

**CSM : 14**

**HISTORY  
PAPER - I**

Time Allowed : 3 hours

Full Marks : 100

*Marks for each question is indicated against it.*

*Attempt any 5 (five) questions taking not more than 3 (three) questions from each Part.*

**PART A**

1. Attempt a survey of the archaeological sources of early Indian history. (20)
2. Give an account of the rise of Magadha as a paramount power during the sixth century B.C. (20)
3. What was Ashoka's Dharma? What measures did he adopt to propagate it? (5+15=20)
4. What do you know about the Pallavas? What part did they play in the history of Deccan? (10+10=20)

**PART B**

5. Describe the social and economic condition under the Delhi Sultanate. (10+10=20)
6. Give an account of Ala-ud-din Khilji's system of price control and market regulation. (20)
7. Critically discuss the religious policy of Akbar. (20)
8. Discuss the factors leading to the rise of the Marathas under Shivaji. (20)

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