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SECOND SEMESTER M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, MAY-2017

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

(CUCSS - PG)

CC 15P HIS2 C05 - PROBLEMS AND DEBATES IN ANCIENT INDIAN HISTORY

(History)

(2015 Admission Onwards)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 36 Weightage

Part A

(Paragraph Type)

Answer *all* Questions (Weightage for each question is 2)

1. Aryan Problem
2. Indus Religion
3. Tribal State
4. Mahajanapadas

(4 x 2 = 8 weightage)

Part B

(Short Essay Type)

Answer any *five* (Weightage for each question is 4)

5. Linguistic approach on Aryan Problem.
6. Indigenous theory of the Aryans
7. What are the archaeological evidences to solve the Aryan problem?
8. Iravatham Mahadevan's arguments on Indus script.
9. Debate on Arthasastra
10. The Kali Age hypothesis
11. State apparatus under Mauryas.

(5 x 4 = 20 weightage)

Part C

(Essay Type)

Answer *any one* (Weightage is 8)

12. Attempt a debate on the Decline of Indus Valley Civilisation.
13. Critically examine the views of D.C Sircar and B. N.S Yadava on the issue of transition from ancient to medieval India.

(1 x 8 = 8 weightage)
