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Medieval History

Year	No of Questions Prelims	Mains
2016	4	1
2017	1	0
2018	1	2
2019	5	0
2020	2	1
2021	5	1

Questions -Mains

- Q. Persian literary sources of medieval India reflect the spirit of the age. Comment. (15) (2020)
- Q: Evaluate the nature of Bhakti literature and its contribution to Indian culture (10 marks) (2021)
- Q: Assess the importance of the accounts of the Chinese and Arab travellers in the reconstruction of the history of India. (10) (2018)
- Q: The Bhakti movement received a remarkable re-orientation with the advent of Sri Chaitanya Mahaprabhu. Discuss. (15) (2018)
- Q: Krishnadeva Raya, the king of Vijayanagar, was not only an accomplished scholar himself but was also a great patron of learning and literature. Discuss. (12.5) (2016)
- Q: The third battle of Panipat was fought in 1761. Why were so many empire shaking battles fought at Panipat? (10)
- Q: Sufis and medieval mystic saints failed to modify either the religious ideas and practices or the outward structure of Hindu/Muslim societies to any appreciable extent. Comment. (10)



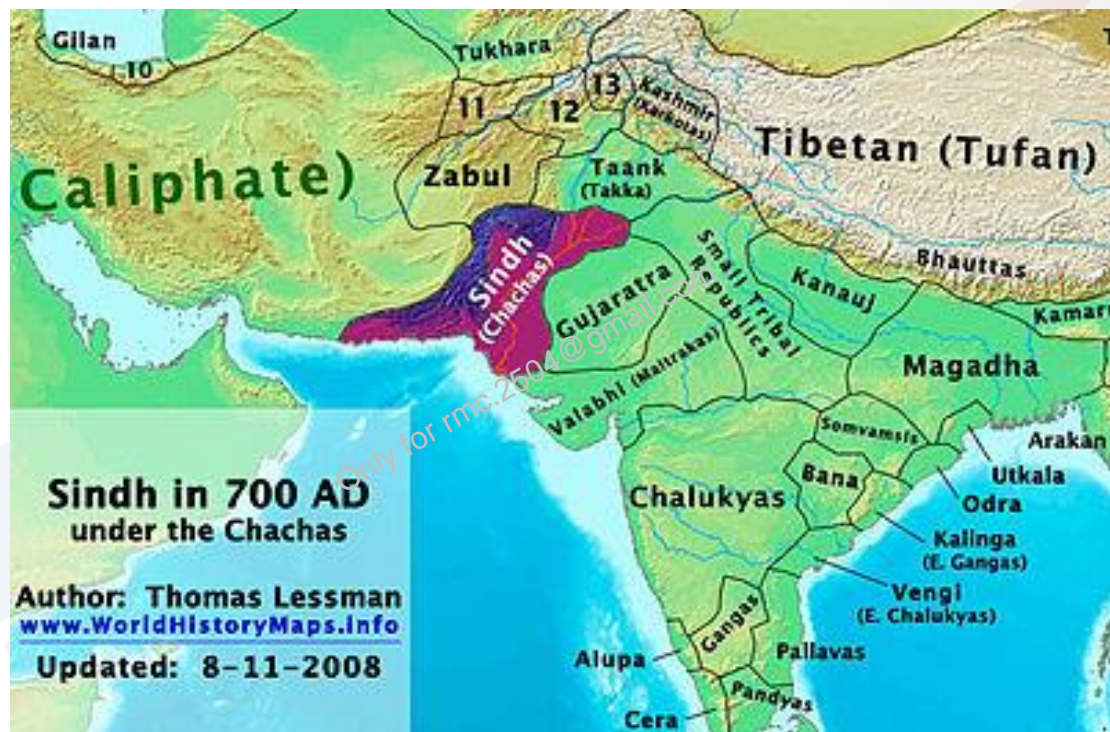
Zonal Map of India

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<https://www.mapsofindia.com/maps/india/zonal-map.html>



700 AD



800 AD

- 22. Bamiyan
- 23. Kashmir (Karakotas)
- 24. Delhi (Tomaras)
- 25. Later Kalachuris

