



**2022/TDC/ODD/SEM/
ARBDSE-502T/207**

TDC (CBCS) Odd Semester Exam., 2022

ARABIC

(5th Semester)

Course No. : ARBDSE-502T

(History of Arab Civilization and Culture—I)

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 28

Time : 3 hours

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

UNIT—I

1. Answer any *two* questions : $2 \times 2 = 4$

(a) What do you mean by Jahiliyyah? Which period is known as Jahiliyyah and why?

(b) Who was Fihri? Who built Dar al-Nadwa and why?



(2)

(c) Who was Abrahah? When and why did he ride on the elephant towards Makkah?

2. Answer any one question : 10

(a) Describe the background that led to the marriage of Hazrat Khadijah with young Muhammad (SAW peace be upon him).

(b) Describe the life and mission of the Prophet Muhammad (SAW) as a reformer and nation builder.

UNIT—II

3. Answer any two questions : 2×2=4

(a) Who was Tulayha? By whom and in which battle was Tulayha defeated?

(b) Who was Musaylimah? In which year was Musaylimah killed? Name the place where his death took place.

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(3)

(c) Who was Shurahbil? How did he violate the International rules of peace? Where did he face the Muslim army?

4. Answer any one question : 10

(a) Describe the election and accession of Abu Bakr to the Caliphate. What were the problems that Abu Bakr faced after ascending the caliphal chair? How did he overcome them?

(b) Make an estimate of the administration of Umar I.

UNIT—III

5. Answer any two questions : 2×2=4

(a) Name the members of the council to elect the future successor of Umar the great which was constituted by the Caliph himself.

(b) In which year was Hazrat Uthman born? Which tribe did he belong to and what was his surname before embracing Islam?

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(4)

(c) Where did Ali transfer his capital from Medinah? Where did Ali meet Mu'awiyah to fight each other?

6. Answer any one question : 10

(a) Write in detail about the conquests and expansions during the reign of Hazrat Uthman.

(b) Make an estimate of Hazrat Uthman's reign with special reference to his character and administration.

UNIT—IV

7. Answer any two questions : 2×2=4

(a) When was Mu'awiyah made the head of a district in Syria? How did he win the appreciation of becoming the governor?

(b) Name the cities in the east which were conquered and annexed to the Muslim empire by Mu'awiyah.

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(c) Who was Marwan? Whom did he nominate to the future throne of the Umayyads?

8. Answer any one question : 10

(a) Make an estimate of Mu'awiyah as an administrator.

(b) Describe the background that led Abdul Malik to the position of an Umayyad ruler. Discuss the administrative reforms and measures introduced by Abdul Malik that made him distinct.

UNIT—V

9. Answer any two questions : 2×2=4

(a) Who was Walid I? When did he ascend the throne of Damascus?

(b) Who succeeded Walid I? Whom did he liberate and whom did he heavily treat?

(c) Who was Umar II? When was he appointed as governor of Hijaz?



10. Answer any one question : 10

(a) Who was Walid I? How did he manage the Umayyad administration? What were his achievements in expanding and conquering new lands? Write in detail.

(b) Explain the causes and background of the conquest of Spain by the Umayyads. What were the results of the conquest of Spain?

UNIT-V

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