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## SCHEME OF EXAMINATION & DISTRIBUTION OF MARKS

### SEMESTER - I

Paper No.	Title of the Paper (s)	Internal Assessment		Term end Exam	Total Marks
		Seminar	Test		
1.	<b>Classical</b> Sociological Theories	10	10	80	100
2.	Methodology of Social Research	10	10	80	100
3.	Rural Sociology	10	10	80	100
4.	Urban Society in India	10	10	80	100

### SEMESTER - II

Paper No.	Title of the Paper (s)	Internal Assessment		Term end Exam	Total Marks
		Seminar	Test		
1.	Modern Sociological Theories	10	10	80	100
2.	Social Research and Statistics	10	10	80	100
3.	Rural Development and Changes	10	10	80	100
4.	Urban Social Structure and Problems	10	10	80	100

### SEMESTER - III

Paper No.	Title of the Paper (s)	Internal Assessment		Term end Exam	Total Marks
		Seminar	Test		
1.	Perspective of Indian Society	10	10	80	100
2.	Industrial Sociology	10	10	80	100
3.	Demographical Profile	10	10	80	100
4.	Criminology	10	10	80	100

### SEMESTER - IV

Paper No.	Title of the Paper (s)	Internal Assessment		Term end Exam	Total Marks
		Seminar	Test		
1.	Theoretical Perspective & Indian Society	10	10	80	100
2.	Industry and Society in India	10	10	80	100
3.	Social Demography of India	10	10	80	100
4.	Criminology and Correctional Institutions	10	10	80	100



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## SEMESTER I PAPER – I

### **CLASSICAL** SOCIOLOGICAL THEORIES

#### UNIT - I

Introduction of Sociological Theory – Meaning, Characteristics, types, problems.

#### UNIT – II

August Comte - Hierarchy of Science, Law of three stages, Positivism.

#### UNIT – III

Max Weber – Bureaucracy, theory of social action, concept of authority.

#### UNIT – IV

Karl Marx – Historical materialism, dialectic materialism, theory of surplus value, **Class struggle**

#### UNIT – V

Durkheim – Suicide, theory of social unity, **social division of labour - social theory of religion**

#### Reference Books-

1. Turner, J.H. (2001)- "The structure of Sociological Theory"
2. Zettin, I.M. (1981)- Ideology and the Development of Sociological theory, Prentice Hall, London
3. Adoms B.N. & Sylie R.A. (2002) - Sociological theory Vistar Publication, New Delhi.
4. Abraham, F. and Morgan J.H. (1985) - Sociological Thought from Comte to Sorokin.
5. Cambridge University Press - An analysis of writings of Marx, Durkheim and Weber, Cambridge University Press, Whole Book



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## SEMESTER I PAPER – II METHODOLOGY OF SOCIAL RESEARCH

### UNIT - I

Introduction and process of Social Research – meaning, characteristics, objects, steps, Importance, types of scientific method, Hypothesis.

### UNIT – II

Survey – Meaning, Characteristics, objects, limitations, types, social survey in India.

### UNIT – III

Quantitative Method – Sampling, Sources of Data Collection, Scaling, Sociometry.

### UNIT – IV

Qualitative Method – Observation, Interview, Schedule, Questionnaire, Case Study.

### UNIT – V

Analysis of Data – Collection of data, Classification, Tabulation, Report Writing, Research Problems, Classification of facts.

### Reference Books-

1. Bose, Pradeep Kumar (1995) - Research Methodology
2. Young P.V. (1977) - Scientific Social Surveys Research Prentice Hall, New Delhi.
3. Weber, M. (1974) - The Methodology of Social Sciences free press-Chicago.
4. Bailey, K.D. (1979) - Methodology of Social Research, (Macmillan free press London)
5. Mukherjee, P.N. (2000) - Methodology in Social Research (Dilemma and perspectives Essays in Honour of Radhakrishna Mukherjee) safe, New Delhi.



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## SEMESTER I PAPER – III RURAL SOCIOLOGY

### UNIT - I

Rural Social System – Origin, Development, Indian Rural System, Indian Rural Social Structure.

