

M.A. Semester-IV Examination 2017

History

Course : C-2 (Special)

Economic History: Maritime History, 1600-1750

Time : 3 Hours

Full Marks : 40

Questions are of equal value

Answer **any three** questions.

1. How was the Indian Ocean trade affected by the three concerned struggle between the Portuguese, the Dutch and the English in the 17th century?
 2. Write a note on the routes and trade links of maritime India in the 18th century.
 3. What were the most important commodities in the India Ocean trade in the 17th and 18th centuries?
 4. Account for the decline of the Coromandel trade in the first half of the 18th century.
 5. To what extent did the political development of 18th century Bengal damage the economy?
 6. Explain the importance of the Arabian Sea in the Indian Maritime history.
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