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Branch : SOCIOLOGY

SO 213 – Sociology of Indian Society

(2013 Admission Onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75

PART – A

Define or explain **all** the following in **not** more than **50** words. **(10×2=20 Marks)**

1. Religious Diversity.
2. Matrilineal System.
3. Dominant Caste.
4. Nuclear Family.
5. Marxian perspective.
6. Untouchable Caste.
7. Kinship.
8. Christian Marriage.
9. Textual View.
10. Ethnic Diversity.

PART – B

Answer **any five** questions in **not** more than **250** words : **(5×5=25 Marks)**

11. Explain the matrilineal system in Indian Society.
12. Describe the changing structure and function of joint family.

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13. Examine the subaltern perspective of B. R. Ambedkar.
14. Critically explain India as a secular state.
15. Define kinship. Explain types of kinship in Indian Society.
16. Describe briefly the views on caste by Gail Omvedt.
17. Illustrate briefly the changing kinship relations in India.
18. Explain the marriage system among Muslims.

PART – C

Answer **any two** questions in **not more than 1200** words : **(2×15=30 Marks)**

19. Write an essay on Indological approach to the study of Indian Society.
20. Explain about the contemporary issues faced by Indian Society.
21. Describe about the different diversities found in Indian Society.
22. Explain the structural-functional approach to the study of Indian Society.