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**I Semester M.A. Degree (Reg./Sup./Imp.) Examination, November 2015**  
**HISTORY (2014 Admn. Onwards)**  
**HIS1C03 : Bronze Age Civilizations**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 60

**SECTION – A**

**Essays**

Answer **any two** of the following questions.

(2×12 = 24)

1. What are the important features of Babylonian civilization ?
2. What do you know about the material culture of Indus civilization ?
3. What are the significant contributions of ancient Egyptian civilization ?
4. Analyse the salient features of Bronze Age civilizations.

**SECTION – B (Part – I)**

Answer **any four** of the following questions (answer in **one** sentence or **one** word).

(4×1= 4)

5. Sumerian script is called as
6. Gilgamesh
7. Memphis
8. Queen Hatshepsut
9. Great bath
10. Oracle bones.

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SECTION – B (Part – II)

Short notes

Answer **any four** of the following questions. (4×3 = 12)

11. Hammurabi
12. Ziggurats
13. Pyramid period
14. Shang dynasty
15. Chinese calendar
16. Indus script.

SECTION – B (Part – III)

Short Essays

Answer **any four** of the following questions. (4×5 = 20)

17. Examine the major aspects of early Chinese religious practices.
18. How did the Egyptian monotheism reflect the absolutism of Pharaoh ?
19. Discuss the contribution of Egypt to Philosophy, Mathematics, Medicine and Astronomy.
20. Which are the major theories of the decline of Harappan civilization ?
21. Evaluate the intellectual achievements of the Mesopotamian civilization.
22. How did the Geography of China affect its early settlement ?