

MASY 1005

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, JANUARY 2021.

First Year – Non - Semester

Sociology

Paper V – RURAL SOCIOLOGY

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 100 marks

PART A — (5 × 8 = 40 marks)

Answer any FIVE questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

1. Describe the nature and scope of Rural Sociology.
2. Analyse the differences between rural - urban contrast and interaction in India.
3. Evaluate the Importance of Sanskritisation.
4. How does the settlement pattern of villages in India?
5. Critically examine the failure of land reforms in India.
6. Mention about the objectives and features of health and sanitation programmes in Rural India.

7. Briefly explain the rural poverty and what are the steps taken by the Government to eradicate it.
8. Present the status of marriage systems and its importance in rural India.

PART B — (5 × 12 = 60 marks)

Answer any FIVE questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

9. Given an account of the importance of Jajmani system in rural social structure.
10. Briefly discuss the causes and consequences of rural migration and what are the various types of migration in India.
11. Evaluate briefly the land legislations and its impact on Indian economy.
12. What do you understand the child labour problem in India and give your suggestions to eradicate this problem.
13. State the characteristics and importance of District Rural Development Agency (DRDA) in India.
14. Bring out the significance and importance of the religion system in village communities.

15. Discuss the origin and characteristics of rural social network.
 16. Distinguish the gender differences in rural social network.
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