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02) Sirah of the Prophet Muhammad (SAW)
03) The Prophet Muhammad (SAW) at Madinah:
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   b- Organisation of State Administration
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04) Khilafat- i Rashida
05) Umayyad Rule- Main Features
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10) Development of Tafsir in Early Period
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12) Early Development of Hadith in early period
13) Hadith Literature of the Classical Period
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16) Development of Arab Historiography
17) Translation of Scientific Works into Arabic under the Abbasids
18) Islamic Sciences / Ulum-i Islamia (during Muslim Rule in Spain)
19) Medical Sciences (during Muslim Rule in Spain)
20) Contribution of Muslim Spain to European Renaissance
21) Ibn Taimiya
22) Al- Ghazali
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05) Islamic Sciences
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07) Persian Historiography
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10) Shiite Sects: Ismailis, Shaykhis, Babis & Bahais
11) The Constitutionalist Movement
12) Modernization under Reza Shah
13) The Institution of Ulama
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16) Ayatullah Taliqani
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Paper II (B/3) Turkish Studies  
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14) Fall of the Ottoman Empire and its Impact on Muslim World  
15) Mustafa Kemal Ataturk and Emergence of Turkish Republic  
16) Islam in the Politics of Turkey  
17) Bediuzzaman Said Nursi (1873-1960)  
18) Revival of Islam in Turkey  
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