### UNIT – II

Rural Basic Concept – Peasant Society, Little Community, folk Culture.

### UNIT – III

Rural Power Structure – Leadership, its changing patterns, **Village Panchayat**

### UNIT – IV

Peasant Relations – Traditional and Contemporary.

### UNIT – V

Indian Rural Process – Localization, Universalisation, Sanskritization, Little and Great tradition.

### Reference Books-

1. Desai, A.R. (1977) - Rural Sociology in India, Popular Prakashan (Mumbai)
2. Dhanagare, D.M. (1988) - Peasant movement in India. OUP New Delhi.
3. Andre Betaille (1974) - 6 Essays in comparative Sociology Oxford, New Delhi.
4. Joshi, P.C. (1976) - Land Reforms in India alive, New Delhi.
5. Thomer D. (1956) - The Agrarian prospects in India, University Press, New Delhi.



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SEMESTER I  
PAPER – IV  
URBAN SOCIETY IN INDIA

**UNIT - I**

Urban Society – Concept, importance, urban community, and urban life style.

**UNIT – II**

Classification of Urban Society – City and town, Development of City, Development to centralized special industries.

**UNIT- III**

Urbanization in India – Emerging trends of urbanization, Impact of Urbanization, Urban Culture.

**UNIT – IV**

Changing pattern of urbanization – Changing occupational, structure and social stratification – caste, class, sex, family and housing.

**UNIT – V**

Problems of Urbanization – Drugs Alcoholism, prostitution, slums, corruption, cyber crime.

**Reference Books-**

1. Bose, A. (1978) - Studies in India, Urbanization (1901-1971) Tata McGraw Hill
2. Gold Harry (1982) - Sociology of Urban Life. Prentice Hall, Englewood.
3. Collin worth, J.B. (1972) - Problems of Urban Society volume II George and unwind Ltd.
4. Bhardwaj. R.K. (1974) - Urban Development in India, National Publishing House.
5. Ronan Paddison (2001) - Hand Book of Urban Societies, Sage India.



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## SEMESTER II PAPER – I MODERN SOCIOLOGICAL THEORIES

### UNIT - I

Modernism to post modernism – meaning, characteristics, differences and future.

### UNIT – II

Structural, functional theory – Talkott parsons – social system and function, R.K. Merton-function and di-function and neo functionalism.

### UNIT – III

Conflict theory – Darheindorf, R. collins, Coser and Karl Mark.

### UNIT – IV

Phenomenological Theory – Edmund Husserl, A. Schutz Theory of Ethnomethodology, Garfinkel

### UNIT – V

Indian Sociological Theory – Radhakamal Mukherji – Theory of Social value. A.R. Desai-Emergence of nationalism in India. Vivekanand-Future of India. G.S.. Ghurey – Caste system.

### Reference Books-

1. Coser, L.A. (2001) - Masters of Sociological Thought, Rawat Publishers, Jaipur.
2. Collins, R. (1997) - Theoretical Sociology, Rawat Publisher, Jaipur
3. Turner, J.H. - The Structure of Sociological Theory, Rawat Prakashan, Jaipur.
4. Alexander Jeffrey's (1987) - 20 Lectures: Sociological theory since World War II, New York Colombia University press.
5. Giddins Anthory (1983) - Central Problems in Social theory, Action, structure & contribution in Social Analysis Macmillan London.



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## SEMESTER II PAPER – II

### SOCIAL RESEARCH AND STATISTICS

#### UNIT - I

Concept of Statistics – Meaning, Characteristics, Utility and Limitations.

#### UNIT – II

Central Tendency – Mean, Median, Mode – Characteristics, Meaning, Utility and Limitations and Problems.

#### UNIT – III

Diagrammatic presentation of facts – Meaning, Characteristics, types, utility, limitations.

#### UNIT – IV

Graphic presentation of facts – Meaning, types, method, law, utility.

#### UNIT – V

Computer in Social Research – Utility, problems and possibilities.

