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**B.A DEGREE (CBCS)) REGULAR/ IMPROVEMENT/ REAPPEARANCE / MERCY
CHANCE EXAMINATIONS, FEBRUARY 2025**

Fourth Semester

Complementary Course - IN4CMT02 - BASICS OF INDIAN NUMISMATICS - II

(Common for B.A History Model II Archaeology and Museology, B.A History Model II Communication and Publishing Sciences)

2017 Admission Onwards

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Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

Part A

*Answer any **ten** questions.*

*Each question carries **2** marks.*

1. What you mean by Barter system?
2. Coin hoards.
3. What kind of information a coin provide?
4. Who issued aswamedha type coins?
5. What are coin Hoards?
6. Name the most famous ruler of the kadambas.
7. Major shapes of the early pandya coins.
8. Major techniques involved in coin production.
9. Two features of prehistoric money?
10. What are the earliest coins of Kerala?
11. What are Dinaris?
12. What are coin Cabinets?

(10×2=20)

Part B

*Answer any **six** questions.*

*Each question carries **5** marks.*





13. What are the theories of origin of coins in India?
14. What are the significance of Gupta Coinage?
15. Discuss in brief the features of Gupta coinage.
16. Archer and Lion Slayer type coins of Imperial Guptas.
17. Major chola coin series and its features.
18. Explain Numismatics as a separate subject decipline.
19. Discuss the early coins of Kerala.
20. Discuss the saliaent features of Early Chola Coinage.
21. What are chakrams and how Chakram boards are used for counting the coins?

(6×5=30)

Part C

*Answer any **two** questions.*

*Each question carries **15** marks.*

22. Comment on the early forms of money with reference to Vedic and Puranic periods.
23. Discuss the features of ancient indian coins with regrads to symbols and scripts .
24. Briefly discuss the Chola, Chera and pandya Coinage in the light of early Roamna coin Hoards.
25. Define the nature aim and scope of Numismatics.

(2×15=30)

