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B.A. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION OCTOBER/NOVEMBER 2017**SEMESTER –1: SOCIOLOGY (CORE COURSE)****COURSE: 15U1CRSOC1: FUNDAMENTALS OF SOCIOLOGY***(Common for Regular 2017 admission and Supplementary/Improvement 2016 & 2015 admission)*

Time: Three Hours

Max. Marks: 75

PART AAnswer **all** questions in *one word /sentence each.*Each question carries *1 mark*

1. The term sociology was coined by-----
2. The sociologist who was influenced by Charles Darwin's theory of evolution
3. ----- is the mother of all social sciences
4. The book Social Contract was written by-----
5. ----- studies education as the agent of transmission of culture
6. Education is a/an -----means of social control
7. Comte divided sociology in to -----and -----
8. ----- is the most powerful means of social control in the modern society
9. ----- refers to a change or an advance towards a desirable end.
10. Theory of social solidarity was given by----- (1 x 10 =10)

PART BDefine/Explain **any Eight** of the following in not more than *50 words each.*Each question carries *2 marks*

11. Sociology as a science
12. Sociology of knowledge
13. Social pathology
14. Social stratification
15. Nature of social change
16. Distinguish between formal control and informal control
17. Assimilation
18. Social science
19. French revolution
20. Contributions of Herbert Spencer (2 x 8 = 16)

PART CAnswer **any five** of the following in not more than *200 words each.*Each question carries *5 marks*

21. Examine the various similarities between biological and social organism as visualized by Spencer
22. Explain the various forms of social stratification.
23. Explain Durkheim's theory of social solidarity

24. Explain the relationship between Sociology and Anthropology
25. Explain the Uses of sociology
26. Explain the specialistic school in sociology
27. Examine the relevance of social control in the present society (5 x 5 = 25)

PART D

Answer **any two** of the following in not more than 500 words each.

Each question carries 12 marks.

28. Examine the major associative and dissociative social processes
29. Evaluate the importance of study of social thought.
30. Explain the historical background led to the emergence of social science
31. Explain the contributions of pioneers in sociology to the development of sociology (12 x 2 = 24)