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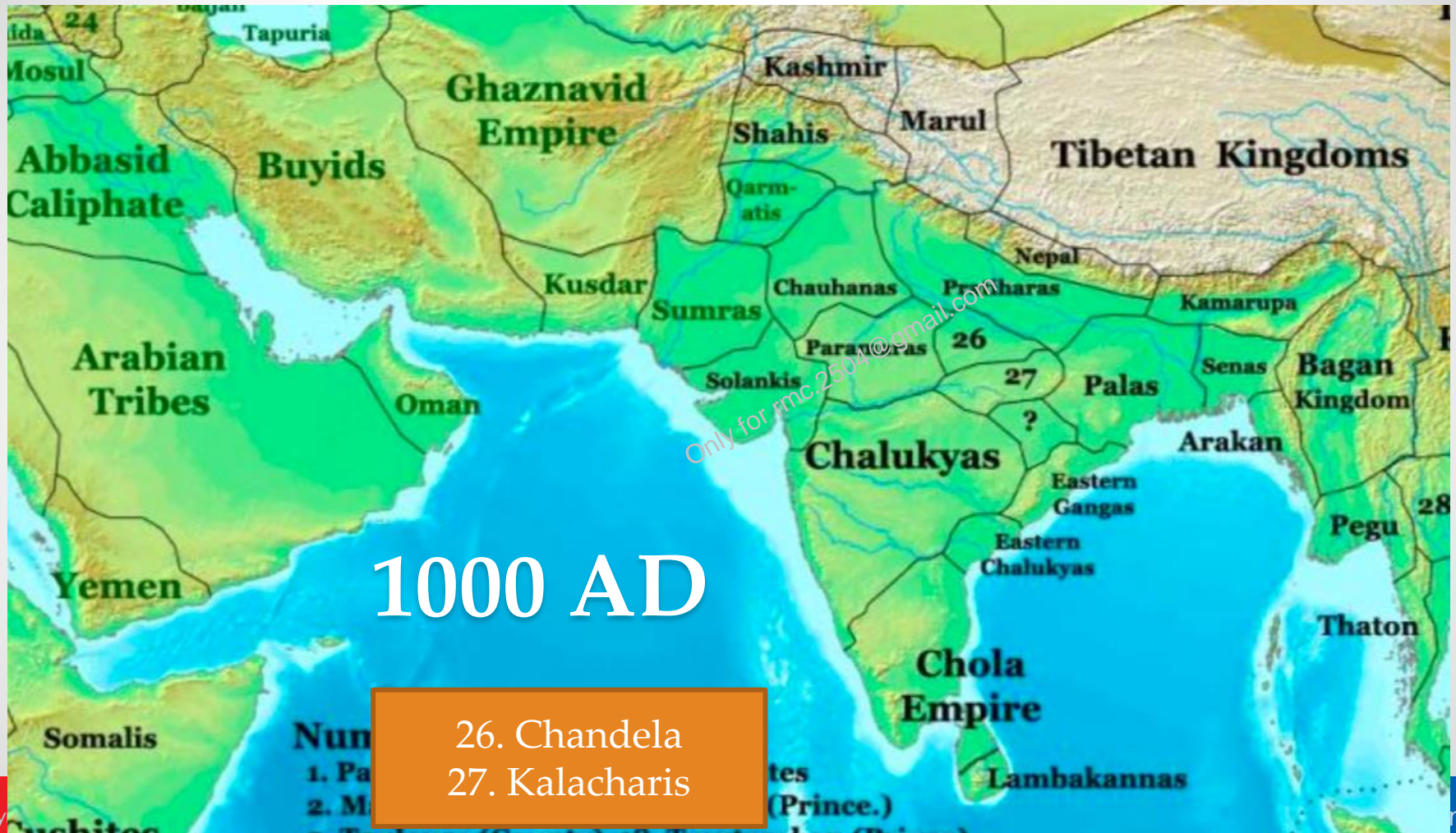
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900 AD



