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Branch : Sociology
SO 2.1.3. SOCIOLOGY OF INDIAN SOCIETY
(2013 Admission Onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Total Marks : 75

PART – A

Define or Explain **all** the following in **not** more than **50** words : **(10x2=20 Marks)**

1. Culture.
2. Unity in diversity.
3. Traditional family.
4. Pure and impure.
5. Marriage.
6. Regionalism.
7. Sanskritization.
8. Lineage.
9. Exogamy.
10. Animism.

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PART – B

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

11. Discuss the consequences of urbanization on social structure.
12. Explain cultural diversity.
13. Explain the concept of terrorism.
14. Comment on M.N.Srinivas perspective of caste.
15. Caste system is a discriminatory one. Discuss.
16. Provide a brief note on kinship organization in India.
17. Bringout the changes taking place in marriage.
18. Write a note on Manifest and Latent functions of Religion.

PART – C

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

19. Describe the structural and functional perspectives on society.
 20. Analyse A.R. Desai's Marxian perspective for the study of Indian society.
 21. Elucidate the consequences of rural-urban differences in Indian society.
 22. Discuss the major function of family in our society.
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