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**विषय - समाज शास्त्र
Subject – Sociology**

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M.A. Sociology

FIRST SEMESTER

Paper No.	Title of the Paper (s)	Seminar	Test	Main Exam	Total Marks
I	Cultural Sociological Theories	10	10	80	100
II	Methodology of Social Research	10	10	80	100
III	Rural Sociology	10	10	80	100
IV	Urban Society in India	10	10	80	100

SOCOND SEMESTER

Paper No.	Title of the Paper (s)	Seminar	Test	Main Exam	Total Marks
I	Modern Sociological Theories	10	10	80	100
II	Social Research and Statistics	10	10	80	100
III	Rural Development and Change	10	10	80	100
IV	Urban Social Structure and Problems	10	10	80	100

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FIRST SEMESTER
Paper – I
CULTURAL SOCIOLOGICAL THEORIES

Total Marks : 80

- Unit – I** Introduction of Sociological Theory – Meaning, Characteristics, types, problems, basic elements.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – II** August Comte – Hierarchy of Science, law of three stages, positivism.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – III** Max Weber – Bureaucracy, theory of social action, concept of authority.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – IV** Karl Marx – Historical materialism, dialectic materialism, theory of surplus value.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – V** Durkheim – Suicide, theory of social unity.
(16 Marks)

Reference Books :

1. Turner, J.H. (2001) "The Structure of Sociological Theory"
2. Zetter, I.M. (1981) Ideology and the Development of Sociological theory, Prentice Hall, London
3. Adams B.N. & Syllie R.A. (2002) Sociological theory Vistar Publication, New Delhi
4. Abraham, F. and Mergan J.H. (1985) Sociological Thought from Comte to Sorokin.
5. Cambridge University Press An analysis of writings of Marx, Durkheim and Weber, Cambridge University Press, Whole Book.

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FIRST SEMESTER
Paper – II
METHODOLOGY OF SOCIAL RESEARCH

Total Marks : 80

- Unit – I** Introduction and Process of Social Research – meaning, characteristics, Objects, Steps, Importance, types of Scientific method, Hypothesis.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – II** Survey – Meaning, Characteristics, objects, limitations, types, Social Survey in India.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – III** Quantitative Method – Sampling, Sources of Data Collection, Scaling, Sociometry.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – IV** Qualitative Method – Observation, Interview, Schedule, Questionnaire, Case Study.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – V** Analysis of Data – Collection of data, Classification, Tabulation, Report Writing, Research Problems, Classification of facts.
(16 Marks)

Reference Books :

1. Bose, Pradeep Kumar (1995) Research Methodology
2. Young P.V. (1977) Scientific Social Surveys Research Prentice Hall New Delhi.
3. Weber, M. (1974) The Methodology of Social Sciences free Press-Chicago
4. Bailey, K.D. (1979) Methodology of Social Research, (Macmillan free press London)
5. Mukherji, P.N. (2000) Methodology in Social Research (Dilemmas and perspectives Essays in Honour of Radhakrishna Mukerjee) Sage, New Delhi.



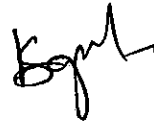
FIRST SEMESTER
Paper – III
RURAL SOCIOLOGY

Total Marks : 80

- Unit – I** Rural Social System – Origin, Development, Indian Rural System, Indian Rural Social Structure.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – II** Basic Concept – Peasant Society, Little Community, folk Culture.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – III** Rural Power Structure – Leadership, its changing patterns.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – IV** Peasant Relations – Traditional and Contemporary.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – V** Indian Rural Process – Localization, Universalisation, Sankritization, Little and Great tradition.
(16 Marks)

Reference Books :

1. Desai, A.R. (1977) Rural Sociology in India, Popular Prakashan (Mumbai)
2. Dhanagare, D.M. (1988) Peasant movement in India. OUP New Delhi.
3. Andre Betaille (1974) 6 Essays in comparative Sociology Oxford New Delhi.
4. Joshi, P.C. (1976) Land Reforms in India Alive, New Delhi.
5. Thorner D. (1956) The Agrarian prospects in India, University Press New Delhi.



FIRST SEMESTER
Paper – IV
URBAN SOCIETY IN INDIA

Total Marks : 80

- Unit – I** Urban Society – Concept, importance, urban community, and urban life style.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – II** Classification of Urban Society – City and town, Development of city, Development to centralized special industries.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – III** Urbanization in India – Emerging trends of urbanization, Impact of Urbanization, Urban Culture.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – IV** Changing pattern of urbanization – Changing occupational, structure and social stratification – caste, class, sex, family, housing.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – V** Problems of Urbanization – Drugs Alcoholism, prostitution, slums, corruption, cyber crime.
(16 Marks)

Reference Books :

1. Bose, A. (1978) Studies in India, Urbanization (1901-1971)]
Tata Mcgraw Hill
2. Gold Harry (1982) Sociology of Urban life. Prentice Hall,
Englewood.
3. Colling worth, J.B. (1972) Problems of Urban Society volume II
George and unwin Ltd.
4. Bhardwaj. R.K. (1974) Urban Development in India, National
Publishing House.
5. Ronan Paddison (2001) Hand Book of Urban Societies, Sage India.

