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Q. 1

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Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

Comprehension (SubQuestion No : 1)

Study carefully the table given below and answer the question asked here under.

The following table gives the marks (out of 100) of five students (i.e. A, B, C, D and E) over the years 2021 to 2025.

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	A	B	C	D	E
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2023	96	76	65	85	85
2024	92	85	66	81	82
2025	86	82	73	80	83

In terms of the cumulative marks from 2021 to 2025, which of the following students has scored maximum marks ?

- (1) A
- (2) B
- (3) C
- (4) D

Option 1 ID:
4324499001

Option 2 ID:
4324499002

Option 3 ID:
4324499003

Option 4 ID:
4324499004

Q. 2

Question ID: 4324492316

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 4

Comprehension (SubQuestion No : 2)

Study carefully the table given below and answer the question asked here under.

The following table gives the marks (out of 100) of five students (i.e. A, B, C, D and E) over the years 2021 to 2025.

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If we compare the cumulative combined marks of students A and B over the years with those of students C and D, then the marks scored by A and B together are more than those scored by C and D, by approximately what percent ?

- (1) 77
- (2) 91
- (3) 15
- (4) 10

Option 1 ID:
4324499017

Option 2 ID:
4324499018

Option 3 ID:
4324499019

Option 4 ID:
4324499020

Q. 3

Question ID: 4324492313

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

Comprehension (SubQuestion No : 3)

Study carefully the table given below and answer the question asked here under.

The following table gives the marks (out of 100) of five students (i.e. A, B, C, D and E) over the years 2021 to 2025.

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Which year witnessed the lowest average marks attained by the students ?

- (1) 2021
- (2) 2022
- (3) 2023
- (4) 2024

Option 1 ID:
4324499005

Option 2 ID:
4324499006

Option 3 ID:
4324499007

Option 4 ID:
4324499008

Q. 4

Question ID: 4324492314

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 3

Comprehension (SubQuestion No : 4)

Study carefully the table given below and answer the question asked here under.

The following table gives the marks (out of 100) of five students (i.e. A, B, C, D and E) over the years 2021 to 2025.

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2024	92	85	66	81	82
2025	86	82	73	80	83

How many students experienced continuous decrease in marks obtained from 2023 to 2025 ?

- (1) one
- (2) two
- (3) three
- (4) four

Option 1 ID:
4324499009

Option 2 ID:
4324499010

Option 3 ID:
4324499011

Option 4 ID:
4324499012

Q. 5

Question ID: 4324492315

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 2

Comprehension (SubQuestion No : 5)

Study carefully the table given below and answer the question asked here under.

The following table gives the marks (out of 100) of five students (i.e. A, B, C, D and E) over the years 2021 to 2025.

Year	STUDENTS NAME				
	A	B	C	D	E
2021	75	82	75	84	74
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2023	96	76	65	85	85
2024	92	85	66	81	82
2025	86	82	73	80	83

What was the approximate percentage increase of marks for student C from 2023 to 2025 ?

- (1) 7
- (2) 8
- (3) 12
- (4) 18

Suppose the water of a lake is contaminated by a pesticide. Arrange the following in the increasing order of accumulated concentration of the pesticide in the lake ecosystem.

- A. Water
- B. Zooplankton
- C. Phytoplankton
- D. Fish
- E. Bird

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) E, D, C, B, A
- (2) A, B, C, D, E
- (3) A, C, B, D, E
- (4) C, B, D, E, A

Option 1 ID:
4324499013

Option 2 ID:
4324499014

Option 3 ID:
4324499015

Option 4 ID:
4324499016

Q. 7

Question ID: 4324492326

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 3

If we suggest that x causes y , can we be sure that it is x that is responsible for the variation in y ?
This relates to :

- (1) external validity
- (2) reliability
- (3) internal validity
- (4) ecological validity

The next term in the following series is :

CMO, FPR, ISU, ___?

- (1) JLO
- (2) PSU
- (3) LVX
- (4) LOQ

Option 1 ID:
4324499057

Option 2 ID:
4324499058

Option 3 ID:
4324499059

Option 4 ID:
4324499060

Q. 9

Question ID: 4324492327

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

Given below are two statements : one is labelled as **Assertion (A)** and the other is labelled as **Reason (R)**.

Assertion (A) : People who are shown Television news edited to draw attention to a particular problem, assign greater importance to that problem.

Reason (R) : People learn how much importance to attach to an issue or topic from the emphasis the mass media places upon it.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate answer** from the options given below :

- (1) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct and **(R)** is the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (2) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct but **(R)** is **not** the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (3) **(A)** is correct but **(R)** is not correct
- (4) **(A)** is not correct but **(R)** is correct

Which of the following are **true** ?

- A. Some valid arguments contain false premises and a false conclusion.
- B. An argument can be invalid even if all the premises are true and the conclusion is true as well.
- C. When an argument is valid and all of its premises are true, it is called sound argument.
- D. The truth or falsity of the premises in an argument does not determine the soundness of the argument.

