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**B.A DEGREE (CBCS) REGULAR / IMPROVEMENT / REAPPEARANCE  
EXAMINATIONS, OCTOBER 2024**

**Third Semester**

**COMPLEMENTARY COURSE - IN3CMT01 - BASICS OF INDIAN NUMISMATICS - I**

Common to B.A History Model II Archaeology and Museology, B.A History Model II Communication and Publishing Sciences, B.A History Model II Forestry and Environmental History

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. Who is the father of Indian Numismatics?
2. Importance of the study of numismatics.
3. What are metallic money?
4. Major symbols found on ancient coins.
5. What are coin hoard?
6. Eyyal hoard.
7. Casting technique.
8. Heraldic symbol of the early pandyas.
9. What is casting technique?
10. Name the famous rulers of the indo parthians.
11. Who are the western kshatrapas?
12. Who issued the ship type coins in India?

(10×2=20)





### Part B

Answer any **six** questions.

Each question carries **5** marks.

13. Define the term numismatics and its relevance as a source of History.
14. What are the relevance and scope of Numismatics?
15. Discuss the stages of Evolution of Indian Coinage.
16. Explain Numismatics as a separate subject discipline.
17. Briefly explain the process of Casting techniques in relation to EUCC.
18. Discuss the salient features of Early Chera Coinage.
19. How old is the concept of Money in India Evaluate?
20. What are the kinds of PMC?
21. Features of Indo-Greek Coins.

(6×5=30)

### Part C

Answer any **two** questions.

Each question carries **15** marks.

22. What are the major theories proposed for the origin of Indian Coinage?
23. Briefly discuss the early coin series of Kerala.
24. Briefly discuss the major techniques involved in the production of Coins.
25. What are the salient features of the Kushan Coinage?

(2×15=30)

