



**2020/TDC(CBCS)/ODD/SEM/  
HISHCC-302T/314**

**TDC (CBCS) Odd Semester Exam., 2020  
held in March, 2021**

**HISTORY**

**( 3rd Semester )**

Course No. : HISHCC-302T

**( Rise of Modern West )**

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 28

Time : 3 hours

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

**SECTION—A**

**1. Answer any ten of the following questions :**

**2×10=20**

- (a) Mention two features of feudalism.
- (b) What do you mean by capitalism?
- (c) Name two factors which contributed to the transformation of European economy.



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- (d) Mention two differences between feudalism and capitalism.
- (e) Name two European colonial powers which established their colonies in South America.
- (f) Name two navigators of 15th and 16th centuries.
- (g) Write two motivating factors behind the voyages of discoveries.
- (h) Who are the authors of *Imago Mundi* and *Geography*?
- (i) Define the term 'Renaissance'.
- (j) Name the most famous political thinker of the Renaissance. Name his celebrated work.
- (k) Mention the names of two great painters of the Renaissance age.
- (l) Name two Italian scholars who promoted the cause of humanism in Italy.
- (m) Define Commercial Revolution.
- (n) Mention two consequences of Commercial Revolution.

- (o) What is Price Revolution?
- (p) When did Price Revolution occur in Europe? Mention the primary cause of Price Revolution.
- (q) Name two factors responsible for the emergence of European State system.
- (r) Name two English Kings who laid the foundation of a strong monarchy in England in the beginning of 16th century.
- (s) Which two Spanish kingdoms were united for completing the process of political ascendancy of Spain?
- (t) What were the motives of the French to colonize 'New World'?

SECTION—B

Answer any five of the following questions :  $10 \times 5 = 50$

2. Give an account of the growth of capitalism in Europe.
3. Trace the circumstances leading to the transition of Europe from feudalism to capitalism.



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4. Form an estimate of colonial expansion of Spain in America.
5. Give a vivid description of the Portuguese empire in the Atlantic.
6. Form an estimate of the emergence of Italian city-states during the Renaissance age.
7. Analyze the growth of Renaissance art in Italy.
8. What were the reasons behind the shifting of economic balance from the Mediterranean to the Atlantic?
9. How did the influx of American silver pave the path for Price Revolution?
10. Review the ascendancy of England as a leading political power in Europe in the 16th century.
11. Account for the rise of France as a prominent political power in Europe in the 17th century.

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