26. Gangas
27. Tirabhukti



1000 AD

- 26. Chandela
- 27. Kalacharis



1100 AD

- 44. Nepal
- 45. Mithila
- 46. Sena



1200 AD

32. Pandyas

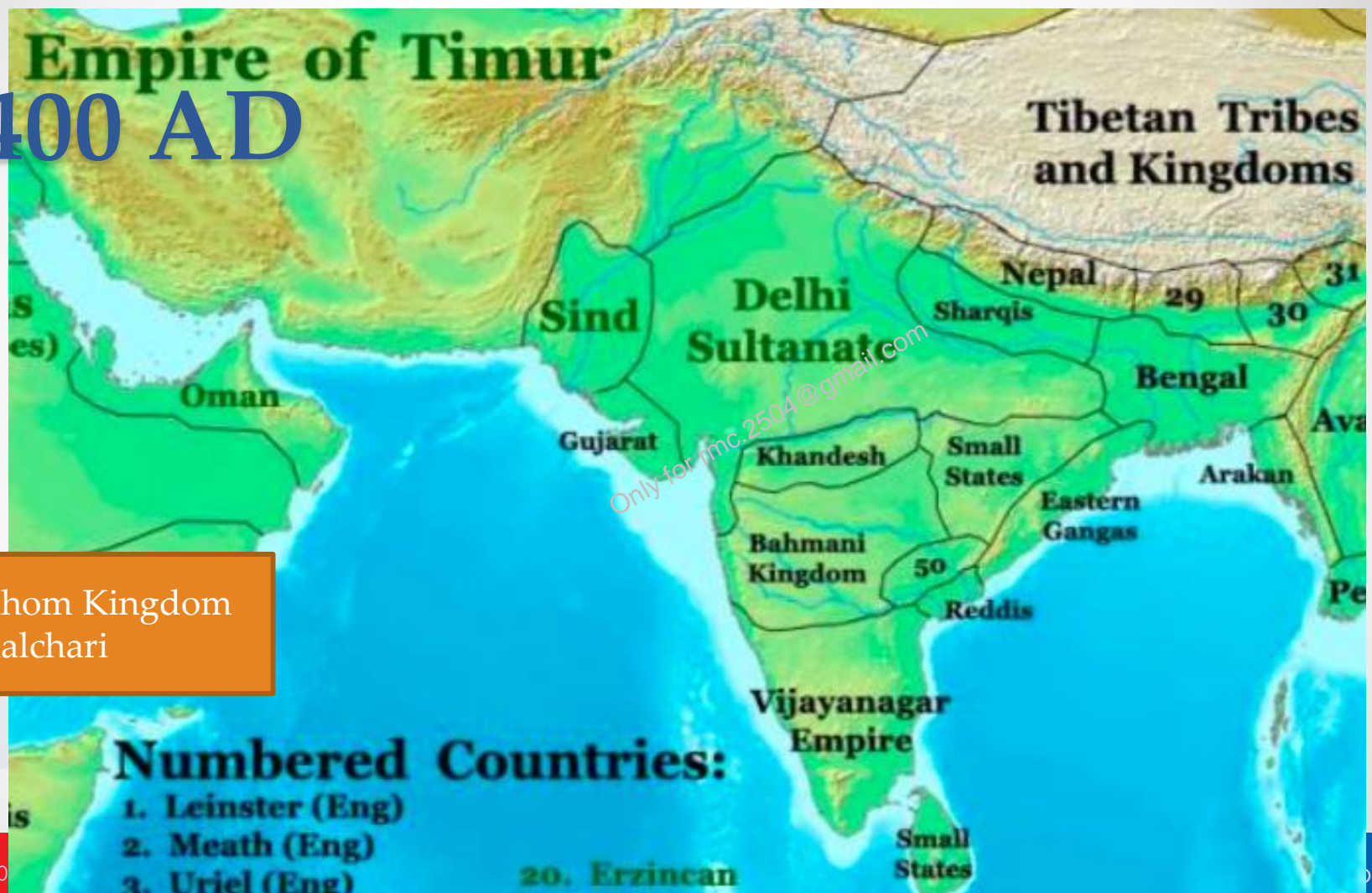


1300 AD



Empire of Timur

1400 AD



29. Ahom Kingdom
30. Kalchari

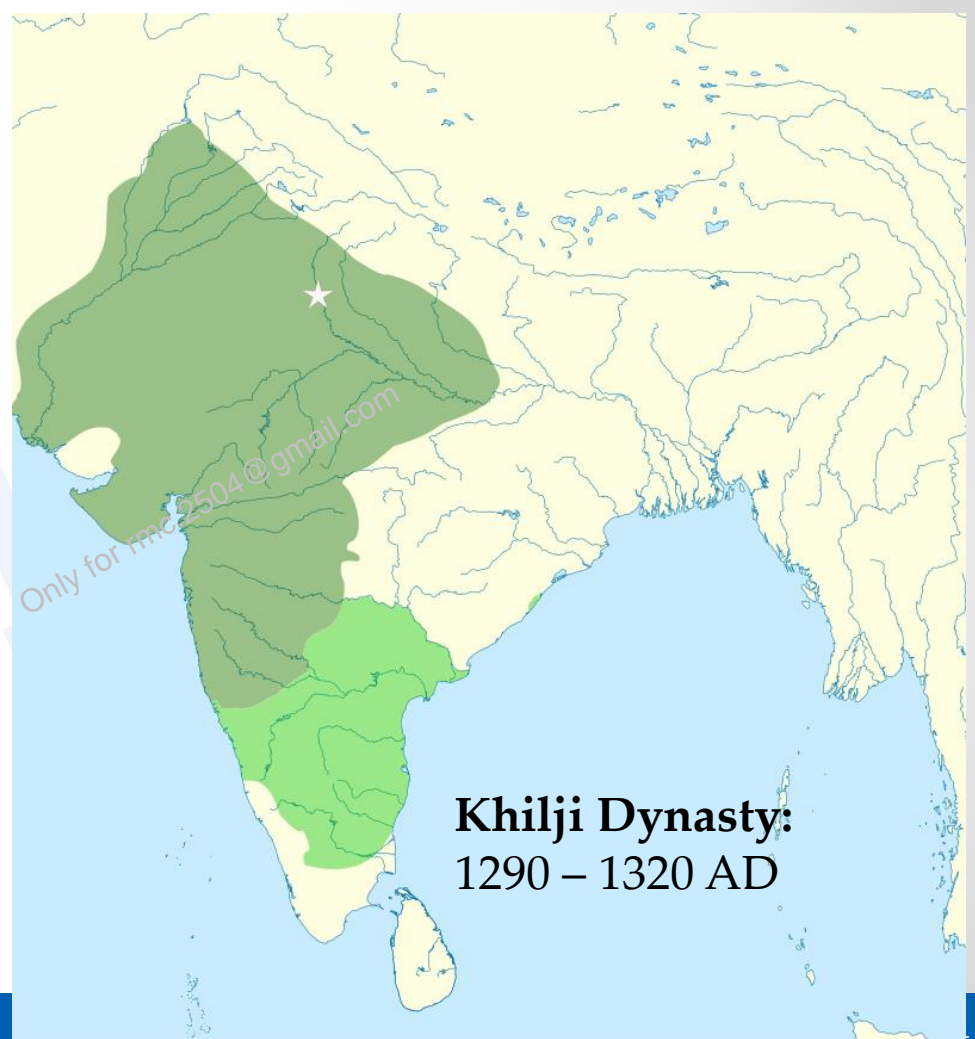
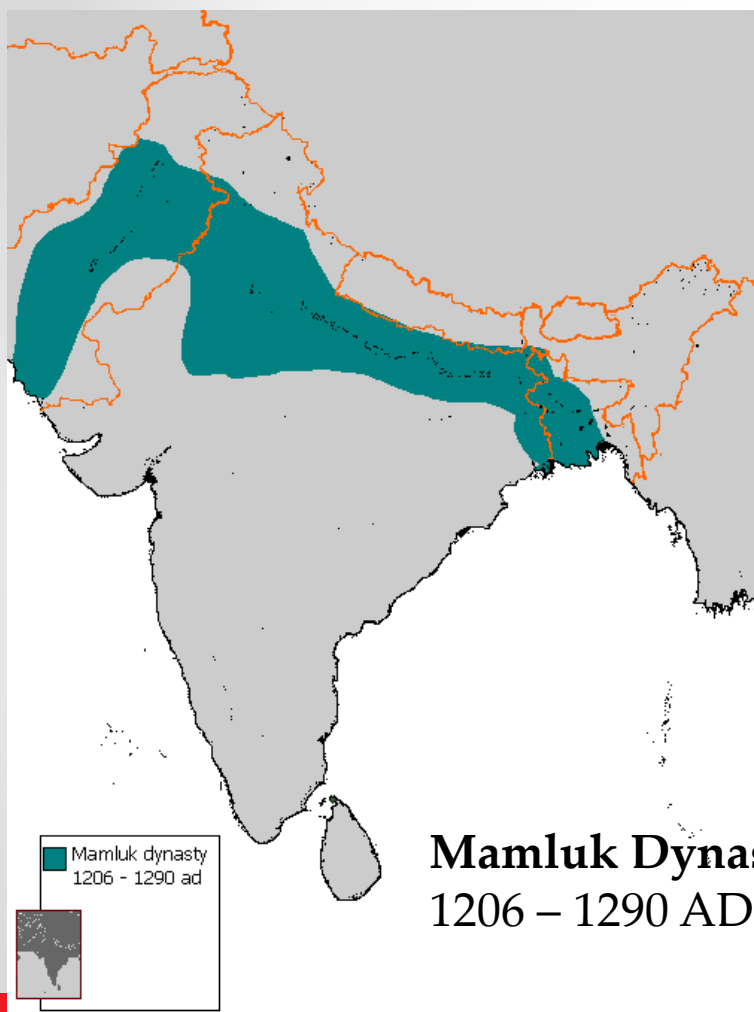
1500 AD

Timurids

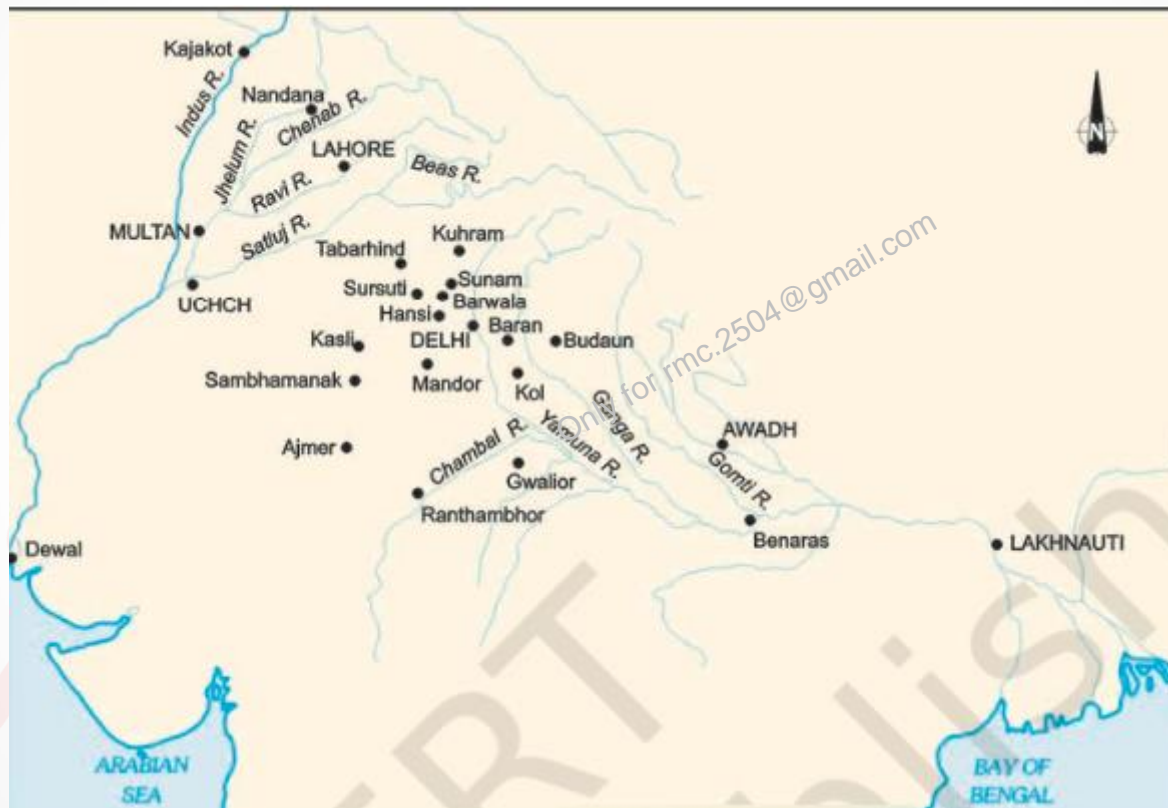


22. Ahom Kingdom
23. Kalchari

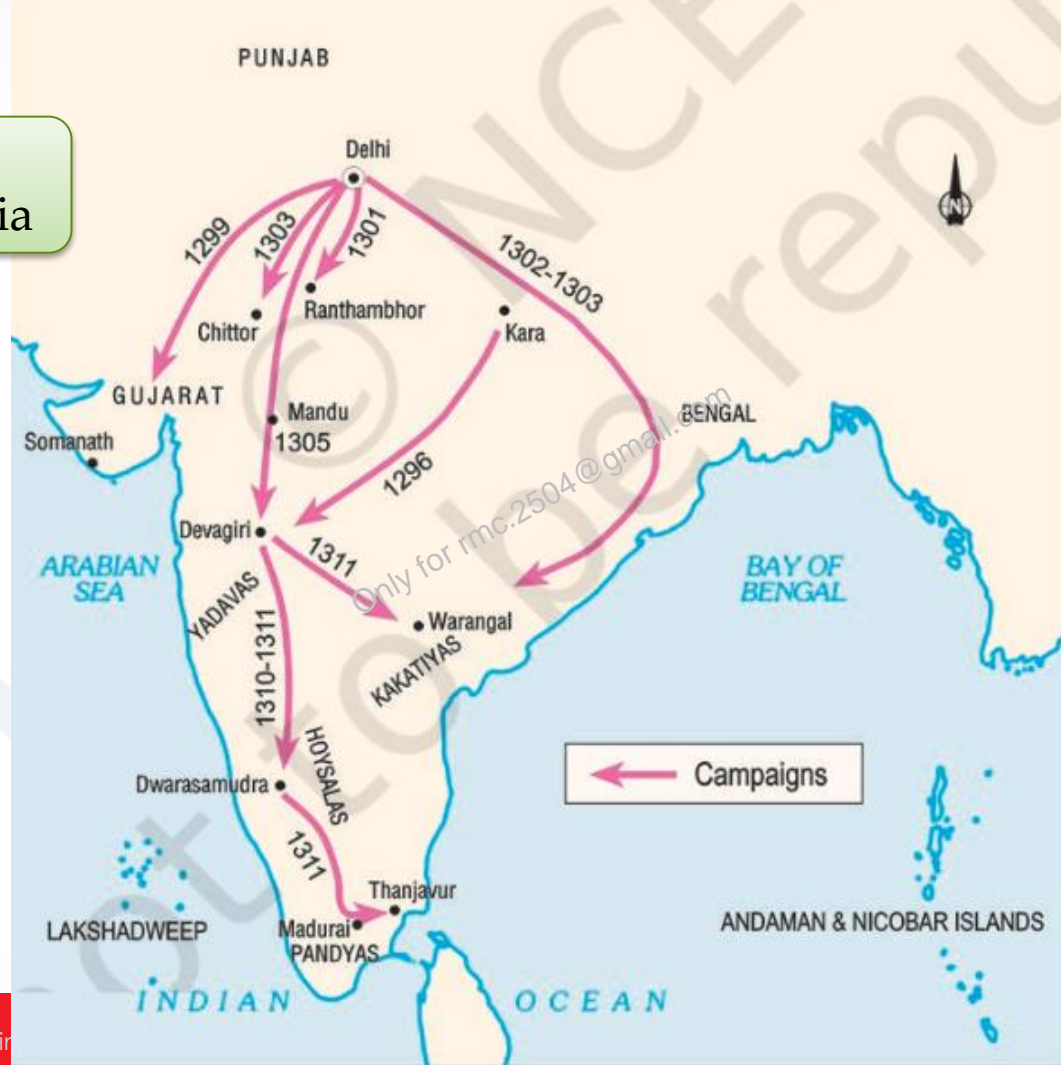
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