

**History [Honours]**

**[CBCS]**

**B.A. Third Semester End Examination-2023**

**(Regular & Supplementary Paper)**

**PAPER-CC7T**

*Full Marks: 60*

*Time: 03Hrs*

*The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks*

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

*Illustrate the answers wherever necessary*

**Group A**

**Answer any TEN questions of the following: 2x10= 20**

1. Is there any political significance of the Arab invasion of Sindh?
2. What impelled Sultan Mahmud to invade India?
3. Who was Al Biruni?
4. What according to Minhaj-ud-din Siraj was the cause of Raziya's failure?
5. What was Nayankara system?
6. What do you mean 'Iqta'?
7. What were Sijda and Paibos?
8. What was the political significance of the Khalji Revolution?

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9. Who were New Muslims?
10. Who was Malik Kafur?
11. Who was Mahmud Gawan?
12. Write a short note on Kabir.
13. What are the basic differences between Alauddin Khalji's North and South Indian expeditions?
14. What did the proponents of the Bhakti Cult preach?
15. What was the main cause of conflict between Vijaynagar and Bahamani Kingdom?
16. Who was the founder of Muslim rule in Bengal?

**Group B**

**Answer any FOUR questions of the following: 4x5 = 20**

17. How did Ghiyas-ud-din Balban tackle the Mongal menace?
18. What were the contributions of Alauddin Khalji to the evolution of kingship in India?
19. What were the compulsions that led Muhammad-bin-Tughlaq to transfer his capital to undertake currency reforms?
20. Review the Sufi movement in the Sultanate period.
21. What was the role of Ulemas in the Sultanate Period?
22. Why is the rule of the Hussain Shahi Sultans in Bengal Significant?

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**Group C**

**Answer any TWO questions of the following 2x10 = 20**

23. Assess the contribution of Iltutmish to the consolidation of the Delhi Sultanate.
  24. What impelled Alauddin Khalji to introduce his economic reforms? How far were those effective?
  25. Analyse the economic measures of Firuz Tughlaq. Would you regard him as Akbar of his age?
  26. How did the foreign travellers describe the economic condition of the Vijaynagar Empire?
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