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Q.1. a. Trace the growth of urban economy.

growing population, agriculture surplus, migration, rise and growth of cities, growth in urban population, regional disparities.

b . Examine the progress of first urbanization in India.

Definition, Density of population, agriculture surplus, planning of urban expansion, flourishing crafts, scope for artisans and craftsman, trade commerce, harppa.

c . Evaluate contribution of economy of second urbanization.

Agriculture, industry, trade ,commerce, trade routes, currency, trade relations with other countries, prosperity.

Q.2. a. Write on the agricultural development under Magadha.

Strong king and government, planned settlement, land forest, seasonal crops, agricultural tools, forced labour, market , store house, revenue-cash-kind, prosperous economy

b. Explain the role of Guilds in the economic prosperity of Magadha.

Merchant organization, bankers, laws implementations, fix weights & measures prices of goods, Quality control, prosperity

c. State the significance of Arthashastra in the study of economy of Magadha.

Agriculture, industry, trade ,commerce, trade routes, currency, trade relations with other countries, prosperity

Q.3 a. Discuss in brief India's trade relations with Rome.

South India , Spice trade, precious stones –Diamonds, gold, metals, indigo ebony, linen, glass etc, Development of ports like Beroz, MyosHermos, Arikamedu, prosperity, cultural exchange.

b. Explain Arab trade relations with to Ter.

Location , discovery. Satavahanas, trading centre, trade relations with Rome, Greece, articles of import export, cultural exchange, flourishing centre of trade.

c. Examine the trade and commerce with South East Asia.

Trade- spice, precious stones, metals medicinal herbs, textile, cotton etc, currency, trade routes, Wealth, development of relations.

Q.4. a. How did inland trade develop in Sopara.

Trade- spice, precious stones, metals medicinal herbs, textile, cotton etc, currency, trade routes, Wealth, development of relations.

b. Give an account of inland trade activities of the Dakshinapath.

Centre of trade , roman, Arab trade relations, currency, Maritime trade, emergence of prosperous cities and ports economic prosperity, influence on life and culture.

c. State the significance of Tamralipti as a trading centre of ancient India.

Location, centre of trade and commerce, exports-import, trade relations with countries, Trade route, influence and spread of Buddhism.

Q.5. Write short notes on any two of the following.

a. Punch Marked Coins. Early coinage, ,mauryan dynasty, foreign influence, issued by Greco-Bactarians, Indo-Greeks, Gandhara, art, currency, significance.

b. Development of Harappan trade.: internal-external trade, development of trade routes, articles of import export, weights & measures, quality of goods, currency, prosperity

c. Hampi : Discovery, location, capital and trading centre of Vijaynagar kingdom, popular import export items – diamond, gold, horses, market, competition between Portuguese and Arab traders, prosperous trade, significance

d. Cultural influence on India: Flourishing trade, ports, trade routes, spread of religion, script, science, technology, philosophy, art, cultural exchange