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SECOND SEMESTER
Paper – I
MODERN SOCIOLOGICAL THEORIES

Total Marks : 80

- Unit – I** Modernism to post modernism – meaning, characteristics differences and future.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – II** Structural, functional theory – Talcott parsons – social system and function, R.K. Merton-function and dysfunction and neofunctionalism.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – III** Conflict theory – Durkheim, R. Collins, Coser and Karl Marx.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – IV** Phenomenological Theory – Adorno, Reheal, Alfred Sutz, Garfinkel theory of ethnomethodology.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – V** Indian Sociological Theory – Radhakamal Mukherji – Theory of Social value. A.R. Desai-Emergence of nationalism in India. Vivekanand-Future of India. S.C. Ghurey – Caste system.
(16 Marks)

Reference Books :

1. Coser, L.A. (2001) Masters of Sociological Thought, Rawat Publishers, Jaipur
2. Collins, R. (1997) Theoretical Sociology, Rawat Publisher, Jaipur
3. Turner, J.H. The Structure of Sociological Theory, Rawat Prakashan, Jaipur
4. Alexander Jeffrey 'C' (1987) 20 Lectures : Sociological theory since world war II, Newyork Colmiba Universtiy press.
5. Giddins Anthory (1983) Central Problems in Social theory, Action, Structure & Contribution in Social Analysis, Macmillan London.



SECOND SEMESTER
Paper – II
SOCIAL RESEARCH AND STATISTICS

Total Marks : 80

- Unit – I** Concept of Statistics – Meaning, Characteristics, Utility and Limitations.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – II** Central Tendency – Mean, Median, Mode – Characteristics, Meaning, Utility and Limitations and Problems.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – III** Diagrammatic presentation of facts – Meaning, Characteristics, types, utility, limitations.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – IV** Graphic presentation of facts – Meaning, types, method, law, utility.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – V** Computer in Social Research – Utility, problems and possibilities.
(16 Marks)

Reference Books :

1. Athance, D.M. Fundamental of Statistics
2. Bailey, K.D. (1979) Methodology of Social Research, Macmillan, free press.
3. Wilkinson, T.S. & Bhandarkar, P.L. “Methodology and Techniques of Social Research, Himalaya Publication House, Bombay
4. Bose, Pradeep Kumar (1995) Research Methodology, New Delhi, ICSSR
5. Punch, Kelth (1986) Introduction to Social Research London, Sage.



SECOND SEMESTER
Paper – III
RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND CHANGES

Total Marks : 80

- Unit – I** Rural Demography and Change – Rural Economy, Rural Social Stratification.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – II** Rural Social institution-Family, Caste system, Caste Panchyat, Rural Education.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – III** Rural Change – Social change in Rural India, Role and Hurdels of industrialization and urbanization in change.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – IV** Rural Social Problems and Peasant unrest – Porverty, unemployment, indebtedness, Gutbandi, Migration.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – V** Rural Development And Programme – Planning, Progress, Problems, Panchayati Raj.
(16 Marks)

Reference Books :

1. Patel, M.L. (1974) Changing Land Problems of Tribal India, Progress Publishers, Bhopal
2. Desai, A.R. (1979) Rural Society in Transition Popular Mumbai
3. Andre Beteille (1986) Inequality and social change, Oxford New Delhi.
4. A.R. Desai (2003) Rural Sociology in India, popular Mumbai
5. Bardhan, P. Poverty, Agrarian,-Structure and Political Economy in India.



SECOND SEMESTER
Paper – IV
URBAN SOCIAL STRUCTURE AND PROBLEMS

Total Marks : 80

- Unit – I** City and City Dimension – Emiale Durkheam, Karl Marks and Max Weber.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – II** Urban ecology and its theory – Concept, characterstics, diamions, theory, central area and Ecological patterns or importance of theory.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – III** Sociological Thinkers – Georges Semmeal – Metropolitans, Lueas Bearth – Urbanization, Redfield – Rural – Urban Continuum.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – IV** Urban Problems – Migration, Poverty, Unemployment, Environmental pollution.
(16 Marks)
- Unit – V** Urban planning in Chhattisgarh – Meaning of Urban Planning, Objectives, impact, factors of planning, urban management problems in Chhattisgarh and hurdles, Chhattisgarh Nagar Nigam.
(16 Marks)

Reference Books :

1. Saunders Peter (1981) Social Theory and Urban Question, Hutehionson
2. Quinn, J.A. (1955) Urban Sociology, S. Chand & Company New Delhi.
3. Abrahamson, M. (1976) Urban Sociology, Engliwoot, Prentice Hall
4. Ronan Paddison (2001) Handbook of Urban Societies, Sage, India
5. Bhardwaj, R.K.(1974) Urban Development in India, National Publishing House.

