



M A DEGREE (CSS) EXAMINATION , NOVEMBER 2022

Second Semester

CORE - HY010205 - INDIA: THE MAKING OF A COLONY

M A HISTORY, M A HISTORICAL STUDIES
2019 Admission Onwards
63B04AF3

Time: 3 Hours

Weightage: 30

Part A (Short Answer Questions)

Answer any **eight** questions.

Weight **1** each.

- 1. Joint Stock Company
- 2. Satellite economy
- 3 Rayrayan
- 4. Deindustrialization
- 5 Census of 1881
- 6 White Man's Burden
- Ashtangahridaya
- 8 Downward Filtration Theory
- g Jyotiba Phule
- 10 Reserve Bank of India

(8×1=8 weightage)

Part B (Short Essay/Problems)

Answer any **six** questions.

Weight **2** each.

11. Analyze the diplomatic success of the English East India Company in ousting other European contenders.



- 12. 'Paramountcy of the Paramount is paramount'. Examine the British authority over Indian native principalities in the light of colonial policies.
- 13. Review the native attempts regarding the development of industry in colonial India.
- 14. Evaluate the European understanding of pre colonial Indian economy in the background of oriental despotism.
- 15. What are the features of oriental society proposed by Colonizer?
- 16. Examine the role and purpose of academic disciplines in the process of colonization.
- 17. India was not really a discovery, it was an invention. Critically examine.
- 18 Trace the history of postal communications in India.

(6×2=12 weightage)

Part C (Essay Type Questions)

Answer any **two** questions.

Weight **5** each.

- 19. Examine the geo-political significance of the European colonial factories.
- 20. Examine the impact of metropolitan capital in the working of colonial subcontinental economy.
- 21. The transfer of political power from the company to Queen was a remarkable event in the consolidation of political power in India. Comment.
- 22 Trace the evolution of legislature in India under the British Crown.

(2×5=10 weightage)