



**K20U 0039**

Reg. No. : .....

Name : .....

**VI Semester B.A. Degree (CBCSS-Reg./Supple./Improv.)**  
**Examination, April 2020**  
**(2014 Admission Onwards)**  
**Core Course in History**  
**6B 13 HIS – PROBLEMS IN CONTEMPORARY WORLD**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

**SECTION – A (Essay)**

Answer **any two** (in **300** words) out of **four** questions. **Each** question carries **7** marks.

1. Examine the significance military pacts signed after II World War.
2. Critically examine the US Intervention in Middle East.
3. Trace out the causes and circumstances leading to the disintegration of USSR.
4. Examine the History of African Resurgence. **(2×7=14)**

**SECTION – B (Short Essay)**

Answer **any five** (in **150** words) out of **eight** questions. **Each** question carries **3** marks.

5. Write a note on Cuban Missile Crisis.
6. Give a brief sketch of Arab-Israeli Relations.
7. Bring out the role of Yasser Arafat and PLO for Palestine.
8. Give an account of World Trade Organization.
9. Trace out the role of Nelson Mandela for African Liberation Struggle.

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10. Sketch the foreign policy of USSR under Joseph Stalin. .... Reg. No. : .....
11. Write briefly on the Washington Summit of 1990. .... Name : .....
12. Examine the objectives and principles of NAM. .... (5×3=15)

SECTION – C (Short Questions)

Answer **any eleven** out of **fifteen** questions. **Each** question carries **1** mark.

13. Warsaw Pact.
14. Truman Doctrine.
15. Zionism.
16. OPEC.
17. Joseph Stalin.
18. Glasnost.
19. WTO.
20. Apartheid.
21. Racism.
22. Suez Crisis.
23. Arab League.
24. Globalization.
25. Nelson Mandela.
26. Marshal Plan.
27. Saddam Husain.

(11×1=11)