

Tribes, Nomads and Settled Communities

Question 1.

Mir Jumla attacked the Ahom in:

- (a) 1662
- (b) 1665
- (c) 1670
- (d) 1672

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Answer: (a) 1662

Question 2.

Specialized artisans were:

- (a) Smiths, carpenters and peasants were specialized artisans.
- (b) Smiths, carpenters and masons were specialized artisans.
- (c) King, soldiers, carpenters and masons were specialized artisans.
- (d) None.

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Answer: (b) Smiths, carpenters and masons were specialized artisans.

Question 3.

Varna was prescribed by:

- (a) Brahmanas
- (b) King
- (c) Poets
- (d) Artisans

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Answer: (a) Brahmanas

Question 4.

Many societies in the subcontinent did not follow the social rules and rituals prescribed by the Brahmanas; they are called:

- (a) Poets
- (b) Peasants
- (c) King and its family
- (d) Tribes

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Answer: (d) Tribes

Question 5.

Khokhar tribes lived in:

- (a) Jammu and Kashmir
- (b) Assam
- (c) Punjab
- (d) Tamil Nadu

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Answer: (c) Punjab

Question 6.

Kamal Khan Gakkhar was mansabdar in region of:

- (a) Babin
- (b) Akbar
- (c) ShahJahan
- (d) None

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Answer: (b) Akbar

Question 7.

Langahs and Arghuns tribal dominated extensive regions which are:

- (a) Multan and Sind
- (b) North-East
- (c) Central India
- (d) Southern India

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Answer: (a) Multan and Sind

Question 8.

Kolis lived particularly in many areas of:

- (a) Gujarat
- (b) Nagaland
- (c) Tamil Nadu
- (d) Andhra Pradesh

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Answer: (a) Gujarat

Question 9.

Those who specifically made and sold ropes, reeds, straw matting and coarse sacks are called:

- (a) Banjaras
- (b) Gonds
- (c) Petty Pedlars
- (d) Bhils

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Answer: (c) Petty Pedlars

Question 10.

Mangols were hunter-gatherer tribes inhabited in:

- (a) Eastern Asia
- (b) South Asia
- (c) Western Asia
- (d) Central Asia

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Answer: (d) Central Asia

Question 11.

Which tribes were influential in Punjab in 13th and 14th centuries?

- (a) Khokhar
- (b) Ahoms
- (c) Banjaras
- (d) Gonds

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Answer: (a) Khokhar

In Punjab, the Khokhar tribe was very influential during the thirteenth and fourteenth centuries.

Question 12.

Who assumed the title of Sangram Shah?

- (a) Bir Narain
- (b) Chaman Das
- (c) Dalpat
- (d) Aman Das

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Answer: (d) Aman Das

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Question 13.

Rani Durgawati ruled in which region?

- (a) Punjab
- (b) Ambar
- (c) Bikaner
- (d) Garha Katanga

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Answer: (d) Garha Katanga

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Dalpat, married princess Durgawati, the daughter of Salbahan, the Chandel Rajput raja of Mahoba

Question 14.

The 84 villages or Chaurasi was further subdivided into what?

- (a) Tanda
- (b) Barhots
- (c) Khel
- (d) Clan

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Answer: (b) Barhots

Each garh was controlled by a particular Gond clan. This was further divided into units of 84 villages called chaurasi. The chaurasi was subdivided into barhots which were made up of 12 villages each.

Question 15.

The Cheros were defeated in 1591 by whom?

- (a) Maharana Pratap
- (b) Raja Man Singh
- (c) Amax Singh
- (d) Prithviraj Chauhan

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Answer: (b) Raja Man Singh

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Question 16.

When did the Cheros were defeated?

- (a) 1575
- (b) 1564
- (c) 1591
- (d) 1584

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Answer: (c) 1591

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Question 17.

What do you mean by 'Paths and Bhuiyans'?

- (a) They were forced to join war
- (b) They were forced to give their lands
- (c) They were forced to work in Ahom state
- (d) None of these

▼ [Answer](#)

Answer: (c) They were forced to work in Ahom state

Paiks were the labourers who were forced to work in Ahom state. Bhuiyans were the landlords.

Question 18.

What is the meaning of Gondwana?

- (a) Country inhabited by Mughals
- (b) Country inhabited by tribals
- (c) Country inhabited by gonds
- (d) None of these

▼ [Answer](#)

Answer: (c) Country inhabited by gonds

Gondwana means the country inhabited by Gonds.

Question 19.

Who were Ahoms?

- (a) Mongols
- (b) Tribal group
- (c) Mughals
- (d) None of these

▼ [Answer](#)

Answer: (b) Tribal group

The Ahoms were the important tribal group which established a powerful kingdom in Assam. They were defeated by the Mughals.

Question 20.

On what basis society was divided?

- (a) According to Varna
- (b) According to Puran
- (c) According to Wealth
- (d) None of these

▼ [Answer](#)

Answer: (a) According to Varna

Society was divided according to the rules of Varna, prescribed by the Brahmins.

[Match the following](#)

1.

Column I	Column II
1. Langahs and Arghuns tribes	(a) North-eastern part
2. Balochis tribes	(b) Western Himalaya
3. Shepherd tribe of Gaddis	(c) North-west

4. Nagas, Ahoms	(d) Maharashtra and Karnataka
5. Mundas and Santals tribes	(e) In South
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[Fill in the blanks](#)

1. Society was already divided according to the rules of

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Answer: varna

2. The tribes retained their freedom and preserved their separate

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Answer: culture

3. Banjaras' caravan was called

▼ [Answer](#)

Answer: tanda

4. The lived in a vast forested region called Gondwan(a)

▼ [Answer](#)

Answer: Gonds

5. Garha Katanga had villages.

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Answer: 70,000

6. attacked the Ahom kingdom and controlled over the region.

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Answer: Mir Jumla

7. Temples, Brahmanas, poets and scholars were granted by the Ahoms king.

▼ [Answer](#)

Answer: land

8. The large tribes of were spread across western and central India

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Answer: Bhils

9. Genghis Khan had united the Mongol and tribes into a powerful military force.

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Answer: Turkish

10. In the reign of Sib Singh became the predominant religion.

▼ [Answer](#)

Answer: Hinduism

Map Skills

1. Plot the location of following tribes habitation:

(i) Ahoms (ii) Mundas (iii) Gonds (iv) Bhils (v) Kolis

▼ [Answer](#)

Answer:

