

B.A. Pt-I- SOCIOLOGY

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Paper I– Principles of Sociology

Unit- I

Sociology: Meaning , Nature ,Scope The Sociological Perspective, Sociology and other Social Sciences,

Unit- II

Basic Concepts: Society, Community, Institution, Association, Group, Social Structure, Status and Role, Education.

Unit- III

The Individual in/and Society:

Society, Culture and Socialization: Relation between Individual and Society

Social Control: Norms, Values and Sanctions

Social Stratification and Mobility: Meaning, Forms and Theories

Unit- IV

Social Change: Meaning and Types- Evolution and Revolution, Progress and Development, Factors of Social Change, Theories of Ogburn, Sorokin and Karl Marx

Unit- V

The uses of Sociology: Introduction to Applied Sociology, Sociology and Social Problems, Sociology and Social Change, Sociology and Social Policy and Social Action

Essential Readings:

Bottomore, T.B.	2014	Sociology: A Guide to Problems and Literature, Bombay, George Allen and Unwin (India)
Ghurye, G.S.	—	Caste, Class and Occupation
Harlambos, M.	1998	Sociology; Themes and Perspective, New Delhi, Oxford University Press
Inkeles, Alex	1987	What is Sociology, New Delhi, Prentice Hall of India
Jayaram, N.	1988	Introductory Sociology, Chennai, MacMillan India
Johnson, Harry M.	1995	Sociology: A Systematic Introduction, New Delhi, Allied publishers
Davis, Kingsley	—	Human Society (Hindi Edition available)
MacIver and Page	—	Society (Hindi Edition available)

Schaefer, Richard T. and Robert P. Lamm 1999 Sociology, New Delhi, Tata McGraw Hill
Harlombos 2014, Sociology – Themes and prospectives

Paper II– Indian Society

Unit- I

Cultural and Ethnic Diversity: Historically embedded diversities in respect to Language, Caste, Religious Beliefs and Practices and Cultural Patterns

Unit- II

The Textual and the Field-View of Indian Society: Concepts of Varna, Ashram, Dharma, Karma, Purushartha; The Significance of the Field-View

Unit- III

Basic Institutions of Indian Society: Caste, Kinship, **Family**, Marriage, Religion; Caste and Class: Meaning, Features and Changing Dimensions

Unit- IV

The Structure and Composition of Indian Society: Villages, Towns, Cities, Rural-Urban Linkages, Tribes, Weaker Sections, Dalit, Women and Minorities,

Unit- V

Process of Social Change: Sanskritisation, Westernisation and Urbanisation, Planned Change and Transformation in India, Nation- Building and National Identity

Essential Readings:

Ahuja, Ram	Latest ed.	Indian Social System, Jaipur, Rawat
Bose, N.K.	1967	Culture and Society in India, Bombay, Asia Publishing House
Bose, N.K.	1967	Structure of Hindu Society, New Delhi
Dube, S.C.	1990	Society in India, New Delhi, National Book Trust
Dube, S.C.	1995	Indian Villages, London, Routledge
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SOCIOLOGY- Pt-II – Exam

Paper- I Social Thinkers

Unit- I

Durkheim: Social Fact, Division of Labour, Suicide, Religion

Unit- II

Max Weber: Social Action, Bureaucracy, Ideal Type, Religion

Unit- III

Karl Marx: Class Struggle, Dialectical Materialism, Surplus Value, Alienation

Unit- IV

Radha Kamal Mukherjee: Social Values, Social Ecology, Theory of Social Sciences

Unit- V

G.S. Ghurye: Caste, Class and Occupation, Social Tension

Essential Readings:

Aron, Raymond	1967	Main Currents in Sociological Thought, Harmondsworth, Middle Sex, Penguin Book
Barnes, H.E.	1959	Introduction to History of Sociology, Chicago, The University of Chicago Press
Coser, Lewis A.	1979	Masters of Sociological Thought, New York: Harcourt Brace Jovanovich
Fletcher, Ronald	1994	The Making of Sociology, Jaipur, Rawat
Morrison, Ken	1995	Marx, Weber, Durkheim: Formation of Modern Social Thought,
Singh, Yogendra	1986	Indian Sociology: Social Conditioning and Emerging Trends, New Delhi, Vistaar
Gerth and Mills		Essays on Max Weber
Benedix, Reinhard		Max Weber: An Intellectual Portrait
Mukherjee, R.K.		Sociology and Indian Society, ICSSR Vol. I
to IV Ghurye, G.S.		Caste, Class and Occupation

Paper- II Social Anthropology

Unit- I

Social Anthropology: Definition, Nature and Scope

Approaches to the Study of Social Anthropology: Structural-Functional, Evolutionary and Comparative

Unit- II Social Structure

Marriage: Meaning, Types, Theories and Methods of Mate Selection

Family: Meaning, Characteristics, Theories and Types, Kinship Organization

Unit- III

Culture: Its Meaning, Theories of Culture growth

Religion: Theories of Origin, Beliefs and Practices

Magic: Meaning, Types, its Relation

Unit- IV

Primitive Economic System: Meaning, Characteristics and Functioning

Primitive Political System: Meaning, Characteristics, Primitive Law and Customs

Unit- V Problems of Tribes in India, Tribal Development Tribes in Rajasthan: Bhil, Meena, Garasiya, Saharia

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Bose, N.K.	1967	Culture and Society in India, Asia Publishing House
Desai, A.R.	1979	Peasant Struggle in India, OUP, Bombay
Dube, S.C.	1977	Tribal Heritage of India, New Delhi, Vikas
Haimendorf, Christoph Von	1982	Tribes of India: The Struggle for Survival, OUP
Rao, M.S.A.	1979	Social Movements in India, Manohar, Delhi
Sharma, Suresh	1994	Tribal Identity and Modern World
Singh, K.S.	1984	Economics of the Tribes and their

Transformation, Concept Publishing, N. Delhi

Singh, K.S.