#### Reference Books-

1. Athance, D.M. - Fundamental of Statistics
2. Bailey, K.D. (1979) - Methodology of Social Research, Macmillan, free press.
3. Wilkinson, T.S. & Bhandarkar, P.L. - Methodology and Techniques of Social Research, Himalaya Publication House, Bombay.
4. Bose, Pradeep Kumar (1995) - Research Methodology, New Delhi, ICSSR
5. Punch, Kelth (1986) - Introduction to Social Research London, Sage.



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SEMESTER II  
Paper – III  
RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND CHANGE

**UNIT - I**

Rural Demography and Change – Rural Economy, Rural Social Stratification.

**UNIT – II**

Rural Social institution-Family, Caste system, Caste Panchyat, Rural Education.

**UNIT – III**

Rural Change – Social change in Rural India, Role and Hurdles of industrialization and Urbanization.

**UNIT – IV**

Rural Social problems and Peasant unrest – Poverty, unemployment, indebtedness, Gutbandi, Migration.

**UNIT – V**

Rural Development and Programme – Planning, Progress, Problems, Panchayati Raj.

**Reference Books-**

1. Patel, M.L. (1974) - Changing Land Problems of Tribal India, Progress Publishers, Bhopal
2. Desai, A.R. (1979) - Rural Society in Transition Popular Mumbai.
3. Andre Beteille (1986) - Inequality and social change, Oxford New Delhi.
4. A.R. Desai (2003) - Rural Sociology in India, Popular Mumbai.
5. Bardhan, P. - Poverty, Agrarian,-Structure and Political Economy in India.





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## SEMESTER II Paper – IV URBAN SOCIAL STRUCTURE AND PROBLEMS

### UNIT - I

City and City Dimension – Emile Durkheim, Karl Marx and Max Weber.

### UNIT – II

Urban ecology and its theory – Concept, characteristics, **dimensions** theory, central area and Ecological patterns or importance of theory.

### UNIT – III

Sociological Thinkers – Georges Semmeal – Metropolitans, Lueas Bearth – Urbanization, Redfield – Rural – Urban Continuum.

### UNIT – IV

Urban Problems – Migration, Poverty, Unemployment, Environmental Pollution.

### UNIT – V

Urban planning in Chhattisgarh – Meaning of Urban Planning, Objectives, impact, factors of planning, urban management problems in Chhattisgarh and hurdles, Chhattisgarh Nagar Nigam.

### Reference Books-

1. Saunders Pater (1981) - Social Theory and Urban Question, Hutchinson.
2. Quinn, J.A. (1955) - Urban Sociology, S. Chand & Company New Delhi
3. Abrahamson, M (1976) - Urban Sociology, Englewood, Prentice Hall
4. Rohan Paddison (2001)- Handbook of Urban Societies, Sage, India
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SEMESTER III *change*  
PAPER-I  
PERSPECTIVES OF INDIAN SOCIETY

**Unit-I**

**Indian Institutions**-Dharma, Varna, Ashram, Karma, class, Elites, backward class, Minorities and Tribes.

**Unit-II**

Indian Social structure: Contemporary characteristics-Secularism, Modernization, Social mobility, Westernization, Industrialization and urbanization.

**Unit-III**

**Diversity in Indian society**- Geographical Diversity, Diversity in Religions, Beliefs and Rituals, Linguistic Diversity, Racial Diversity, Tribal Diversity, Political Diversity, Diversity related to marriage, Family & Kinship.

**Unit-IV**

Linkages and networks binding Regions, Groups and communities in Indian society. Factors for intensification of linkage and Network binding in Indian society. Consequence of increasing Linkages and networks in Indian society.

**Unit-V**

Concept of Rural- urban continuum, Traditional and Modernity as continuity between past and present in Indian society, Social Hierarchy in Indian Society.

Books for Reading:-

1. Dubey S.C. 1973: Social Science in a changing society (Lucknow University Press.)
2. Karve, Irawati 1961: Hindu Society: An Interpretation (Poona, Recan College.)
3. Oommen T.K. and P.N. Mukherjee 1986: Indian Sociology Reflections and Introspections, Popular Prakashan, Bombay.
4. Singh K.S. 1992: The People of India: An Introduction Seagull books Calcutta.
5. Singh Y. 1986: Indian Sociology: Social conditioning and Emerging concerns, Delhi Vistar.
6. Singh Y. 1973: Modernisation of Indian Tradition, Delhi, Thompson press.
7. Srinivas M.N. 1960: Indian's Villages Asia Publishing House Bombay.



