

2020

SOCIOLOGY (Honours)

Paper Code : II - A & B

(Sociological Thoughts and Theories)

[New Syllabus]

Important Instructions for Multiple Choice Question (MCQ)

- Write Subject Name and Code, Registration number, Session and Roll number in the space provided on the Answer Script.

Example : Such as for Paper III-A (MCQ) and III-B (Descriptive).

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Subject Name :

- Candidates are required to attempt all questions (MCQ). Below each question, four alternatives are given [i.e. (A), (B), (C), (D)]. Only one of these alternatives is 'CORRECT' answer. The candidate has to write the Correct Alternative [i.e. (A)/(B)/(C)/(D)] against each Question No. in the Answer Script.

Example — If alternative A of 1 is correct, then write :

1. — A

- There is no negative marking for wrong answer.

মাল্টিপল চয়েস প্রশ্নের (MCQ) জন্য জরুরী নির্দেশাবলী

- উত্তরপত্রে নির্দেশিত স্থানে বিষয়ের (Subject) নাম এবং কোড, রেজিস্ট্রেশন নম্বর, সেশন এবং রোল নম্বর লিখতে হবে।

উদাহরণ — যেমন Paper III-A (MCQ) এবং III-B (Descriptive)।

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- পরীক্ষার্থীদের সবগুলি প্রশ্নের (MCQ) উত্তর দিতে হবে। প্রতিটি প্রশ্নে চারটি করে সম্ভাব্য উত্তর, যথাক্রমে (A), (B), (C) এবং (D) করে দেওয়া আছে। পরীক্ষার্থীকে তার উত্তরের স্বপক্ষে (A)/(B)/(C)/(D) সঠিক বিকল্পটিকে প্রশ্ন নম্বর উল্লেখসহ উত্তরপত্রে লিখতে হবে।

উদাহরণ — যদি 1 নম্বর প্রশ্নের সঠিক উত্তর A হয় তবে লিখতে হবে :

1. – A

- ভুল উত্তরের জন্য কোন নেগেটিভ মার্কিং নেই।

Paper Code : II - A

Full Marks : 20

Time : Thirty Minutes

Choose the correct answer.

Each question carries 2 marks.

1. The term “Organic analogy” is associated with —
 - (A) Spencer
 - (B) Comte
 - (C) Durkheim
 - (D) None of the above

2. The Need theory was conceived by —
 - (A) Tylor
 - (B) Malinowski
 - (C) Morgan
 - (D) Pareto

3. Who developed the concept “ICA”?
 - (A) Coser
 - (B) Weber
 - (C) Marx
 - (D) Dahrendorf

4. Homans introduced —
- (A) Exchange theory
 - (B) Conflict theory
 - (C) Functional Theory
 - (D) None of the above
5. “Looking glass self” was developed by —
- (A) Mead
 - (B) Cooley
 - (C) Comte
 - (D) Weber
6. “The law of three stages” is an idea developed by —
- (A) Spencer
 - (B) Weber
 - (C) Comte
 - (D) Durkheim
7. “The Suicide” is authored by —
- (A) Pareto
 - (B) Durkheim
 - (C) Comte
 - (D) Coser

8. "A Systematic interpretive process of understanding the meaning of action from the actors point of view" refers to —
- (A) Verstehen
 - (B) Functionalism
 - (C) Structuralism
 - (D) Conflict approach
9. According to Karl Marx, "the History of all hitherto existing society is the history of ..." —
- (A) Economic determinism
 - (B) Exploitation
 - (C) Class Struggles
 - (D) Alienation
10. _____ are external to the individual.
- (A) Social facts
 - (B) Social solidarity
 - (C) Social justice
 - (D) Social sanction
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Full Marks : 80

Time : Three Hours Thirty Minutes

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Group - A

Answer any *five* questions from the following : 12×5=60

1. What is sociological theory? Discuss the various types of sociological theory? 12
2. Discuss in brief, the evolutionary theory of Herbert Spencer. 12
3. Briefly explain the Coser's theory of conflict. 12
4. Elaborate the August Comte's idea of positivism. 12
5. What is division of labour? How do you understand the division of labour, as developed by Emile Durkheim? 4+8=12
6. What do you mean by authority? Discuss the major types of authority, as developed by Max Weber. 4+8=12
7. Discuss K Marx's idea of class and class struggle. 12
8. How would you analyze V. Pareto's classification of social action? 12

Group - B

9. Answer any *four* questions from the following : 5×4=20
- (a) Write a short note on the hierarchy of sciences. 5
 - (b) What is egoistic suicide? 5
 - (c) What do you mean by 'sacred' and 'profane'? 5
 - (d) How do you understand August Comte's idea of 'metaphysical stage'? 5
 - (e) Identify the major arguments of Exchange theory. 5
 - (f) Briefly discuss the middle range theory of R. K. Merton. 5
 - (g) Briefly discuss the pattern variables, as developed by T. Parsons. 5
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