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SO 211 – CLASSICAL SOCIOLOGICAL TRADITIONS

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 75

PART – A

(10×1.5=15 Marks)

Answer **all** questions in not more than **half** page.

Explain the following :

1. French revolution.
2. Positivism.
3. Law of dialectics.
4. Class in itself.
5. Organic solidarity.
6. Totemism.
7. Traditional authority.
8. Bureaucracy.
9. Non-logical action.
10. Elites.

PART – B

(2×6=12 Marks)

Answer **two** questions from **any two** different sets in not more than **600** words **each**.

11. Discuss the impact of industrial revolution in the emergence of sociology.

OR

Explain the impact of enlightenment on thinking and reasoning.

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12. Examine the concept of surplus value.

OR

Discuss the theory of class struggle.

13. Describe the concept of social facts as propounded by Durkheim.

OR

Analyse the theory of suicide.

14. Explain Weber's contribution to methodology.

OR

Discuss the types of authority as explained by Weber.

PART - C

(2×24=48 Marks)

Answer **any two** questions in not more than **1200** words **each**.

15. Describe the concept of Alienation as propounded by Karl Marx.

16. Analyse Durkheim's views on division of labor in society.

17. Examine Weber's views on protestant ethics and spirit of capitalism.

18. Explain the theory of circulation of elites.