'? What were its main features? 1+4=5
 - b) Do you support the term 'Harappan Civilization'? Give reasons. 5
 - c) Write a short note on mummification process in Egypt. 5

- d) Did Women enjoyed freedom in Roman society? 5
 - e) What do you know about the Etruscans? 5
 - f) Who were Helots? What do you know about their social condition? 5
 - g) Can you explain Ancient Egyptian as gift of river Nile? 5
 - h) What is 'Spring and Autumn period'? What do you know about the "Warring States period" in Chinese civilization? 3+2=5
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