

B.A. (Honours) Examination, 2016
Semester-I
AIHC&A & History
Course – H-2 (Common Paper)
History of India (200 B.C. – 650 A.D.)

Time: 3 Hours

Full Marks: 40

Questions are of equal value.

Answer *any three* questions.

1. Trace the rise and fall of the Đuĉga dynasty with special reference to the role of Pushyamitra Đuĉga.
 2. Who were the Sàtavàhanas? Describe the rule of the most important king in this dynasty.
 3. Give an account of the political achievements of Samudragupta.
 4. Discuss the conflict between the Chàlukyas of Bādāmā and Pallavas of Kàèchi in the first half of the 7th century A.D.
 5. Assess the career of Harshavardhana as an empire-builder.
 6. Write short notes on *any two* of the following:
 - (a) Indo-Greeks
 - (b) Kaæishka
 - (c) Nahapàna
 - (d) Khàravela
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