1995

Tribal Movements in India, Manohar, N.Delhi

Beatie, John

Others Culture

Fox, Robin

Kinship and Marriage

Majumdar and Madan

Social Anthropology

B.A. Pt-III Sociology Exam

Paper I: Survey Methods in Social Investigations

Scientific Study of Social Phenomena

- (i) Natural Sciences and Social Sciences: Relationship and Debate
- (ii) Social Survey and Social Research: Meaning and Nature
- (iii) Scientific Method: Meaning, Stages and Importance

Unit- II

Logic of Social Research

- (i) Objectivity and Subjectivity in Sociological Inquiry
- (ii) Hypothesis: Meaning, Types and Formulation process
- (iii) Primary and Secondary Data: Forms and Sources

Unit- III

Tools and Techniques for Data Collection

- (i) Observation and Interview
- (ii) Questionnaire and Schedule
- (iii) Case Study Method

Unit- IV

Procedure of Selecting Representative Units

- (i) Sampling: Meaning and Types
- (ii) Methods for Sample Selection and its Limitations
- (iii) Content Analysis

Unit- V

Quantitative Issues in Social Research

- (i) Tabular Presentation of Data: Bivariate and Multivariate
- (ii) Statistical Averages: Meaning and Types
- (iii) Calculation of Mean, Median and Mode

Essential Readings:		
Bajaj and Gupta	197	Elements of Statistics, New Delhi, R. Chand & Company
Beteille, A. and T.N. Madan	1975	Encounter and Experience: Personal work, New Delhi, Vikash Publishing House
Bryman, Alan	1988	Quality and Quantity in Social Research, Unwin Hyman
Garrett, Henry	1981	Statistics in Psychology and Education, Methods in Social Research
Goode and Hatt	1989	Sociology: Methods and Theory, Madras, MacMillan
Jayaram, N.		
MacMillan		
Kothari, C.R.	1989	Research Methodology: Methods and Techniques,
Moser, C.A. Punch, Keith	1996	Survey Methods in Social Investigation Introduction to Social Research, London,
Shipman, Martin	1988	The Limitations of Social Research, London,
Srinivas, M.N. and A.M. Shah	1979	Fieldworkers and the Field, Delhi, Oxford
Young, P.V.	1988	Scientific Social Survey and Research, New Delhi, Prentice

Paper II: Social Problems in Contemporary India

Unit- I

Social Problems: Some Conceptual Issues

Social Problem and Social Disorganization: Meaning and Relations

Social Problems: Theoretical Perspectives

Social Problems: Types and Factors

Unit- II

Structural Problems in Contemporary India

Rural problems, Gender Disparity

Communalism and the Problems of Minorities

Problems of Deprived Social Categories: Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes

Unit- III

Familial Problems in Contemporary India

Dowry, Divorce

Child Marriage, Problems of Elderly

Problems of Youth in India,

Impact of pandemic on society: COVID 19

Unit- IV

Disorganizational Problems in Contemporary India

Crime, Juvenile Delinquency

Corruption, Drug Addiction

Terrorism, Casteism

Unit- V

Development Problems in Contemporary India

Poverty, Unemployment

Illiteracy, Environmental Pollution

Problems of Slums, Development Induced Displacement, National Defecation campaign

Essential Readings:

Ahuja, Ram		Social Problem in India
Berreman, G.D.	1979	Caste and Other Inequalities: Essays in Folklore Institute
Beteille, Andre	1974	Social Inequality, New Delhi, OUP
Beteille, Andre	1992	Backward Classes in Contemporary India, Gadgil, Madhav and Guha, Ramchandra 1996 Ecology and Equity: The Use and Abuse of Nature in Contemporary India, New Delhi, OUP
Gill, S.S.	1998	The Pathology of Corruption, New Delhi, Harper Collin Publishers
Guha, Ramchandra	1994	Sociology and the Dilemma of Development, New Delhi, OUP
Guha, Ranjit	1991	Subaltern Studies, New York, OUP
Inden, Ronald	1990	Imaging India, Oxford, Brasil Blackard
Kothary, Rajni (Ed.)	1973	Caste in Indian Politics
Lewis, Oscar	1966	-Culture of Poverty , Scientific American Vol. II & V, No. 4, pp. 19-25
Madan, T.N.	1991	Religion in India, New Delhi, OUP
Ministry of Home Affairs	1998	Crime in India, New Delhi, Government of
Sharma, Ursula	1983	Women, Work and Property in North West Tavistock

