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M. A. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION - MARCH/APRIL 2019
SEMESTER 4 : SOCIOLOGY
COURSE : 15P4SOCT16 : CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGY
(For Regular - 2017 Admission and Supplementary - 2016/2015 Admissions)

Time : Three Hours   Max. Marks: 75

Section A
Answer any 8 (2 marks each)

1.   What is cognitive anthropology?
2.   What is meant by thick description?
3.   Define ethnology
4.   What is meant by cultural trait?
5.   Define ethnocentrism
6.   Relate and distinguish between culture and civilization
7.   Explain the notion of survivals
8.   Describe configurational view
9.   Explain structural anthropology
10. Explain religion in Cultural Anthropology
11. Describe specific evolution
12. Define diffusionism

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Section B
Answer any 7 (5 marks each)

13. Write a note on the subject matter of Cultural Anthropology
14. Mention the major developments occurred in the field of Anthropology in India
15. What are the advantages and disadvantages of using emic and etic approaches in Anthropology?
16. Point out the major components of a structure of culture
17. 'Is culture a social structure'? Explain
18. Write a note on Kula ring exchange of Malinowski
19. Define Functionalism. What are the biological needs and cultural responses put forwarded by Malinowski?
20. Compare the socio-cultural patterns of life between Zuni Indians and Kwakiutl Indians
21. Give an account on Sahlin and service's neo evolutionism
22. Describe evolutionism of J.J.Bachofen

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Section C
Answer any 2 (12 marks each)

23. Critically evaluate the major methods used in Cultural Anthropology and also mention its merits and demerits

24. Define race and point out racial criteria. Write a note on Negrito elements in India with special reference to Kerala

25. What is functionalism? Give a detailed account on the major contributions given by Malinowski for the same

26. Elucidate the contributions of Marvin Harris towards neo evolutionism and cultural materialism

(12 x 2 = 24)