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## SEMESTER III PAPER-II INDUSTRIAL SOCIOLOGY

### UNIT-I

**Industrial Sociology** – Origin and development nature, scope and importance.  
Industrial planning – Meaning, Objectives, Techniques and Problems.

### UNIT-II

Industry, Industrialization and Industrial Revolution – Meaning, characteristics, forms causes and effects. Industrial Moral – Meaning, Characteristics, forms Importance, measures for raising Employee's morals

### UNIT-III

Industrial Management – Meaning, Types, Functions and Importance.  
Industrial Bureaucracy – Meaning, Characteristics, Types, Merits and Demerits.

### UNIT-IV

Industrial Organization – Formal and Informal organization- **Meaning Characteristics & Scope. Industrial Relations and Human Relations – Objectives and Differences.**

### UNIT-V

Industrial Disputes and Settlement – Meaning, Characteristics, Causes and Effects of Industrial Disputes. **Industrial Participation.**

### REFERENCE BOOKS:

1. Watson K. Tony- 1995- Sociology work and Industry. Route edge Kegan Paul
2. Ramaswamy E.A. 1978 – Industrial Relations in India New Delhi.
3. Ramaswamy E.A. 1988. – Industry and Labour. OUP
4. Karnik V.B. 1970 – Indian Trade Union A Survey. Popular Prakashan Mumbai.
5. Memoria C.B. and Mamoria 1992 – Dynamics of Industrial Relation in India. Himalaya Publication Mumbai.
6. Laxmanna cet all 1990 – Workers Participation and Industrial Democracy. Global Perspective Ajantha Publications.



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## SEMESTER III PAPER- III DEMOGRAPHICAL PROFILE

### Unit - I

Demography- Meaning, scope, subject matter and importance. Demographic study and Research in India.

### Unit-II

Census- Meaning, characteristics, planning and scope of census, Importance of census.

### Unit-III

Fertility and Birth Rates in India, Mortality in India, Density of Population

### Unit-IV

Malthusian and Neo-Malthusian theory of population, Herbert Spencer's Biological theory of population, Karl Hechrich Marx's theory of population and theory of optimum population.

### Unit-V

The problem of over population in India, Socio-cultural aspect of Indian population.

### Reference Books-

1. Demography and population problem: Rajendra K. Sharma Atlantic publishers and Distributors.
2. Demography - D.S. Baghel & Kiran Baghel, Vivek publication Delhi- 07
3. Survey of Fertility and Mortality in Poona : Dandekar
4. Population and Development: The Demography Transition: Tim Dyson.
5. Human Development Report - 1993
6. Year book, Family welfare planning in India.
7. Census Report - 2011
8. Population problems: Thompson and Lewis.



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## SEMESTER III PAPER - IV CRIMINOLOGY

### Unit - I

Conceptual Approaches to crime; Legal, behavioural and sociological, deviance, crime and delinquency, types of crime- economic, Violent, white Collar Crime.

### Unit- II

Perspective on crime causation: classical, positivist psychological, Sociological.

### Unit- III

Changing profile of crime and criminals: organized crime, crime against women and children, cyber crime, corruption.

### Unit- IV

Social problems: Alcoholism and drug addiction, prostitution, suicide, terrorism.

### Unit - V

Theories of Punishment: retributive, deterrent, reformatory utility and cost of punishment.

### Books for Reading

1. Bedi, Kiran 1998-it is always possible, New Delhi. Sterling Publications put. Ltd.
2. Gill S.S. 1998 The Pathology of corruption, New Delhi: Harper Collins Publishers (India)
3. Makkar S.P. Singh and Paul C. Friday 1993 Global Perspective in Criminology Jalandhar: ABC Publications.
4. Ministry of Home affairs: 1998. Crime in India, New Delhi: Government of India.
5. Shankar das, Rani Dhavan, 2000 Punishment and the Prison; India & International Perspective New Delhi, sage, Publications.
6. D.S. Baghel and Kiran Baghel: Vivek Prakashan New Delhi.



