

APWH Daily Exam Review Questions

600 BCE-600 CE

How did governments use architecture to display power?

Empires developed what type of governments to promote trade?

Identify one early religion or philosophy that was used by an empire to unify a civilization.

Name three ways that religions were typically spread.

Provide an example of the synthesis of Hinduism and Buddhism

What Indian religion was used to reinforce social classes?

Name three common characteristics of Vedic religions.

Why did empires typically reward their elite classes?

Identify three ways that Rome rewarded their elite classes.

Identify one way that Christians synthesized Christian beliefs and Roman culture

Why are syncretic faiths often formed?

The late Roman Empire spread what religion across the Mediterranean and down the East Coast of Africa?

How did Han Chinese leaders reward their elite classes?

China's social class system was based on what philosophy?

Han trade practices had what impact on Chinese population?

The decline of what two empires led to a decline in population between 200 and 800 CE?

How were the Indian and Chinese social class systems similar?

Name one example of the use of corvée labor during this period.

How was corvée labor used to demonstrate the power of the leader?

Empires typically declined due to what three factors?

600 CE-1450 CE

How did Indian Ocean trade lead to new cities in Africa, India, and SE Asia?

Name at least one middleman trade city, or society in the Sahara, SE Asia, India, East Africa, and along the Silk Roads

Great Zimbabwe was a trade city in what part of Africa?

The Hausa kingdoms were located in what part of Africa?

What knowledge helped trade in the Indian Ocean?

What technologies helped trade in the Indian Ocean?

What empires helped promote Indian Ocean trade in the period?

What typical items were traded in the Indian Ocean?

Name two Chinese technologies that promoted Indian Ocean trade

Demand for what type of items promoted trade along the Silk Roads?

What technologies helped promote trade along the Silk Roads?

Name three technologies that were spread across the Silk Roads

Name a pathogen that was spread across the Indian Ocean and the Silk Roads

What Chinese empire moved the capital to Chang'an in order to promote trade?

Confucianism promoted what relationship between men and women?

Confucius believed what relationship was most important for societal harmony?

Tang and Song China had to deal with a clash between what two philosophies?

How did Tang Chinese leaders deal with the problem?

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Provide evidence that Tang China impacted Japan

Theravada Buddhism is found in what part of the world?

Mahayana Buddhism is found in what part of the world?

Name one way that Gupta India and Tang China were philosophically similar.

What Chinese city helped facilitate trade between the interior of China and the Pacific?

What new agricultural innovation contributed to population growth?

Chinese trade with what area of Southeast Asia led to the transfer of agricultural technologies?

Name at least three ways that the Tang and Song facilitated trade.

Name three areas where Chinese merchant communities were established

Angkor Wat demonstrates the synthesis of what two philosophies?

Angkor Wat was in the Khmer Empire, which was located in what modern country?

A similar empire, the Majapahit, was located in what modern country?

Melacca was located in what Southeast Asian empire?

Name the two Islamic Caliphates

What technologies helped promote trade along the Trans-Saharan trade routes?

Name three Arab financial innovations

Name three Muslim irrigation technologies.

New irrigation was developed due to the introduction of what Indian Ocean crops?

The Muslim Agricultural Revolution had what demographic impact?

Nasir al-Din al-Tusi was a Persian mathematician who helped prove what about the universe?

Nasir al-Din al-Tusi would likely have studied at what Baghdad library?

That library helped keep what philosophy alive?

Name one method that Arabic traders used to promote Indian Ocean trade.

How did that method create cross-cultural linguistic exchanges?

Name three diasporic communities along trade routes.

What two events led to a decline in population between 1200 CE and 1400 CE?

Name three ways that the Mongols facilitated trade

Name four travelers during this time period that help with understanding the nature

of trade during the period.

The building of the Hagia Sophia and public religious rituals demonstrated that the Byzantine emperor Justinian promoted what faith?

Provide one example of the use of religious symbolism in Eastern Christian culture

Provide evidence that shows that women played an important role in Byzantine Empire.

Emperors often used paintings showing them as divine in order to accomplish what goal?

The collapse of what empire led to decentralization in Western Europe during the period from 600 to 1100?

Increased trade in the 12th Century led to the rise of what three Western European landowning classes?

How did the rise of new elite classes in Italy contribute to the Renaissance?

What factors led to the rise of urbanization in 12th Century Western Europe?

The return of what philosophy to 12th Century Western Europe led to cultural and political growth?

Name one Mesoamerican irrigation technology.

Name one Andean irrigation technology.

Name one example of Aztec monumental architecture

The Aztec were influenced by what earlier civilizations?

Name one example of Inca corvée labor

The Inca practiced what type of ancestor veneration?

How did Vladimir shape Russia?

Name one method that the Ming used to project power in the Indian Ocean

What group of nomads began threatening to invade the Ming?

The Ming was impacted by what environmental problem beginning around 1350?

Identify one commercial change that occurred during the Ming.

1450-1750 CE

What two cultural renaissances were going on during this time period?

From the 11th Century until the 17th Century, Japan was ruled by what type of decentralized political system?

Japan adopted what Chinese form of government in the 1600's due to increasing centralization under Tokugawa Ieyasu and due to philosophical conflict?

What empire took over the Byzantine Empire in 1453?

Provide an example of the sponsorship of art by new elites.

Name one religious change that occurred in this period

What was the name of the gentry rebellion in France that contributed to the rise of absolutism?

The expulsion of Jews and Muslims from Spain was known by what name?

Russian landowning elites were known by what name?

What factors motivated European exploration?

What factors led to increasing population levels in Western Europe between 1450 and 1600?

Name two European technological innovations that allowed for exploration?

The Portuguese sailed around Africa in order to find a shorter route to what country?

What was one difference between Indian Ocean trade in the period 600-1450 and that of 1450-1750?

What factors allowed Europeans to dominate much of the world?

Name one product that was sent from the Americas to Europe and how that product impacted Europe.

Name one demographic impact of the Columbian Exchange upon the Americas.

Name one American food that became a staple crop in Africa

Name three prominent migrations during this period.

Provide three examples of a syncretic faiths in the Americas. What was the purpose of syncretic faiths in the Americas?

Name three cash crops.

The demand for cash crops was part of what economic system?

How did labor change in the Americas?

How were social hierarchies restructured in the Americas after 1500?

Provide evidence that shows Spanish-born individuals were favored in the American social class system

How was the population of Western Europe impacted by trade with the Americas?

How did economic systems in Europe change during this period?

The trade network in the Americas was called the Triangular trade network or what other name?

Mestizos, mulattoes, creoles and peninsulares were all part of what social class system?

Discuss the difference in rights between mestizos, mulattoes, and creoles

The Columbian Exchange had what environmental impact on the Americas?

How were families impacted by the Ottoman and Western European policies?

How did exploration in East Asia change?

The Mughal, Ottoman, and Safavid Empires had what religious similarity?

How did the Mughal Empire unite India religiously?

What technology did the Mughal Empire use to unite their empire?

How did the Ottoman Empire solve the problem of disloyalty among the nobility?