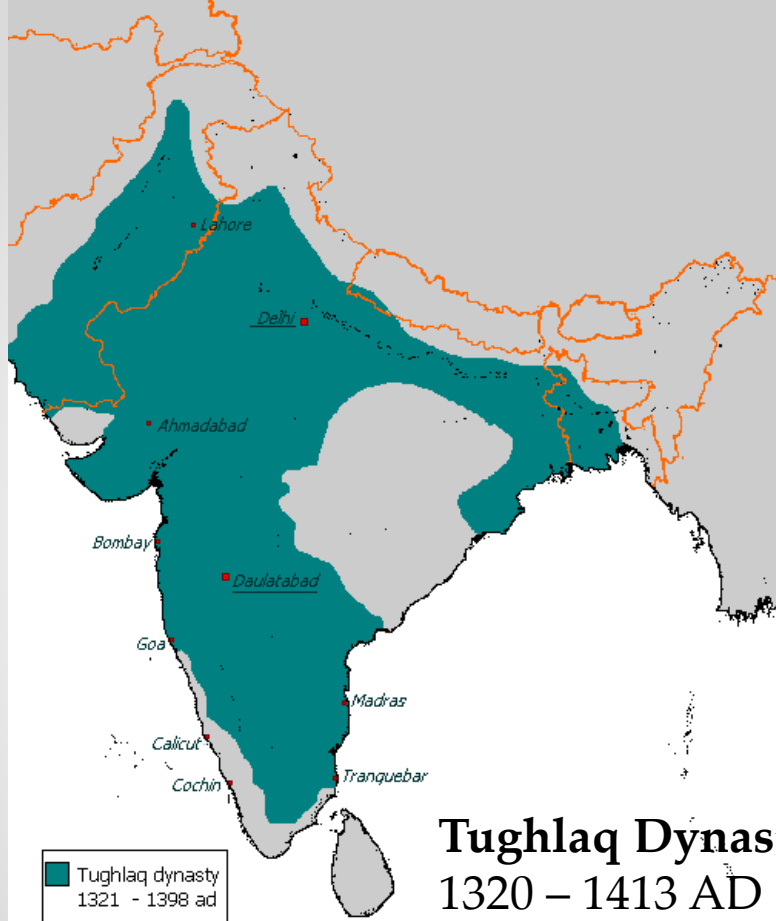


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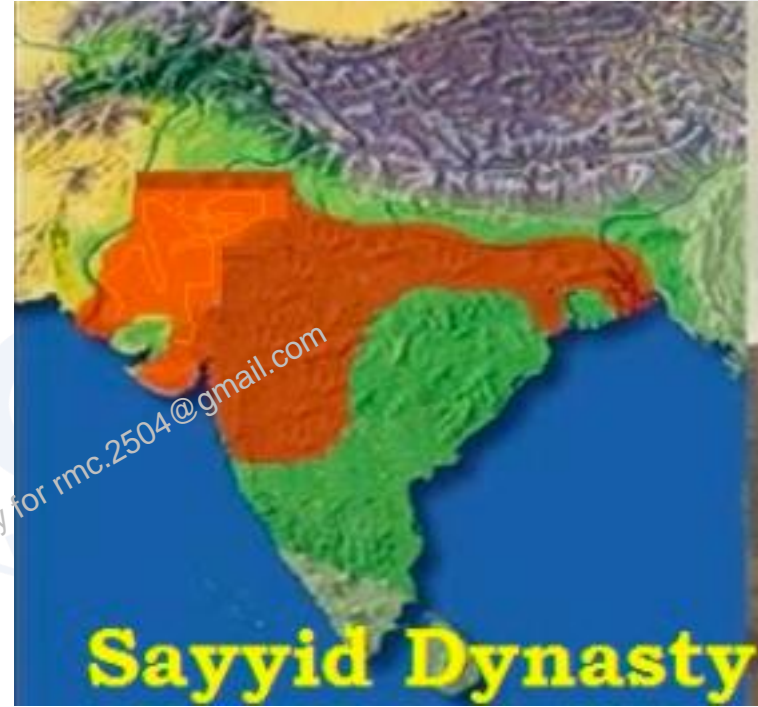


