



National Officers Academy
Mock Exams CSS-2023
December 2022(Final Mock)
HISTORY OF PAKISTAN & INDIA

TIME ALLOWED: THREE HOURS	PART-I (MCQS)	MAXIMUM MARKS = 20
PART-I(MCQS): MAXIMUM 30 MINUTES	PART-II	MAXIMUM MARKS = 80

NOTE:

- i. **Part-II** is to be attempted on the separate **Answer Book**.
- ii. Attempt **ONLY FOUR** questions from **PART-II**. **ALL** questions carry **EQUAL** marks.
- iii. All the parts (if any) of each Question must be attempted at one place instead of at different places.
- iv. Write Q. No. in the Answer Book in accordance with Q. No. in the Q. Paper.
- v. No Page/Space be left blank between the answers. All the blank pages of Answer Book must be crossed.
- vi. Extra attempt of any question or any part of the question will not be considered.

SUBJECTIVE PART — PART-II

- Q. 2.** "The Arab conquest of Sind was only an episode in the history of India and of Islam, a triumph without results". Argue. (20)
- Q. 3.** Mahmud Ghaznavi's invasions of India are controversial while some consider him a Mujahid others consider him an aggressor, which opinion do you support? Support your answer with strong arguments. (20)
- Q. 4.** Alau-din-Khilji is considered the pioneer of efficient administration structure in medieval India. Write a comprehensive note on his administrative reforms. (20)
- Q. 5.** "The war of succession among the sons of the Shah Jehan was, in fact, a war between the two ideologies". Comment and account for the successes and failures of Aurangzeb Alamgir. (20)
- Q. 6.** How did the British East India Company emerge as a Political force from a trading firm?(20)
- Q. 7.** Discuss in detail the Cabinet Mission Plan and analyze the causes of its failure. (20)
- Q. 8.** The constitution of 1973 proved to be more lasting as compared with the previous attempts. Critically examine the factors responsible for this phenomenon. (20)

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