

**4 SEM TDC HST M 2**

**2023**

( May/June )

**HISTORY**

( Major )

Course : 402

**[ History of India (1200 to 1750) ]**

*Full Marks : 80*

*Pass Marks : 24*

*Time : 3 hours*

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks  
for the questions*

1. Answer the following questions : 1×8=8

(a) Name the founder dynasty of Delhi Sultanate.

(b) Which Sultan of Delhi prohibited the drinking or selling of wine in his Empire?

(c) What was the another name of Vijayanagara?

- (d) Name the author of *Humayun-nama*.
- (e) What is the name of the 3rd part of *Akbarnama*?
- (f) Name the new form of architecture that developed in India as a result of the blending of Hindu and Islamic culture.
- (g) Which Muslim General was sent by Aurangzeb to invade Assam?
- (h) Name the woman Bhakti Saint from Rajasthan.
2. Write short notes on any *three* of the following : 4×3=12
- (a) Guru Nanak
- (b) Battle of Talikota
- (c) Ain-i-Dahsala
- (d) Krishnadevaraya
- (e) Teachings of Saint Kabir
3. What measures did Balban take to consolidate his empire and to develop a highly centralized system of government? 12

Or

- Discuss the activities of Mh. bin Tughlaq and assess how far he was responsible for the disintegration of Delhi Sultanate.
4. Trace the administrative and sociocultural development of Vijayanagara Empire. 12
- Or
- Assess the growth of trade and commerce under Delhi Sultanate.
5. Analyze the activities of Sher Shah as an administrator with special reference to his revenue reforms. 12
- Or
- Evaluate the various phases of Akbar's religious policy with special reference to his policy of 'Sulh-i-kul'.
6. What is a Jagir? Discuss the merits and demerits of the Jagirdari system of Mughal administration. 4+8=12
- Or
- Explain elaborately the administrative system of the Marathas under Shivaji. 12

7. What were the factors responsible for the rise of Bhakti Movement in India? Point out the basic characteristics of the Movement.

6+6=12

Or

Trace the history of Sufism in India and discuss its fundamental ideologies and customs.

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