Alauddin Khilji campaign to South India



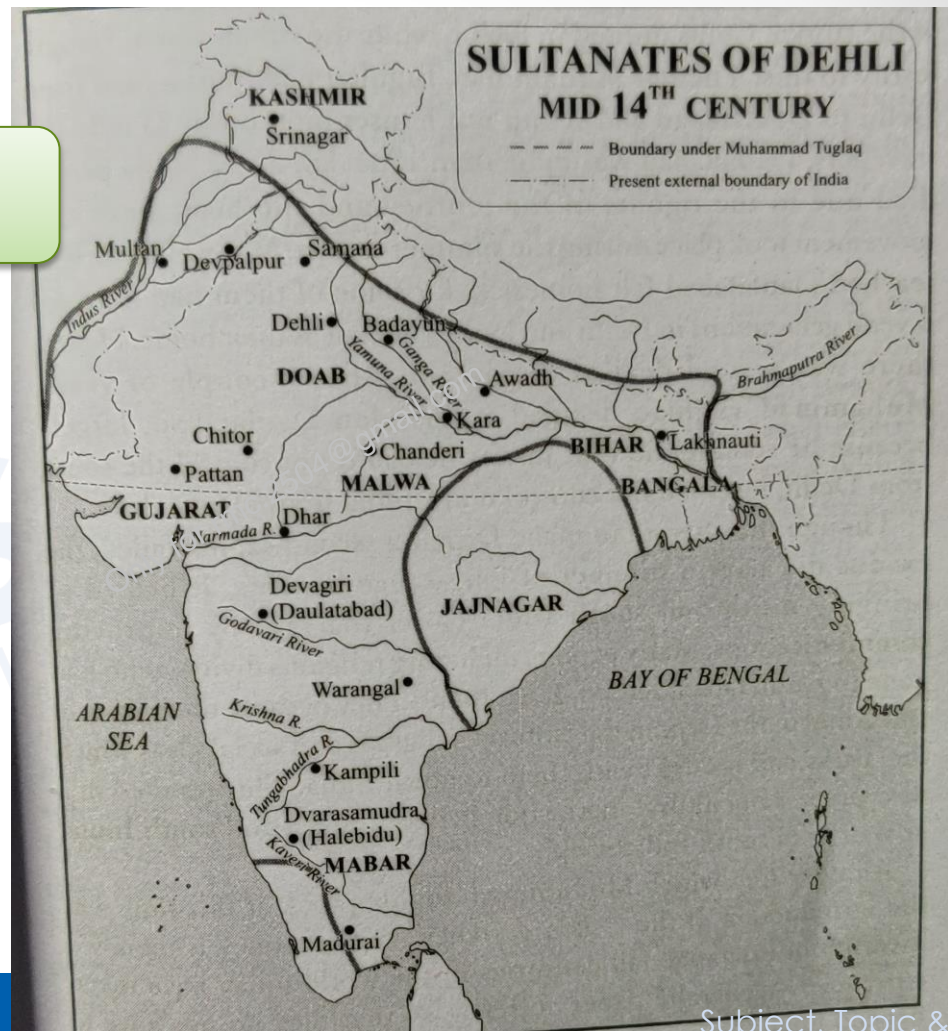


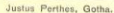
Tughlaq Dynasty:
1320 – 1413 AD



Sayyid Dynasty:
1414 – 1450 AD

Delhi Sultanate under Muhmmad Tughlaq





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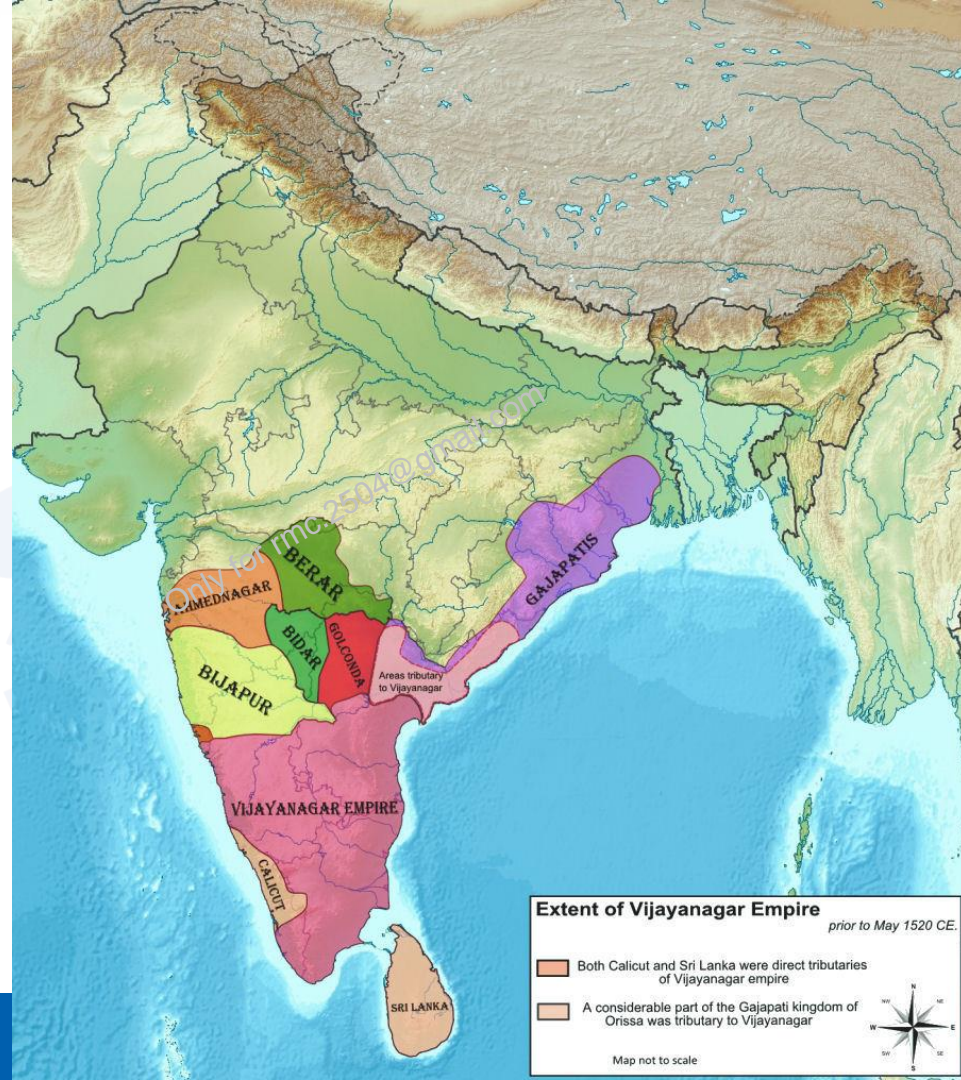


