

M. A. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION : NOVEMBER 2023**SEMESTER 1 : SOCIOLOGY****COURSE : 21P1SOCT02 : CLASSICAL SOCIOLOGICAL THOUGHT***(For Regular - 2023 Admission and Improvement/Supplementary -2022/2021 Admissions)*

Duration : Three Hours

Max. Weights: 30

PART A**Answer any 8 questions****Weight: 1**

1. Define capitalism. (A)
 2. What are major works of Simmel? (A)
 3. Examine the nature of government in military society and industrial society. (A)
 4. Distinguish a tribal society from urban society in terms of social solidarity. (E)
 5. How can we call Gandhi a social theorist? (A)
 6. How does Comte classify the sciences? (An)
 7. What did Spencer mean by the term 'super organism'? (U)
 8. What is the difference between sacred and profane? (U, CO 1)
 9. Briefly explain on Mahatma Gandhi as an ideologist or a philosopher. (Cr, CO 3, CO 4)
 10. What is social action? (R, CO 1)
- (1 x 8 = 8)**

PART B**Answer any 6 questions****Weights: 2**

11. Discuss Pareto's theory of social change. (U)
 12. What is the role of religion in society according to Karl Marx? Compare this with the views of Weber and Durkheim. (An, CO 3)
 13. Analyse the increasing trend of suicide in Kerala in the light of the theoretical framework of Durkheim. (A)
 14. "The history of all hitherto existing society is the history of class struggle." Examine this from the point of view of Karl Marx. (A)
 15. Explain the characteristic features of the Theological stage. (An)
 16. Explain 'Social Statics' as the study of the social order. (An)
 17. Gandhiji considered different religions as different roads going towards the same destination. Elaborate (An)
 18. Explain the role of repressive and restitutive laws in society. (R, CO 2)
- (2 x 6 = 12)**

PART C**Answer any 2 questions****Weights: 5**

19. Examine Georg Simmel's theoretical contributions to sociology. (An)
 20. Critically evaluate the Organic Analogy of Spencer. (An)
 21. Critically evaluate Gandhi's concept of family. (E, CO 3, CO 4)
 22. Compare the methodologies used by Durkheim and weber. (E)
- (5 x 2 = 10)**

OBE: Questions to Course Outcome Mapping

CO	Course Outcome Description	CL	Questions	Total Wt.
CO 1	Explain and enquire into sociological wisdom and facts by Imparting the conceptual and theoretical orientation of the discipline.	U	8, 10	2
CO 2	Point out the relevance of Sociology as a social science and its contemporary theoretical orientations	An	18	2
CO 3	Organize basic sociological skills, major perspectives and to implement its scope in various walks of life	Cr	9, 12, 21	8
CO 4	Support investigation into the core principles of different theoretical views.	E	9, 21	6

Cognitive Level (CL): Cr - CREATE; E - EVALUATE; An - ANALYZE; A - APPLY; U - UNDERSTAND; R - REMEMBER;