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## END SEMESTER EXAMINATION – MAY 2025

### HISTORY - II SEMESTER BA

### 24UBA23A – HISTORY OF KARNATAKA

**Time: 3 Hours**

**Max. Marks: 80**

**Instruction:** *Answer should be written completely in English*

#### SECTION – A

**Answer any one questions. Each question carries ten marks.**

**(1x10=10)**

1. a. On the map locate the places and explain its importance

a, Shravanabelagola

b, Halebidu

c, Bijapur

d, Srirangapatna

e, Manyaketa

OR

1. b. On the outline map find out the places

a, Manyaketa

b, Dwarasamudra

c, Gulburga

d, Kalyana

e, Gadag

#### SECTION -B

**Answer any two questions. Each questions carries fifteen marks.**

**(2x15=30)**

2. Describe the sources for the study of ancient Karnataka and explain their importance.
3. How did the Agrahara system contribute to the spread of education in ancient Karnataka?
4. Develop a thematic essay on the role of women in society during the Vijayanagara period, with references to available inscriptions and literature.
5. Briefly explain the life and Socio-Religious movements of Ramanujacharya.



## SECTION - C

**Answer any two questions. Each questions carries ten marks.**

**(2x10=20)**

6. Compare the administration of the Kadambas and Gangas.
7. Construct a short biography of Amoghavarsha Nripatunga highlighting his intellectual and religious achievements..
8. Explain the literary contributions of the Vijayanagara period.?
9. Show how Aihole and Pattadakal reflect the evolution of temple architecture?

## SECTION - D

**Answer any four questions. Each questions carries five marks.**

**(4x5=20)**

10. Describe the contribution of Mayuravarma to the Kadamba dynasty.
11. Describe the contributions of Mangalesha to the Chalukya dynasty.
12. Who were the founders of the Vijayanagara Empire?
13. How did the teachings of Mira Bai influence Bhakti traditions in Karnataka?
14. What was the role of the Guild system in Chalukya society?
15. How did Ibrahim Adil Shah II promote religious tolerance?