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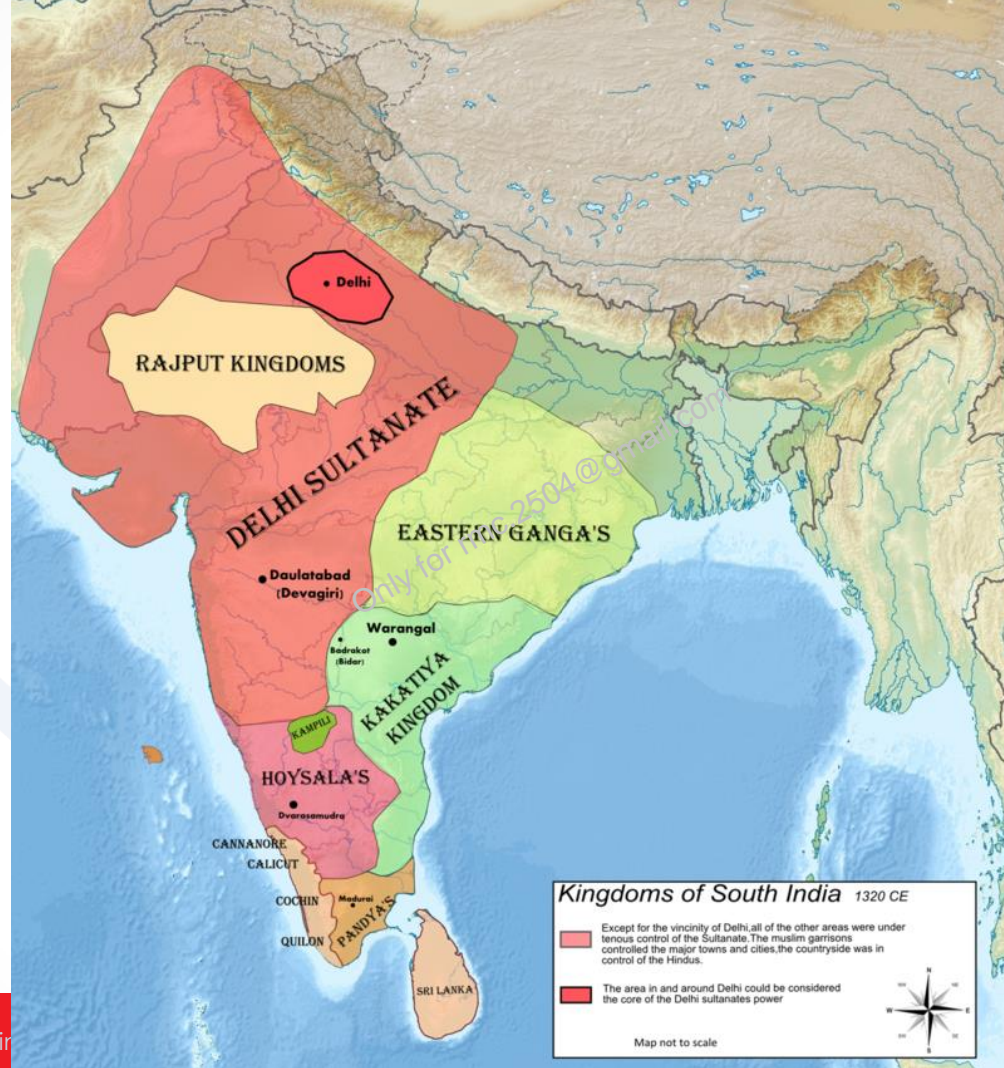
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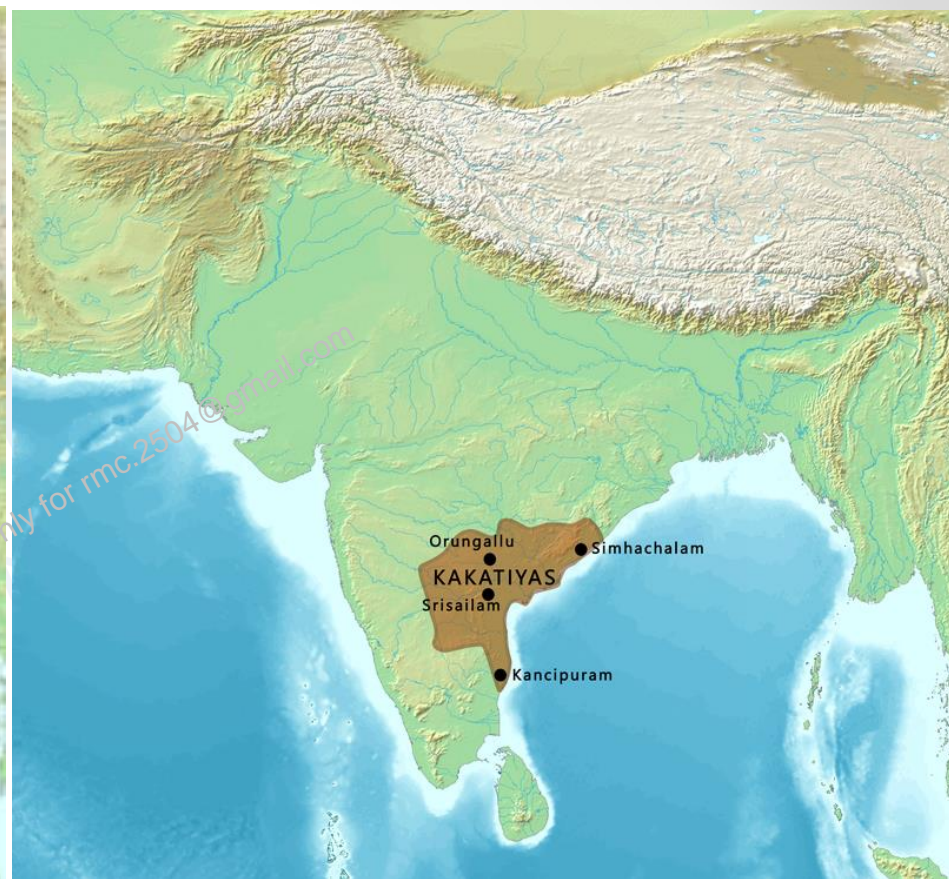


