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B. A. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION - OCTOBER 2019**SEMESTER – 1: SOCIOLOGY (CORE)****COURSE: 15U1CRSOCO1 – FUNDAMENTALS OF SOCIOLOGY***(Common for Improvement 2018/ Supplementary 2018/2017/2016 /2015 admission)*

Time: Three Hours

Max. Marks: 75

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

1. Caste is based on birth whereasis based on economic social status.
2. Assimilation is an example for process.
3. According to Durkheim, egoistic suicides are more in societies in the state of
4. As per law of three stages instage, human mind at this level supposes that all phenomena are produced by the immediate action of supernatural beings.
5. Durkheim's concept of is very close to Spencer's Organic Analogy.
6. Among the Indian Sociologists..... given trust to Social Ecology.
7. The book Homo Hierarchicus was authored by
8. Those social positions acquired through personal effort are called
9. A social organisation that is more or less purposefully created for attainment of relatively specific and limited goals is called
10. What is the name of the new method Comte added to Positivism? (1 x 10 = 10)

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

11. What is the meaning of social stratification?
12. What is positivism?
13. What is Science? How it is related to Positivism?
14. What is Objectivity?
15. Discuss how Sociology of Religion is different from Theology.
16. Explain the difference between Formalistic and Synthetic School of thought
17. What are the basic premises of the Social Contract theory?
18. What is Sanskritisation?
19. Explain the concept of Social Solidarity.
20. Explain Spencer's Social Darwinism.

(2 x 8 = 16)

PART C

Answer **any five** of the following in not more than *200 words each*.

Each question carries **5** marks

21. Explain Major theoretical contributions of Auguste Comte.
22. Describe how French and Industrial Revolutions contributed for the development of Sociological thought.
23. Discuss the major concerns of any two branches of Sociology.
24. What is meant by Social Process? Differentiate between associative and dissociative processes with examples.
25. Explain the scope and significance of Sociology to deal with contemporary social issues.
26. Write the differences between caste and class.
27. What is Social Change? Explain the factors and agencies of Social change.

(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. Discuss the role of enlightenment and philosophical thoughts contributed for the emergence of Sociology as an independent discipline.
29. Describe the contributions of any two pioneers of Indian sociology
30. "Sociology is a Science". Justify this argument by describing the nature of social theories and its scientific spirit.
31. What is Social Control? Describe the role of various agencies of social control.

(12 x 2 = 24)
