**B.A SOCIOLOGY IST SEMESTER**

Paper 1.1 **Fundamentals of Sociology and social Thought**

**Chapter I Meaning, Definition, scope, and Importance of Sociology**

**Chapter II Basic concepts:**

1. Society

2. Community:--Their Meaning, Definition, characteristics

3. Association

4. Institution

**Chapter III** : **Types of community**

A. Tribal

B. Rural: Meaning, Definition, features, Importance

c. Urban

**Chapter IV : Social Stratification**

a. Meaning, Definition, Functions

b. Types: caste, class, Their Meaning Definition, characteristics

**Chapter V : Auguste Comte**

Life Sketch, Law of three stages, Hierarchy of sciences.

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Life Sketch, Organic Analogy Laws of Evolution

**B.A SOCIOLOGY IIIRD SEMESTER**

Paper 3.1 **Indian society and social thought-I**

**Chapter I : characteristics of Indian culture**

Components of Indian society- ashram, Dharma, purusharthas ,and Samskaras

**Chapter II** : **Religions of India**

Hinduism, Jainism, Buddhism, Sikkism, Christianity, and Islam- Basic Philosophy of these Religions

**Chapter III** : **Backward class and minorities**

Schedule caste, schedule tribe, backward class, and Minoritiestheir Population, characteristics, Problems, and constitutional safeguards.

**Chapter IV : Basaveshwar –**concept of Kayak and social equality

**Chapter V** : **Mahatma Gandhi**- Concepts of survodaya, and Rural Reconstruction

**Chapter VI Dr. B. R. Ambedkar –** a. Ways of bringing social change – Educate, organize, agitate, b. Unsociability

**B.A SOCIOLOGY V SEMESTER (COMPULSORY)**

Paper 5.1 **Indian social problems-I**

**Chapter I :** Meaning Definition and importance of study of social problems

**Chapter II** : **Poverty**- Meaning Definition, causes, effects and remedial Measures

**Chapter III** : **Corruption**: Meaning Definition, causes, effects and remedial Measures

**Chapter IV Terrorism** - Meaning Definition, causes, effects and remedial Measures

**Chapter V** : **Youth unrest-** Meaning Definition, causes, effects and remedial measures

**Chapter VI Dowry-** Meaning Definition, causes, effects and remedial measures

**B.A SOCIOLOGY V SEMESTER (5.2 OPTIONAL)**

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Paper 5.2 **Sociology of Rural Development In India**

**Chapter I :** Meaning Definition and importance of study of Rural Development

b. Indian village and its characteristics

c. Rural institution- Jajmani system, Dominant caste

**Chapter II** : **Rural Economy**

**a.** Land tenur system – Medieval and Modern0

**b.** Land Reforms after Independence

**c.** Bonded labour-Meaning ,Causes and its abolition

**d.** Rural indebtedness- Meaning Definition, causes, effects and remedies

**Chapter III** : **Rural Development programs,**

**a.** Community development programs-Objectives,

b. I.R.D.P, JRY, TRYSEM, Jal Nirmal Yojana

**Chapter IV Panchayat Raj**

a. Three tire system ,Gram panchayat, Taluka Panchayat, Zilla Panchayat-

Their structure and powers

b. Role of panchayat raj in Rural Development

**Chapter V** : **Governmental Agencies- Department of Rural Development**

Non-Governmental Agencies Stree-Shakti Yojana, Self Help Groups Role of N.G.O’s in rural development

**B.A SOCIOLOGY IIND SEMESTER**

Paper 2.1 **Social Institution and social thought**

**Chapter I : Social Institutions**

a. Marriage - Meaning ,Definition, functions and types

b. Family- Meaning ,Definition, functions and types

c. Religion- Meaning, Definition, and functions.

**Chapter II : Culture and Socialization**

a. Meaning, characteristics of culture

b. Importance of culture

c. Meaning ,Importance of socialization

d. Agents of socialization- family, Peer and school

**Chapter III : Social change**

A. Meaning and Definition

B. Factors –Education, Technological and cultural

**Chapter IV : Social Control**

a. Meaning, Definition and Objectives

b. Agencies of social Control – Mores, folkways ,customs and Law

**Chapter V : Durkheim** –Life sketch, types of Solidarity, theory of suicide

**Chapter VI : Max Weber** - Life Sketch, Religion and society, Bureaucracy

**B.A SOCIOLOGY IV SEMESTER**

Paper 4.1 **Indian society and social thought-II**

**Chapter I : Marriage**

Marriage among Hindus, Muslims, and Christians- their meaning rituals and types

**Chapter II** : **Family**

Indian Family system (Traditional and modern )

Joint family –Meaning, Definition, Characteristics and changes

**Chapter III:** **Caste system**

Meaning, Definition, theories, features and changes in caste system

**Chapter IV: Women in India**

a. Women in ancient India

b. Women in Medieval India

c. Women in Modern India

d. Problems of Modern women

**Chapter V** : **G.S. Ghurye**

a. Brief life sketch

b. Caste and kinship in India

c. Religious beliefs and rituals in India

**Chapter VI M.N. Srinivas**

**A.** Brief life sketch

**b.** Sanskritisation

**c.** Westernization

**B.A SOCIOLOGY VI SEMESTER (COMPULSORY)**

Paper 6.1 **Indian social problems-II**

**Chapter I :a. Family Disorganization-** Meaning ,Definition ,causes ,effects

and remedial measures

**Chapter II** : **Environmental pollution**

**-** Meaning, causes, Types of pollution (Sound, Air, Water, and soil pollution)

**Chapter III** : **Prostitution**

Meaning, Definition , Types, causes ,effects and remedial measures

**Chapter IV Alcoholism**

Meaning, Definition , Types, causes ,effects and remedial measures

**Chapter V :Old Age Problems**

Meaning, their problems and remedial measures

**Chapter V :Crime and juvenile Deliquency:**

Meaning, Definition , causes and remedial measures

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Paper 6.2 **Urban sociology**

**Chapter I : Introduction -** Meaning, scope and importance of Urban Sociology

**Chapter II** : **Characteristics of urban Community-**Distinguishing between

Urban and rural community)

**Chapter III** : **Changes in urban community**

Family, religion, urban life, social mobility, occupational mobility

**Chapter IV : Urban problems:** Leisure and recreation, communal, riots, drug Addiction

**Chapter V : Agencies of Urban Development**

Housing and urban development, meaning, Urban voluntary Organization, HUDCO, Housing board urban development Authority, structure and objectives