FEDERAL PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION-2023
FOR RECRUITMENT TO POSTS IN BS-17
UNDER THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

Roll Number

EUROPEAN HISTORY

TIME ALLOWED: THREE HOURS	**PART-I (MCQS) MAXIMUM MARKS = 20**
PART-I(MCQS): MAXIMUM 30 MINUTES	**PART-II MAXIMUM MARKS = 80**

NOTE: (i) **Part-II** is to be attempted on the separate **Answer Book.**

(ii) Attempt **ONLY FOUR** questions from **PART-II** by selecting **TWO** questions from **EACH SECTION**. **ALL** questions carry **EQUAL** marks.

(iii) All the parts (if any) of each Question must be attempted at one place instead of at different places.

(iv) Write Q. No. in the Answer Book in accordance with Q. No. in the Q.Paper.

(v) No Page/Space be left blank between the answers. All the blank pages of Answer Book must be crossed.

(vi) Extra attempt of any question or any part of the question will not be considered.

PART – II
SECTION-I

Q. No. 2. What was the continental system and why did Napoleon try to enforce it after 1806? Why did he fail? Explain. **(20)**

Q. No. 3. Discuss the attempts made by Metternich to control the German confederation between 1815 to 1848. Why did revolutionary outbreak fail? Explain with details. **(20)**

Q. No. 4. "Thirty lost years" Is this a fair assessment of the reign of Nicholas I of Russia (1825-1855)? Give reasons. **(20)**

Q. No. 5. "Italy was unified by improvisation rather than calculation". Analyze comprehensively. **(20)**

SECTION-II

Q. No. 6. Why did the European war of 1939 become the World War of 1941? Give reasons to support your answer. **(20)**

Q. No. 7. The soviet invasion on Ukraine in 2022 is the beginning of another era of cold war. Analyze the statement with reasons. **(20)**

Q. No. 8. Write comprehensive notes on any **TWO** of the following: **(10 each)** **(20)**

(a) Foreign policy of Bismarck between 1871 to 1890.

(b) Problems of Habsburg Monarchy 1815-1848.

(c) United Nations succeeded in peace keeping but not quite. Analyze.

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