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B A DEGREE (CBCS) EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2020

Second Semester

**Complementary Course - SO2CMT02 - DEVELOPMENT OF SOCIOLOGICAL
THEORIES**

(Common for B.A English Language and Literature Model I ,B.A English Literature and Communication Studies Model III (Double Main) ,B.A Economics Model I ,B.A Philosophy Model I,B.A Political Science Model I)

2017 ADMISSION ONWARDS

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Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

Part A

*Answer any **ten** questions.*

Each question carries 2 marks.

1. Karl Marx
2. Conflict theory
3. Metaphysical stage
4. The hierarchy of sciences
5. Social order
6. Social organism
7. Law of uniformity
8. Laissez-faire
9. Social fact
10. Mechanical solidarity
11. Verstehen
12. What is bureaucracy?

(10×2=20)

Part B

*Answer any **six** questions.*

Each question carries 5 marks.





13. Explain the transition from social philosophy to sociology.
14. Write a short note on the types of sociological theories.
15. Critically examine the positivistic idea of Auguste Comte.
16. Role of Herbert Spencer in developing Sociology as a science.
17. Describe the division of sociology by Auguste Comte.
18. What is the difference between anomic suicide and fatalistic suicide?
19. Evaluate Durkheim's major work 'Elementary Forms of Religious Life'
20. Explain the typology of social action proposed by Max Weber.
21. What is the theory of religion according to Max Weber?

(6×5=30)

Part C

*Answer any **two** questions.*

*Each question carries **15** marks.*

22. What is Social thought? What are its major characteristics?
23. Auguste Comte and his contributions to Sociology.
24. Evaluate the relevance of the theories of Emile Durkheim in the contemporary world.
25. Narrate the life and contributions of Max Weber to the world of Sociology.

(2×15=30)