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A, B and C Only
- (2) A and B Only
- (3) A, C and D Only
- (4) B, C and D Only

Option 1 ID:
4324499061

Option 2 ID:
4324499062

Option 3 ID:
4324499063

Option 4 ID:
4324499064

Q. 11

Question ID: 4324492318

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 3

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I

- A. Writing Disability
- B. Socio-Economically Disadvantaged Group
- C. National Mission for Mentoring
- D. National Assessment Centre

List - II

- I. Gender Identities
- II. Dysgraphia
- III. PARAKH
- IV. NCTE

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A-IV, B-I, C-III, D-II
- (2) A-III, B-I, C-IV, D-II
- (3) A-II, B-I, C-IV, D-III
- (4) A-II, B-III, C-IV, D-I

Option 1 ID:
4324499025

Option 2 ID:
4324499026

Option 3 ID:
4324499027

Option 4 ID:
4324499028

Q. 12

Question ID: 4324492349

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 2

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I (Disaster)		List - II (Related Term)	
A.	Tropical Cyclone	I.	Solifluction
B.	Landslides	II.	Shock waves
C.	Drought	III.	Storm surges
D.	Earthquake	IV.	Famine

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A-I, B-II, C-III, D-IV
- (2) A-III, B-I, C-IV, D-II
- (3) A-II, B-I, C-III, D-IV
- (4) A-IV, B-II, C-III, D-I

Option 1 ID:
4324499149

Option 2 ID:
4324499150

Option 3 ID:
4324499151

Option 4 ID:
4324499152

Q. 13

Question ID: 4324492343

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 2

Which of the following fall in the category of primary memory ?

- A. ROM
- B. RAM
- C. Cache
- D. HDD
- E. SSD

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) B, C and D Only
- (2) A, C and E Only
- (3) A, B and D Only
- (4) A, B and C Only

Which term is **not** related to computer hardware ?

- (1) Mother board
- (2) Registers
- (3) Algorithm
- (4) Flip-flop

Option 1 ID:
4324499125

Option 2 ID:
4324499126

Option 3 ID:
4324499127

Option 4 ID:
4324499128

Q. 15

Question ID: 4324492351

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

The biogas is a mixture of _____.

- (1) Methane and ethane
- (2) Methane and hydrogen
- (3) Ethanol and methane
- (4) Oxygen and butane

Arrange the following in sequence according to Nowak and Warneryd's model of a communication campaign.

- A. Manipulative Factors
- B. Receiving Group
- C. Obtained Effect
- D. Intended Effect
- E. Points of Departure

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A, D, B, E, C
- (2) D, E, B, A, C
- (3) E, D, B, A, C
- (4) A, C, D, B, E

Option 1 ID:
4324499157

Option 2 ID:
4324499158

Option 3 ID:
4324499159

Option 4 ID:
4324499160

Q. 17

Question ID: 4324492331

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

The study of the communicative effect of time is known as :

- (1) Chronemics
- (2) Polychronic
- (3) Monochronic
- (4) Haptics

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I		List - II	
Mixed Method Design		Nature	
A.	QUAN → qual	I.	Exploratory sequential design
B.	QUAL quan	II.	Explanatory sequential design
C.	QUAL → quan	III.	Embedded design
D.	QUAN + QUAL	IV.	Convergent parallel design

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A-II, B-I, C-IV, D-III
- (2) A-III, B-II, C-I, D-IV
- (3) A-I, B-II, C-IV, D-III
- (4) A-II, B-III, C-I, D-IV

Option 1 ID:
4324499077

Option 2 ID:
4324499078

Option 3 ID:
4324499079

Option 4 ID:
4324499080

Q. 19

Question ID: 4324492338

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 2

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I (Standard Form Categorical Propositions)	List - II (Symbolic Representation)
A. All S is P.	I. $SP \neq 0$
B. No S is P.	II. $S\bar{P} \neq 0$
C. Some S is P.	III. $SP = 0$
D. Some S is not P.	IV. $S\bar{P} = 0$

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A-II, B-III, C-IV, D-I
- (2) A-III, B-I, C-II, D-IV
- (3) A-IV, B-III, C-I, D-II
- (4) A-I, B-II, C-III, D-IV

Given below are two statements : one is labelled as **Assertion (A)** and the other is labelled as **Reason (R)**.

Assertion (A) : Certain degree of intelligence is required for creative thinking.

Reason (R) : Students with high intelligence are not necessarily creative.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate answer** from the options given below :

- (1) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct and **(R)** is the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (2) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct but **(R)** is **not** the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (3) **(A)** is correct but **(R)** is not correct
- (4) **(A)** is not correct but **(R)** is correct

Option 1 ID:
4324499105

Option 2 ID:
4324499106

Option 3 ID:
4324499107

Option 4 ID:
4324499108

Q. 21

Question ID: 4324492354

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

Given below are two statements : one is labelled as **Assertion (A)** and the other is labelled as **Reason (R)**.

Assertion (A) : Education builds character, and enables learners to be ethical, rational, compassionate, and caring.

