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(Held in 2023)

HISTORY

Paper : HISHC3066

(History of Modern Europe—I)

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32

Time : 3 hours

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

1. Choose the correct option from the following :

1×6=6

**(a) Who is the author of the famous line
“Man is born free, and he is everywhere
in chains”?**

(i) Voltaire

(ii) Locke

(iii) Jean-Jacques Rousseau

(iv) Mahatma Gandhi

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- (b) *The Spirit of the Laws* was written by
- (i) Montesquieu
 - (ii) Plato
 - (iii) Machiavelli
 - (iv) Aloysius
- (c) Who among the following is a Jacobin leader?
- (i) Louis XVI
 - (ii) Robespierre
 - (iii) Napoleon III
 - (iv) Duke of Wellington
- (d) The Continental System of Napoleon was against
- (i) England
 - (ii) France
 - (iii) Germany
 - (iv) Ireland
- (e) Who among the following owns 'the means of production' in capitalism?
- (i) Middle class
 - (ii) Lumpenproletariat
 - (iii) Proletariat
 - (iv) Capitalist

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- (f) Who is a leader of the Young Italy Movement?
- (i) Mazzini
 - (ii) Napoleon
 - (iii) Bismarck
 - (iv) Metternich

2. Answer the following questions : 2×5=10

- (a) Mention two intellectuals who inspired the French Revolution.
- (b) Name two leaders of conservatism in Europe after the fall of Napoleon.
- (c) The Crimean War (1854–56) was fought between which countries?
- (d) Who were the Jacobins?
- (e) What is Zollverein?

3. Answer any six of the following questions : 5×6=30

- (a) Write a short note on the social classes in France before the French Revolution.
- (b) Outline the consequences of the French Revolution.

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- (c) Give a brief description of reforms carried out by Napoleon Bonaparte.
- (d) Discuss briefly the Congress of Vienna held in 1814-15.
- (e) How did the February Revolution of 1848 influence European politics?
- (f) What is the 'Eastern Question' in Europe in the second half of nineteenth century?
- (g) What is Capitalism?
- (h) Discuss the differences between capitalist and working class.
- (i) Highlight the conditions of women and children in the industrial urban centres of Europe.

4. Answer any *two* of the following questions :

10×2=20

- (a) Discuss the main principles and provisions of the Vienna Settlement.
- (b) What is Unification of Germany? Discuss the role of Bismarck in the Unification of Germany.
- (c) Write a comparative note on the development of capitalist industrialization in England and Germany.

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5. Answer any *one* of the following questions : 14

- (a) Critically analyze the social, political, economic and ideological factors that led to the French Revolution.
- (b) Discuss the rise of nationalism in Europe with reference to Italy and the Balkans.