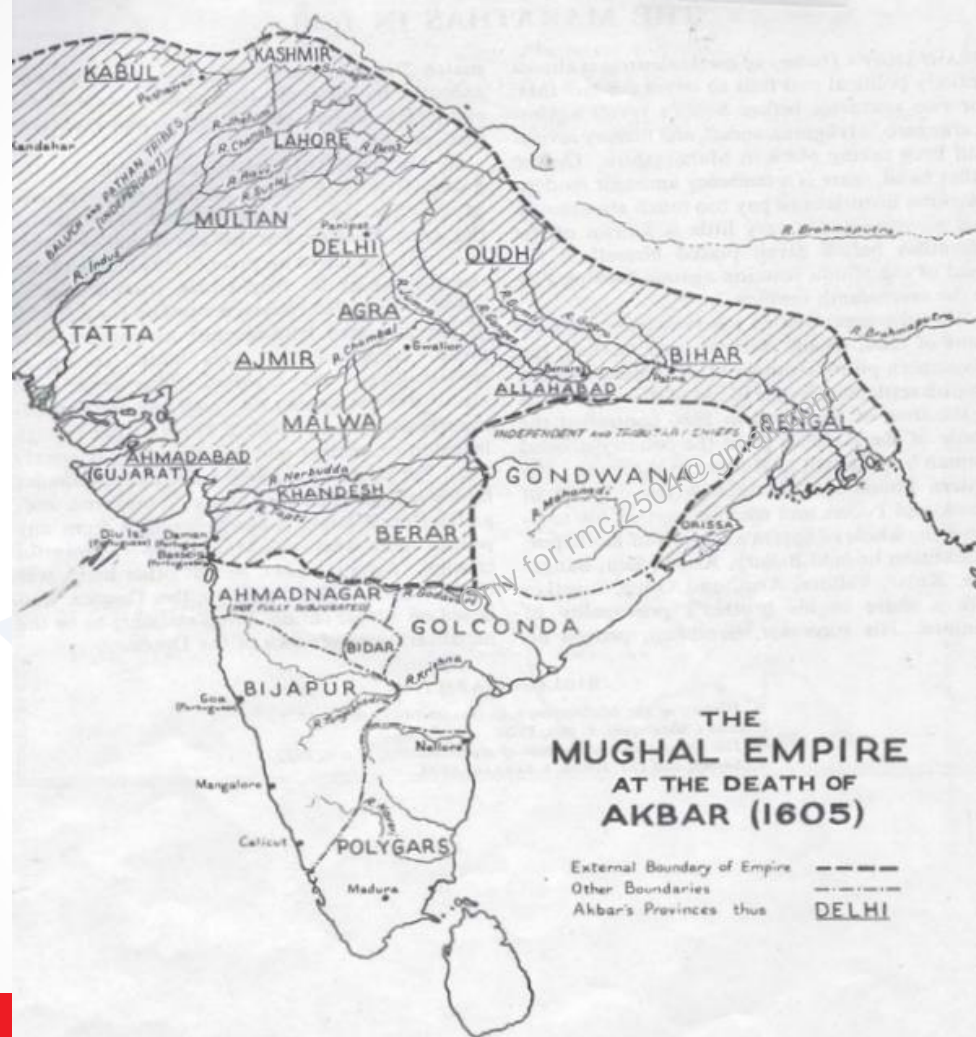
Vijaynagar and Bahamani



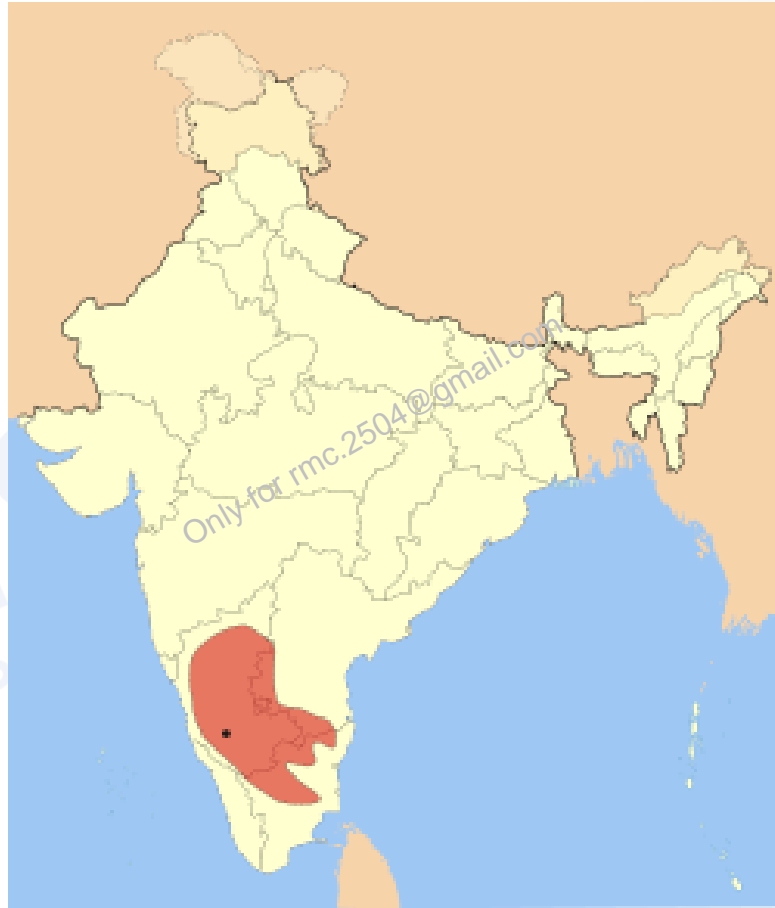
1320 AD







Hoysala Empire



1530 - 1707 AD

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