

IS-MA(Soc)CBCS-
DDCE — I

2014

Time : As in Programme

Full Marks : 70

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.

*Answer from **all** the Sections as per direction.*

Section – A

Answer any **three** questions within **700-1000**
words each of the following : $12 \times 3 = 36$

1. Discuss, in detail, the subject matter of Sociology.
2. Define culture and delineate its characteristics.
3. Mention the role of the primary agent of socialization.
4. Elaborate the ideas of Davis and Moore on "Social Stratification".
5. Examine the role of cultural factors in promoting social change.

EA – 31/3

(Turn over)

Section – B

Answer any **three** questions within **500** words
each of the following : $8 \times 3 = 24$

6. Examine the relationship between Sociology and Political Science.
7. Highlight the characteristics of a "Social Group".
8. Mention the forms of social stratification.
9. Delineate the main features of associative social process.
10. Differentiate between "Social Progress" and "Social Evolution"..

Section – C

Answer any **two** questions within **300** words
each of the following : $5 \times 2 = 10$

11. The Formalistic School of Sociology
12. Social Status
13. Inter and Intra generational mobility
14. The revolutionary nature of social change



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Section – A

Answer any **three** questions within **700-1000**
words each of the following : $12 \times 3 = 36$

1. Examine Louis Dumont's perspective to the study of Indian Society.
2. Critically analyse the significance of structural-functional approach to the study of Indian Society.

3. "D. P. Mukherjee studied Indian society from Marxist perspective". Explain with relevant examples.
4. Explain contributions of B. R. Ambedkar to Indian Society.
5. Discuss David Hardiman's approach to the study of Indian Society.

Section – B

Answer any **three** questions within **500** words each of the following : $8 \times 3 = 24$

6. Define Indology. Discuss the relationship between Indology and Sociology.
7. Is M. N. Srinivas a structural functionalist ? Substantiate.
8. Explain the salient features of marxist perspective.
9. What is Subaltern ? Explain features of subaltern perspective.

10. Analyse B. R. Ambedkar's sociological ideas.

EA – 32/3 (2) Contd.

Section – C

Write short notes on any **two** within **300** words each of the following : $5 \times 2 = 10$

11. Social Justice
12. Indology and History
13. Sanskritisation
14. Social Inequality



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Section – A

Answer any **three** questions within **700-1000**

words each of the following : $12 \times 3 = 36$

1. Explain Auguste Comte's ideas on "Hierarchy of Sciences".
2. Examine Emile Durkheims "Theory of Religion".
3. "Protestant Ethics gave birth to the spirit of Capitalism". How does Weber justify this.

4. Critically estimate Marx's theory of "Class Struggle".

5. Briefly discuss Max Weber's explanation of bureaucracy.

Section – B

Answer any **three** questions within **500** words each of the following :

8×3 = 24

6. Briefly explain Auguste Comte's description of the "Theological Stage" and the nature of society.
7. Write a note on Weber's typology of authority.
8. Explain the characteristics of social facts with suitable examples.
9. Mention the features of mechanical solidarity.
10. Explain "class-in-itself" and "class-for-itself".

EA – 33/3

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Section – C

Answer any **two** questions within **300** words each of the following :

5×2 = 10

11. Analyse the positivist methods spelt out by Auguste Comte.
12. Describe ideal types.
13. Define "Totemism" and discuss its features.
14. What form does alienation take according to Marx ? Describe.



EA – 33/3 (200)

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Section – A

Answer any **three** questions within **700-1000** words
each of the following : 12×3 = 36

1. What is sociological research ? Differentiate between pure and applied research with suitable examples.
2. Bring out the relationship between theory and methods in social sciences.
3. "Interview is a tool par excellence." Comment.
4. What is Sampling ? Explain types of sampling.

5. Describe the importance of scaling techniques in social research.

Section – B

Answer any **three** questions within **500** words each of the following : $8 \times 3 = 24$

6. Explain the nature and features of social research.
7. What is Data ? Discuss its types and importance in social research.
8. Write a note on Descriptive Research Design.
9. Discuss advantages and disadvantages of questionnaire.
10. Write a brief note on 'Bogardus scale of social distance'.

Section – C

Answer any **two** questions within **300** words each of the following : $5 \times 2 = 10$

11. Explain the nature of diagnostic research design.

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12. Elaborate the advantages of observation as a method.

13. Write a brief note on 'Thursten Scale'.

14. Explain Random Sampling.



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