

DDCE-1st CBCS-M.A (Sociology)-(20101) (54)

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Full Marks: 70

Time: As in the programme

Answer questions according to General Instruction of each Section.

(Subject : Introduction to Sociology)

GENERAL INSTRUCTION

Answer any **three** questions from Section-A (12×3=36), Word Limit-700-1000

Answer any **three** questions from Section-B (8×3=24), Word Limit-500

Answer any **two** questions from Section-C (5×2=10), Word Limit-300

(One has to pass both in Term End & Assignments Exam)

Section-A

Answer any three:

12×3=36

- 1. Briefly describe the emergence of Sociology.
- 2. Explain the preconditions and functions of a society.
- 3. Examine the role of primary groups in a society.
- 4. Assess the significance of socialization for a society.
- 5. "Technology is the chief driver of change." Explain.

[Turn over]

Section-B

Answer any three:

8×3=24

- Bring out the relationship between Sociology and History.
- 7. Highlight the characteristics of an association.
- 8. Critically evaluate Marxian ideas on "Social Stratification".
- 9. What is development? Mention its characteristics.
- Examine the social factors that bring changes in a society.

Section-C

Write notes on (any two):

 $5 \times 2 = 10$

- 11. Synthetic School of Sociology
- 12. Reference Group
- 13. Oedipal stage of Socialization
- 14. Social progress.

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(Subject : Perspectives of Indian Society-I)

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Section-A

Answer any three:

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- 1. Analyse briefly G. S. Ghurye's approach to the study of Indian society.
- 2. Discuss the contemporary relevance of Marxist approach to the study of Indian society.
- 3. Write a short essay on 'Structural Functional perspective to the study of Indian society'.
- 4. Conceptualise subaltern perspective. Highlight on its salient features.
- 5. Examine B. R. Ambedkar as a 'Sociologist'.

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Section-B

Answer any three:

8×3=24

- 6. Explain A. R. Desai's approach in the study of social background of Indian nationalism.
- 7. Examine S. C. Dube's village studies.
- 8. Discuss M. N. Srinivas's culturological approach.
- 9. Examine D. P. Mukherjee's approach to the study of Indian society.
- 10. Describe contributions of David Hardiman.

Section-C

Write short notes on (any two):

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- 11. Pollution and Purity
- 12. Markism
- 13. Subaltern Consciousness
- 14. Indology and History.

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(Subject : Classical Sociological Theory)

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Section-A

Answer any three:

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- Discuss in detail Auguste Comte's "Law of Three Stages".
- 2. Examine Durkheim's explanation of "Division of Labour".
- 3. Estimate Weber's contributions to the "Theory of Social Action".
- 4. Critically evaluate Marx's theory of "Alienation".

5. "The history of all hitherto existing societies is the history of class struggle." Explain.

Section-B

Answer any three:

 $8 \times 3 = 24$

- 6. Write a note on "Positive Stage".
- 7. Explain egoistic and anomic suicide.
- 8. Examine the current relevance of Weber's "Theory of Bureaucracy".
- 9. Bring out the ideologies ingrained in Protestantism.
- 10. Define class and explain the class relation under capitalism.

Section-C

Write short notes on (any two):

5×2=10

- Mention the class position under the four epochs described by Marx.
- 12. Describe "Metaphysical" stage.
- 13. What are the pathological forms of division of labour according to Durkheim?
- 14. Bring out the difference between "rational-legal" and "traditional authority".

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(Subject: Research Methodology-I)

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Section-A

Answer any three:

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- 1. What is sociological research? Discuss its features and types.
- 2. What is experimental research design? Bring out its steps.
- 3. Examine inter-relationship between data, theory and method.
- 4. Analyse types of sample with suitable examples.
- 5. What is scaling? Discuss its types.

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Section-B

Answer any three:

8×3=24

- 6. Analyse ethical issues involved in social research.
- 7. Elaborate the characteristics of scientific method.
- 8. Explain types of observation.
- 9. Discuss advantages of Questionnaire method.
- 10. Examine merits and demerits of likert scale.

Section-C

Write short notes on (any two):

5×2=10

- 11. Applied research
- 12. Exploratory research design

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- 13. Controlled observation
- 14. Interview.