

**3 SEM TDC HISH (CBCS) C 7**

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( Held in April–May, 2021 )

HISTORY

( Core )

Paper : C-7

**[ History of India IV ( C 1206–1550 ) ]**

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks  
for the questions*

1. Answer the following questions in *one* word  
or in *one* sentence each : 1×8=8
- (a) Who was the author of the book,  
*Kitab-ul-Yamini* ?
- (b) In which year Taimur invaded India?
- (c) Who was the founder of Khilji dynasty?
- (d) Who was the author of *Padmavat* ?

- (e) Name the Italian traveller who visited  
Vijayanagar Kingdom.
- (f) In which year the Battle of Chausa took  
place?
- (g) What was 'Jital'?
- (h) Who introduced Chisti order of Sufism  
in India?

2. Write short notes on any *three* of the  
following : 4×3=12

- (a) Ibn Battuta
- (b) First Battle of Panipat
- (c) Economic condition of Vijayanagar  
Kingdom
- (d) Social status of Hindus under the  
Sultans
- (e) Poetry of Meera Bai

3. Discuss shortly about the sources for the  
study of the history of the Delhi Sultanate. 12

*Or*

Write a brief note on the importance of foreign  
travellers' account as a source of Sultanate  
period.

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4. Give a brief account of the administrative reforms of Alauddin Khilji. 12

*Or*

Form an estimate of Muhammad bin Tughluq as a ruler.

5. Give a brief account of the rise and fall of the Bahmani Kingdom. 12

*Or*

Discuss about the development of regional literature in the Sultanate period.

6. Write a brief note on the development of technology in the Sultanate period. 12

*Or*

Discuss in short about the process of Urbanization during the Sultanate period.

7. Define Sufism. Explain the salient features of Sufism of Medieval India. 12

*Or*

Critically examine the Bhakti ideology of Lal Ded. Can she be regarded as 'Rebel Saint'?

9+3=12

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