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**Third Semester M.A. (Sociology) Degree Examination, January 2012
(2008 Admissions)**

SO – 233 : RURAL SOCIETY IN INDIA

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75

PART – A

Answer **all** questions in approximately **half a page** : (10×1.5=15 Marks)

Explain the following :

1. Rural Society.
2. Peasant social structure.
3. Mode of Production.
4. Jajmani system.
5. Zamindari system.
6. Share – cropper
7. Panchayat Raj.
8. Green Revolution.
9. Participatory Approach.
10. Agrarian Movement.

PART – B

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

(2×6=12 Marks)

11. Explain the characteristics of Agrarian social structure.

OR

List out the characteristics of capitalist mode of production.

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12. Give a brief outline about the agrarian relations.

OR

Elucidate the Land Reform measures in Pre-Independent India.

13. Examine the causes for rural poverty.

OR

Analyse the problems of landless agricultural labour.

14. Explain the structure and functions of Panchayat Raj System.

OR

Discuss the phases of peasant movement in India.

PART – C

Answer any two questions in not more than 1200 words each. (2×24=48 Marks)

15. Examine the impact of Agrarian legislations on rural social structure in Kerala.

16. Explain the main objectives of green revolution and evaluate their impact in India.

17. Analyse the Rural Developmental Strategies.

18. Discuss the causes and consequences of Mappila Movement.
