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**DOON UNIVERSITY, DEHRADUN**  
**Semester Final Examination, Fourth Semester-2013**  
**School of Languages**

**M.A. Integrated, Spanish**  
**SLS 210 – Latin American History and Culture**

*Time Allowed: 3 Hours*

*Maximum Marks: 50*

**Section – A: Answer the questions in around 150 words**

**(2x5=10)**

1. What was the flotilla system?
2. What is Grito de Dolores?
3. What is common between Mexico's EZLN, Brazil's MST and Peru's Sendero Luminoso?
4. What is populismo?
5. Why is Mexican revolution referred to as a series of smaller revolutions?

**Section- B: Answer the questions in 250-300 words.**

**(4x5=20)**

1. How were the Bolivian and the Guatemalan revolutions, in the early 1950s, similar and how were they different?
2. Throw some light on the US intervention in Latin America through your knowledge of the Latin American history since the nineteenth century till today.
3. Talk about the huge debt that Latin America went through during the second half of the 20<sup>th</sup> century and the ways in which it tried to recuperate. Did it help?
4. Which two revolutions of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century were successful? Write about them.

**SECTION – C: Answer the questions in between 500-750 words.**

**(10x2=20)**

1. What were the various reforms that the Bourbons made in their overseas Spanish empire? What were the repercussions of these reforms?
2. What effect did the Great Depression of 1929 have on Latin American economy? What change did it bring about? Discuss in detail.

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