

MASY 1002

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, JANUARY 2021.

First Year – Non Semester

Sociology

SOCIOLOGICAL THOUGHTS

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 100 marks

PART A — (5 × 8 = 40 marks)

Answer any FIVE out of Eight questions.

1. Define the term positivism and what are the features of positivism.
2. Narrate the social dynamics in sociology.
3. Discuss the contribution of herber Spencer to sociology.
4. Write a short notes on surplus value theory.
5. Explain about the features of Alienation theory of social change.
6. Enumerate the characteristics of ideal type.
7. What is the main ideas of structuralism?
8. Write the concept of Set theory.

PART B — (5 × 12 = 60 marks)

Answer any FIVE out of Eight questions.

9. Differentiate between social statistics and social Dynamics.
10. Write a essay on the Spencer's theory of organic analogy.
11. Evaluate the theory of class and class struggle in sociology.
12. Elaborate the principles of Weber's Social Action theory.
13. Describe the contribution of Emile Durkheim in theory of suicide.
14. Explain the elements and characteristics, types of social system in sociology.
15. Elucidate the principles and advantages of Role theory.
16. Discuss about the structuralism theory of communication in sociology.