

M.A. Examination, 2018

Semester-I

History

Course : CC-V

Economic History of India : Agrarian Economy of Pre-Colonial India (1200-1707)

Time : 3 Hours

Full Marks : 40

Questions are of equal value

Answer **any four** questions

1. In what ways was the land-revenue system introduced by the Muslim conquerors in India different from the earlier system?
 2. Evaluate the measures adopted by Alauddin Khalji and Muhammad bin Tughlaq for the collection of land revenue.
 3. How convenient was it for the peasants to pay land-revenue during the reign of Sher Shah Suri?
 4. How scientific was the 'Dahsala System' of Akbar?
 5. Explain the nature and working of the Zamindari System under the Mughals.
 6. Write a note on the agricultural production and the organization of agro-based industries in Mughal India.
 7. Highlight the aspects of rural stratification in the context of the structure of village-society in medieval India.
 8. Examine the main features of agriculture and agricultural production in medieval Deccan and South India.
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