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2005 - MAINS - SOCIOLOGY - PAPER - I

INSTRUCTIONS

For each paper: Time Allowed : Three Hours Maximum Marks : 250

There are EIGHT questions divided in two Sections and printed both in HINDI and in ENGLISH.

Candidate has to attempt FIVE questions in all.

Question Nos. 1 and 5 are compulsory and out of the remaining, THREE are to be attempted choosing at least ONE question from each Section.

The number of marks carried by a question/part is indicated against it.

Answers must be written in the medium authorized in the Admission Certificate which must be stated clearly on the cover of this Question-cum-Answer (QCA) Booklet in the space provided. No marks will be given for answers written in medium other than the authorized one.

Word limit in questions, wherever specified, should be adhered to.

Attempts of questions shall be counted in chronological order. Unless struck off, attempt of a question shall be counted even if attempted partly. Any page or portion of the page left blank in the Question-cum-Answer Booklet must be clearly struck off.



SECTION-A

1. Write short notes on any three of the following in about 200 words each: 20x3=60

- Sociology and its relationship with economics and political science
- Social research design
- Class struggle as conceived by Karl Marx
- Role of Family in Social Control

2. Discuss Max Weber's ideal types and the role of authority in bureaucracy. 60

3. Elucidate changing structure of family and marriage in modern society. 60

4. How is vertical and horizontal social mobility problematic in society? Suggest solutions. 60



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SECTION-B

5. Write short notes on any three of the following (Each note should not exceed 200 words): 3x20=60
- (a) Social determinants of economic development
 - (b) Power elite in society and the emergence of new elite in power structure
 - (c) Origins of religious beliefs and practices in pre-modern societies
 - (d) Social consequences of science and technology in India
6. Discuss modes of political participation and voting behaviour in India. 60
7. Describe the ideological changes that have ushered in modern society due to social movements in India. 60
8. Discuss mass education as an instrument of social change and modernization. 60

