



**Ba/HIS/MN-401**

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**( FYUGP )**

**( 4th Semester )**

**HISTORY**

**( Minor )**

**Paper Code : HIS/MN-401**

**[ History of India : (C 1526-1605) ]**

*Full Marks : 75*

*Pass Marks : 40%*

*Time : 3 hours*

**( PART : B—DESCRIPTIVE )**

**( Marks : 50 )**

*The questions are of equal value*

1. (a) Discuss the importance of Persian literary sources in interpreting the Mughal period.

*Or*

- (b) Give an account of the modern interpretations about the administration of the Mughal rulers in India.

2. (a) Discuss the political condition of India on the eve of Babur's invasion.

*Or*

- (b) Describe the rise of Sher Shah Suri and his administration.

3. (a) Examine Akbar's campaign and conquest under the Mughal empire.

*Or*

- (b) Discuss the religious policy of Akbar.

4. (a) Give an account of Akbar's annexation policy in the North-West frontier region.

*Or*

- (b) Write a note on the conquest of Bengal.

5. (a) Discuss the land revenue system of the Mughal empire.

*Or*

- (b) Write an essay on the agricultural production and crop patterns of the Mughal period.

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( Marks : 25 )

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

SECTION—I

( Marks : 15 )

Put a Tick (✓) mark against the correct answer in the brackets provided : 1×15=15

1. The *Akbarnama* was written by which of the following scholars?

(a) Tulsidas (     )

(b) Abul Fazl (     )

(c) Faizi (     )

2. In which language was *Tuzuk-i-Baburi* written?

(a) Persian ( )

(b) Urdu ( )

(c) Turkish ( )

3. The battle of Khanwa was fought between

(a) Babur and Ibrahim Lodi ( )

(b) Babur and Daulat Khan ( )

(c) Babur and Rana Sanga ( )

4. Who was the Sultan of Delhi on the eve of Babur's invasion?

(a) Daulat Khan Lodi ( )

(b) Sikandar Lodi ( )

(c) Ibrahim Lodi ( )

5. What was the Mughal court language?

(a) Turki ( )

(b) Persian ( )

(c) Urdu ( )

6. Akbar introduced the Dahsala system with the help of

(a) Raja Man Singh ( )

(b) Raja Todarmal ( )

(c) Raja Birbal ( )

7. Which of the following statements regarding Mansabdari system is correct?

(a) Akbar introduced the Mansabdari system. ( )

(b) Mansabdari was hereditary. ( )

(c) None of the above ( )

8. Which of the following was **not** one of the chief features of the Zabti system of Raja Todarmal?

(a) Survey and measurement of land ( )

(b) Classification of land ( )

(c) Biennial assessment ( )

9. Mansabdars who were paid in cash were called

(a) Jagirdars ( )

(b) Amirs ( )

(c) Naqdis ( )

10. Akbar shifted his capital from Fatehpur Sikri to

(a) Lahore ( )

(b) Delhi ( )

(c) Ajmer ( )

11. In the Zabti system, during the Mughal empire, the land which had been continuously cultivated was named

(a) Polaj ( )

(b) Banjar ( )

(c) Chachar ( )

12. Qanungo in the Mughal empire was

(a) military officer ( )

(b) revenue officer ( )

(c) royal land ( )

**13.** Who was defeated by Akbar in Gujarat?

(a) Muzaffar Shah I ( )

(b) Muzaffar Shah III ( )

(c) Muzaffar Shah II ( )

**14.** Which among the following factors was **not** responsible for expansion of agriculture during Mughal period?

(a) Rainfed agriculture ( )

(b) Abundance of land ( )

(c) Available labour ( )

**15.** During the Mughal period most of the overseas trade was carried out by

(a) Muslims ( )

(b) Hindus ( )

(c) Jains ( )

SECTION—II

( Marks : 10 )

Write short notes on the following :

2×5=10

1. (a) *Ain-i-Akbari*

Or

(b) *Humayun-Nama*



2. (a) First battle of Panipat, 1526

*Or*

(b) The battle of Khanwa

3. (a) Jagirdari system

*Or*

(b) Mansabdari system

4. (a) Conquest of Gujarat

*Or*

(b) Conquest of Kashmir

5. (a) Kankut

*Or*

(b) Agricultural production

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