

2021

PERSIAN—HONOURS

Paper: DSE–A–2

Full Marks : 65

History of Modern Persian World

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words
as far as practicable*

- 1.** Answer *any ten* of the following questions: **2×10=20**
- (a) What is the oldest name of Iran?
 - (b) Name the two important cities of Iran.
 - (c) When is the Persian new year celebrated?
 - (d) Name the capital of Iran.
 - (e) What is the largest Iranian export product?
 - (f) Who was Ayatullah Khomeini?
 - (g) Where is Shiraz Situated at?
 - (h) What is the official language of Afghanistan?
 - (i) Name the two neighbouring countries of Afganistan.
 - (j) In which country samarkand and Bukhara are situated?
 - (k) Name the capital of Uzbekistan?
 - (l) Name the currency of Uzbekistan.
 - (m) Where Timur's tomb is situated at?
 - (n) In which year Tajikistan came under Russian rule?
 - (o) What is the national sport of Tajikistan?

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2. Write short notes on ***any two*** of the following: **10×2=20**
- (a) Silk Road
 - (b) Samarkand
 - (c) Imam Bukhari
 - (d) Shiraz
3. Answer ***any one*** of the following: **25×1=25**
- (a) Give a brief description of Iranian culture.
 - (b) Write in brief about the UNESCO world Heritage site of Uzbekistan.
 - (c) Discuss Ayatullah Khomeini as a religious leader of Iran.
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