

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2019
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Max.marks :75

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10. Vatteluttu
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19. Briefly describe the coins of the Guptas.

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