Max. Marks: 75

B. A. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION - OCT. 2020 : FEBRUARY 2021

SEMESTER 1 : SOCIOLOGY (CORE COURSE)

COURSE : 19U1CRSOC1 : FUNDAMENTALS OF SOCIOLOGY

(For Regular - 2020 Admission & Improvement / Supplementary - 2019 Admission)

Time : Three Hours

PART A

Answer / Notes on any 10 (3 marks each)

- 1. What is urbanisation?
- 2. Explain social Darwinism.
- 3. Mention important works of Comte
- 4. Why do social science are less exact?
- 5. Who is the father of liberal left tradition in Indian sociology?
- 6. Discuss the nature of functionalist perspective in Indian sociology.
- 7. Examine the problems of sociology of Ghureye.
- 8. Science
- 9. 'Republic'
- 10. Subjectivity
- 11. Synthetic school
- 12. Define perspective
- 13. Society as a system
- 14. C Wright mill
- 15. Examine latent functions

 $(3 \times 10 = 30)$

PART B Answer any 5 (5 marks each)

- 16. Examine the impact of Enlightenment on modern European thought.
- 17. Critically analyze the role of renaissance and different revolutions in the emergence of sociology in Europe.
- 18. How did the reformist movements impact the emergence of sociology in India?
- 19. How did Ghurye bring a growth orientation to sociology in India?
- 20. Is sociology a science? Explain your point of view
- 21. Examine assumptions of functional perspective.
- 22. Compare and contrast personal troubles and social problems.

(5 x 5 = 25)

PART C

Answer any 2 (10 marks each)

- 23. Examine the scientific revolution that took place in Europe and its impact in the emergence of sociology.
- 24. What were the socio political backgrounds of India which lead to the rise of sociology in India?
- 25. Explain the major focus of sociology with special reference to its subdivisions.
- 26. Define sociological imagination. How does it help us to understand our experiences?

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$