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Question Paper

B.A. Honours Examinations 2021

(Under CBCS Pattern)

Semester - II

Subject: SOCIOLOGY

Paper : C 4-T

Sociology of India - II

Full Marks : 60

Time : 3 Hours

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

[Theory]

Answer **any four** of the following:

4×15=60

1. Examine the strength and limitations of the Indological approach to the study of Indian Society & Culture?
2. How has B. R. Ambedkar identified the features of Caste System in his book, "Annihilation of Caste"? How is it different from the mainstream treatment of Caste features?

3. What Role has the Middle Classes played in National development. Examine Satish Deshpande's theory on the causes and consequences of the growing size of Urban Middle Class in India?
 4. Discuss the social factors responsible for the emergence of Dalit Consciousness in India. What have been the social consequences of "Dalit Politics" in the Indian Political system?
 5. Distinguish between "Secularism and Secularisation". Analyze the nature and extent of secularisation in contemporary India?
 6. Analyze the views of M.K. Gandhi on village reconstruction.
 7. Despite gains from the women's movement and state policy of women empowerment, gender equality is far from achieved. Identify the major challenges of attaining gender identity in women's movement?
 8. Describe the impact of Land Reforms on Indian peasant's which contributed to the Agrarian Movements in 20th Century.
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