

IGNOU EHI-03 Sample Question Paper for Term End Exam

EHI-03 : INDIA FROM 8thCENTURY TO 15thCENTURY A.D.

Time: 3 hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Medium: English

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Note: This question paper has three sections. The students have to attempt any two questions in about 500 words each from Section I, any four questions in about 250 words each from Section II and any two short notes in about 100 words each from Section III. The marks are mentioned against each question.

SECTION I

1. Critically examine the character and role of various types of agrarian settlements in the early medieval period with special reference to Brahmadeya and Agrahara. 20
2. Critically examine various approaches to define Early Medieval Polity. 20
3. What role did religion and the religious classes play in the socio-economic and political life of the Vijayanagara empire? 20
4. Discuss major Sufi orders in India during the Sultanate period. 20

SECTION II

5. Give a brief account of the rise of Chengiz Khan's power in Central Asia. 12
6. Give a critical account of Alauddin measures to control the market. 12
7. Enumerate the chief features of Delhi Sultans' Deccan policy. 12
8. Provide a brief account of the emergence of regional states in central and eastern India during the 14th— 15thcenturies. 12
9. Examine the role of nobility in the disintegration of the Delhi Sultanate. 12
10. Discuss the socio-political condition of India on the eve of the Turkish invasion. 12
11. Discuss the growth of music in the provincial kingdoms in the 13th — 15th centuries. 12
12. Write a note on the growth of Persian literature during the Sultanate period. 12

SECTION III

13. Write short notes on any two of the following in about 100 words each: 6+6=12

- a) Amir Khusro
- b) Textile Technology during the Sultanate period
- c) Emergence of Sudras as cultivators in the early medieval period
- d) Segmentary State

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