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**B.A DEGREE (CBCS) REGULAR / IMPROVEMENT / REAPPEARANCE
EXAMINATIONS, MAY 2024**

Second Semester

**Complementary Course - SO2CMT02 - DEVELOPMENT OF SOCIOLOGICAL
THEORIES**

(Common for B.A English Language and Literature Model I, B.A English Literature and Communication Studies Model III (Double Main), B.A Economics Model I, B.A Philosophy Model I, B.A Political Science Model I)

2017 ADMISSION ONWARDS

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Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

Part A

*Answer any **ten** questions.*

*Each question carries **2** marks.*

1. Karl Marx.
2. Variables.
3. Social physics.
4. Fictitious stage.
5. The hierarchy of sciences.
6. Organic analogy.
7. Compound society.
8. Laissez-faire .
9. Social integration.
10. Suicide.
11. Verstehen.
12. Define Social Action.

(10×2=20)





Part B

Answer any **six** questions.

Each question carries **5** marks.

13. Describe the origin of social thought.
14. Explain the transition from social philosophy to sociology.
15. Why is Auguste Comte considered as the father of sociology?
16. How will you distinguish between social statics and social dynamics?
17. Distinguish between militant and industrial societies.
18. Differentiate Social facts in Durkheim's view.
19. Evaluate Durkheim's major work 'Elementary Forms of Religious Life'.
20. Give a brief sketch of the life and works of Max Weber.
21. Discuss the theory of Bureaucracy propounded by Max Weber.

(6×5=30)

Part C

Answer any **two** questions.

Each question carries **15** marks.

22. What are the key intellectual factors that led to the development of Sociology in the west.
23. Critically analyse the contributions of Herbert Spencer's contribution to Sociology.
24. Evaluate the relevance of the theories of Emile Durkheim in the contemporary world.
25. Analyse the Weberian view of the relationship between the Protestant ethic and the Spirit of capitalism.

(2×15=30)

