

# SOCIOLOGY

(Maximum Marks: 70)

(Time allowed: Three hours)

(Candidates are allowed additional 15 minutes for **only** reading the paper.

They must **NOT** start writing during this time.)

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Answer **Question 1** from **Part I** and **five** questions from **Part II**.

The intended marks for questions or parts of questions are given in brackets [ ].

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## PART I (20 Marks)

Answer **all** questions.

### Question 1

[10 × 2]

Answer briefly each of the following questions:

- (i) Define Spencer's *Social Darwinism*.
- (ii) Give *any two* points to show the relationship between *Sociology* and *Political Science*.
- (iii) What is the *Comparative Method* in Social Research?
- (iv) Define the term *Norms*.
- (v) What is the *In-group*?
- (vi) Define the term *Status*.
- (vii) Define *Child Labour*.
- (viii) What is *Social Ecology* according to Radha Kamal Mukherjee?
- (ix) Define the term *Brahminization*.
- (x) What is meant by the term *Mob*?

**PART II (50 Marks)**

*Answer any five questions.*

**Question 2**

- (a) Discuss the scope of *Sociology* as a Social Science. [5]
- (b) Describe the *conflict theory* by Karl Marx. [5]

**Question 3**

- (a) Discuss the *interview schedule* as a tool of data collection. [5]
- (b) Define *Rural Society*. Discuss its characteristics. [5]

**Question 4**

- (a) *Primary groups and Secondary groups are different in nature*. Explain this statement based on *five* differences between the two groups. [5]
- (b) Define the term *Socialization*. Discuss in detail *any four* of its characteristics. [5]

**Question 5**

- (a) *Competition is a universal social process*. Discuss this statement with respect to *any five* characteristics of competition. [5]
- (b) Discuss in detail the *determinants of status*. [5]

**Question 6**

- (a) Examine the *emergence of Anthropology* as a discipline of Social Science. [5]
- (b) Discuss the *Scientific method* of Social research. [5]

**Question 7**

- (a) Define *overpopulation*. Discuss *any five* causes of overpopulation. [5]
- (b) *The main contribution of Iravati Karve to Sociology has been in the field of Kinship and Family*. Discuss. [5]

**Question 8**

- (a) Discuss *any five* features of Organized groups. [5]
- (b) Examine in detail the *problems of Urban society*. [5]

**Question 9**

- (a) Differentiate between *Cooperation* and *Conflict* as social processes. [5]
- (b) Discuss the *remedial measures* to deal with the problem of *Juvenile Delinquency*. [5]