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## SEMESTER IV PAPER - I THEORETICAL PERSPECTIVES OF INDIAN SOCIETY

### Unit - I

Meaning, Definitions and Characteristics of sociological Perspectives, Major Perspectives of Sociology.

### Unit- II

Concept of Ideological Perspective - Ideological perspectives of G.S. Ghuriye, M.K. Gandhi, Stya-Ahinsa.

### Unit - III

Concept of Structural - Functional perspectives- M.N. Srinivas Structural-Functional Study of Village 'Rampura', concept of Sanskritization, S.C.Dubey's structural-Functional' Analysis of Village Shamirpet

### Unit- IV

Concept of Marxian or Conflict Perspectives, Main Assumptions of Marxian Perspectives, Marxian Perspectives D.P. Mukherjee, A.R. Desai, Redhakamal Mukherjee.

### Unit - V

Synthesis of textual and Field views. Irawati Karve's analysis of Indian society, A.M. Shah's Analysis of Indian Society, Civilization Perspectives of N.K. Bose, Surajit Singh sub- alterment Perspectives of B.R. Ambedkar.

### Books for Reading

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## SEMESTER IV PAPER – II INDUSTRY AND SOCIETY IN INDIA

### Unit - I

Industrial Planning – Meaning, Objectives, Problems, Industrial Planning in Indian. Social Responsibilities of industries.

### Unit - II

Manpower planning – Meaning Characteristics, objectives, forms and importance. Incentive and Motivation– Meaning, Characteristics, types and importance. Industrial Accidents and safety Compensation and Rewards.

### Unit - III

Leadership in industry– Meaning Characteristics, Type, Styles, Principles of Leadership, Importance of Labour Movement in Indian.

### Unit - IV

Trade Unions – Introduction and functions Labour welfare in India, Social Security in **India**

### Unit - V

Indebtedness of industrial Workers, Labour and Rationalization, Child and women Labour, Collective Bargaining.

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1. Watson K Tony – 1995 – Sociology work and Industry. Routedledge Kegan Paul.
2. Ramaswamy E.A. – 1978 - Industrial Relations in India. New Delhi.
3. Ramaswamy E.A. – 1988 – Industry and Labour. OUP
4. Karnik V.B. - 1970 – Indian Trade Union A survey Popular Prakashan Mumbai.
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## SEMESTER IV PAPER- III SOCIAL DEMOGRAPHY OF INDIA

### Unit-I

Indian population- Rate of Increase and projection, Composition of population, Family Planning in India.

### Unit-II

Public Health and Health services in India- Factors affecting the health, causes for law public health in India, Suggestions to improve the public health.

### Unit-III

Population Education- Meaning, elements, objects and importance.

### Unit-IV

Census in India, Population projection, population policy in India.

### Unit-V

Economic aspect of Indian population, Demographic Factors and social change, world population,

### Reference Books-

1. Demography and population problem: Rajendra K. Sharma Atlantic publishers and Distributors.
2. Demography - D.S.Baghel & Kiran Baghel, Vivek publication Delhi- 07
3. Survey of Fertility and Mortality in Poona : Dandekar
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## SEMESTER IV PAPER - IV CRIMINOLOGY AND CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS

### Unit-I

Correction and its forms: meaning and signification of correction, Form of correction.

### Unit- II

Correctional programmes in prison: history of prison reforms in India, national policy of prison, problems of prison, human rights and prison management.

### Unit- III

Alternatives to imprisonment: Probation, parole, open prisons sociology of prison.

### Unit- IV

Role of police and judiciary in India: Police system in India, function of police, police and human rights.

### Unit- V

After care services: After care program in India, after care program in Madhya Pradesh and Chhattisgarh.

### Books for Reading -

1. Bedi, Kiran, 1998 It is always possible, New Delhi. Sterling Publications put. Ltd.
2. Gill S.S. 1998 The Pathology of corruption, New Delhi: Harper Collins Publishers (India)
3. Makkes S.P. Singh and Paul Friday 1993 Global Perspective in Criminology Jalandhar: ABC Publications.
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