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B.A. (Semester – VI) Examination, April/May 2012
SOCIOLOGY (Paper – XI)
History of Sociology – II

Duration : 2 Hours

Total Marks : 80

- Instructions :** 1) **All** questions are **compulsory**. However, **internal choice** is available.
2) Answer sub-questions in Question 1 and 2 in not more than **100 words each**.
3) Answer questions 3 to 6 in not more than **400 words each**.
4) Figures to the **right** indicate **maximum** marks.

1. Answer **any four** of the following : (4×4=16)
- a) Explicate the meaning of 'Class'.
 - b) Describe the process of polarization of classes.
 - c) Explain the theory of 'Surplus Value'.
 - d) Examine 'Verstehen'.
 - e) Discuss 'Calvinism'.
 - f) Evaluate Weber's contribution to sociology.
2. Answer **any four** of the following : (4×4=16)
- a) Illustrate 'Non-Logical' actions.
 - b) What are 'Functional Alternatives' ?
 - c) Examine 'Divisive' conflict.
 - d) Briefly explain Dahrendorf's views on 'Conflict'.
 - e) Comment on 'Non-realistic' conflict.
 - f) Explain 'Impression Management'.
3. Examine the concept of 'Alienation' in Karl Marx's work. 12

OR

Critically evaluate Historical Materialism. 12

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4. What is Social Action ? Discuss Weber's types of social action.

OR

Describe Weber's 'Types of Authority'.

5. Analyse Pareto's theory of 'Circulation of Elite'.

OR

Explicate Talcott Parson's 'A-G-I-L' Model.

6. Examine Symbolic Interactionism with special reference to G. H. Mead.

OR

Evaluate G. C. Homan's 'Elementary Forms of Social Behaviour'.



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SOCIOLOGY (Paper – XII)

Social Concerns in Contemporary India – II

Duration : 2 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

Instructions: 1) *All questions are compulsory, however internal choice is available.*

2) *Answer sub-questions in question 1 and question 2 in not more than 100 words.*

3) *Answer question 3 to question 6 in not more than 400 words.*

4) *Figures to the right indicate maximum marks to the questions/sub questions.*

5) *Paper carries a maximum of 80 marks.*

Answer **any four** of the following :

(4×4=16)

- i) What do you mean by drug abuse and drug dependence ?
- ii) Briefly describe the process of becoming an alcoholic.
- iii) Provide some measures to combat drug abuse.
- iv) How can voluntary organisations help in controlling AIDS ?
- v) Comment on the 'Alcoholic Anonymous'.
- vi) How are sedatives different from stimulants ?

Answer **any four** of the following :

(4×4=16)

- i) Define scheduled castes and 'other backward classes'.
- ii) Comment on strategies for women's empowerment.
- iii) Briefly describe the problems faced by the scheduled castes.
- iv) Provide the causes of corruption in India.
- v) Comment on Hindu-Sikh communalism.
- vi) Briefly describe the measures introduced to eradicate corruption.

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3. Describe the causes of drug abuse.

OR

Examine the consequences of alcoholism on individuals and society.

4. Enumerate the four sources through which AIDS is transmitted and comment on the spread of the disease in Goa.

OR

Comment on the prevalence of alcoholism in Goa.

5. Define scheduled tribes and examine the main problems faced by them.

OR

Comment on the measures introduced for the welfare of the scheduled tribes.

6. Examine the various areas wherein gender discrimination is apparent in the Indian society.

OR

Write an essay on terrorism in India.



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SOCIOLOGY
Women and Society in India – II (Paper – XIII)

Duration : 2 Hours

Total Marks : 80

- Instructions :** 1) **All** questions are **compulsory**. However, **internal** choice is available.
- 2) Answer sub-questions in Q. No. 1 and Q. No. 2 in **not more than 100 words each**.
- 3) Answer Q. No. 3 to Q. No. 6 in **not more than 400 words**.
- 4) Figures to the **right** indicate **full** marks.

Answer **any four** of the following : (4×4=16)

- State the consequences of rape.
- What do you understand by multiple-role management of working women ?
- Highlight the features of the Hindu Personal Law.
- Why do some women remain single ?
- Briefly explain any one test conducted to identify the sex of the foetus.
- Mention any four types of prostitutes.

Briefly explain **any four** of the following : (4×4=16)

- Tourism and Women in Goa.
- Health services for women in post-independent India.
- Importance of education for women.
- Steps undertaken by the Government of India regarding women's issues.
- Features of New Women's Groups.
- Issues taken up by Women's Movement.

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3. Evaluate women's work in organised and unorganised sector.

OR

3. Examine the Uniform Civil Code in Goa.

4. Write a note on Dowry and bride-burning.

OR

4. Analyse the different types of violence against women.

5. Critically analyse the impact of tourism on Goan Women.

OR

5. Elucidate the causes of female prostitution.

6. Examine the changes brought about in the status of women through the efforts of the women's movement.

OR

6. Discuss the government policies for women towards change.

B.A. (Semester – V) Examination, April/May 2012
SOCIOLOGY (Paper – V)
History of Sociology – I

on : 2 Hours

Total Marks : 80

- Instructions :** i) **All** questions are **compulsory**, however **internal** choice is available.
 ii) Answer sub-questions in question 1 and question 2 in not more than **100 words each**.
 iii) Answer questions from 3 to 6 in not more than **400 words**.
 iv) Figures to the **right** indicate **maximum** marks.

Answer **any four** of the following questions :

(4×4=16)

- i) Explain briefly the concept of social dynamics.
- ii) Language is an important condition of social order. Comment.
- iii) Outline the factors of progress leading to the state of social dynamics.
- iv) How did the industrial revolution facilitate the shaping of sociological theory ?
- v) Bring out the reaction of early sociologists towards the rise of socialism.
- vi) How did the process of urbanization attract the attention of early sociologists ?

Answer **any four** of the following questions :

(4×4=16)

- i) Discuss briefly the major characteristics of social facts.
- ii) Give a brief biographical account of Emile Durkheim.
- iii) What is collective conscience ?
- iv) Bring out the transition of societies from simple to compound.
- v) Spencer was an advocate of 'Laissez-faire' philosophy. Explain.
- vi) Highlight the major similarities between society and an organism.

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3. Give an account of the intellectual forces leading to the rise of sociology.

OR

Discuss the positive methodology of Auguste Comte.

4. Examine Comte's central conception of 'the law of human progress'.

OR

Put forth the distinction between militant and industrial societies.

5. What is evolution ? Explain Spencer's theory of evolution.

OR

Suicide is based on the degree to which people are regulated by, or integrated in, the collectivity. Explain.

6. Elucidate Emile Durkheim's functional analysis of religion.

OR

How does Durkheim envision a historical transformation from mechanical to organic solidarity ?