Reason (R) : Our current education policy proposes curriculum and pedagogy of Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) to develop among the students a deep sense of respect towards the fundamental duties and constitutional values.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate answer** from the options given below :

- (1) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct and **(R)** is the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (2) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct but **(R)** is **not** the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (3) **(A)** is correct but **(R)** is not correct
- (4) **(A)** is not correct but **(R)** is correct

Three years ago, the average age of a family of 5 members was 17 years. A baby was born, but the average age of the family is still the same today. The present age of the baby is :

- (1) 3 years
- (2) 4 years
- (3) 2 years
- (4) 5 years

Option 1 ID:
4324499169

Option 2 ID:
4324499170

Option 3 ID:
4324499171

Option 4 ID:
4324499172

Q. 23

Question ID: 4324492352

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

In the National Education Policy-2020, which body has been proposed to frame 'graduate attributes' for higher education programme ?

- (1) University Grants Commission
- (2) University Departments of Curriculum Studies
- (3) National Council for Teacher Education
- (4) General Education Council

Identify the correct logical sequence for programming :

- A. Compilation
- B. Editing
- C. Linking
- D. Execution

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) D, B, A, C
- (2) A, B, D, C
- (3) A, B, C, D
- (4) B, A, C, D

Option 1 ID:
4324499161

Option 2 ID:
4324499162

Option 3 ID:
4324499163

Option 4 ID:
4324499164

Q. 25

Question ID: 4324492356

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I	List - II
Body of a University	Function
A. Court/Senate	I. Principle decision making body on academic matters
B. Executive Council	II. To review and advise on the broad policies of the university
C. Academic Council	III. Highest decision making body having members from various fields
D. Board of Studies	IV. Department specific academic body

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A-III, B-II, C-IV, D-I
 (2) A-II, B-IV, C-I, D-III
 (3) A-IV, B-I, C-III, D-II
 (4) A-II, B-III, C-I, D-IV

Identify the correct mathematical statement(s) :

- A. If the cost price of 10 articles is equal to selling price of 9 articles, then profit is 10%.
- B. $4\frac{2}{3} + 3\frac{1}{2} - 1\frac{2}{3} = \frac{13}{2}$
- C. If $\frac{x}{y} = \frac{2}{75}$, then $\frac{y-x}{y+x} = \frac{77}{73}$
- D. $\frac{1}{0.04}$ is equal to 25

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) B and D Only
 (2) A and B Only
 (3) B, C and D Only
 (4) D Only

Option 1 ID:
4324499177

Option 2 ID:
4324499178

Option 3 ID:
4324499179

Option 4 ID:
4324499180

Q. 27

Question ID: 4324492325

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

Qualitative content analysis of documents relating to different time periods, pertains to which of the following research designs ?

- (1) cross-sectional
- (2) longitudinal
- (3) comparative
- (4) experimental

Given below are two statements : one is labelled as **Assertion (A)** and the other is labelled as **Reason (R)**.

Assertion (A) : Increase in average sea surface temperature will contribute towards enhancement of atmospheric CO₂ concentration.

Reason (R) : Increase in sea surface temperature increases the solubility of CO₂ in ocean water.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate answer** from the options given below :

- (1) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct and **(R)** is the correct explanation of **(A)**
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- (4) **(A)** is not correct but **(R)** is correct

Option 1 ID:
4324499053

Option 2 ID:
4324499054

Option 3 ID:
4324499055

Option 4 ID:
4324499056

Q. 29

Question ID: 4324492321

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 3

Being a constructivist teacher, you will **NOT** do what ?

- (1) Making your learner more active.
- (2) Giving opportunity to learners to integrate what is presented and what they already know.
- (3) Considering learners as sense makers who construct knowledge.
- (4) Giving study materials to learners to recall the contents proficiently.

All bipeds are rational.

Swans are bipeds.

∴ Swans are rational.

commits the fallacy (hetvābhāsa) of :

- (1) Asiddha
- (2) Satpratipakṣa
- (3) Savyabhicāra
- (4) Viruddha

Option 1 ID:
4324499037

Option 2 ID:
4324499038

Option 3 ID:
4324499039

Option 4 ID:
4324499040

Q. 31

Question ID: 4324492323

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 4

Identify the correct sequence of steps in the process of deduction from the following :

- A. Data Collection
- B. Hypothesis Testing
- C. Theory
- D. Findings
- E. Hypothesis Formulation

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) E, A, D, B, C
- (2) C, E, A, D, B
- (3) E, A, B, D, C
- (4) C, A, D, E, B

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I		List - II	
Word		Code	
A.	BROWN	I.	50
B.	TRING	II.	72
C.	APPLE	III.	67
D.	WATER	IV.	68

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A-II, B-IV, C-I, D-III
- (2) A-I, B-II, C-IV, D-III
- (3) A-II, B-I, C-IV, D-III
- (4) A-IV, B-II, C-III, D-I

Option 1 ID:
4324499045

Option 2 ID:
4324499046

Option 3 ID:
4324499047

Option 4 ID:
4324499048

Q. 33

Question ID: 4324492350

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 4

The Blue-Baby Syndrome is caused by the contamination of _____ in drinking water.

- (1) Mercury
- (2) Lead
- (3) Nitrate
- (4) Arsenic

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I

- A. Phishing
- B. Pharming
- C. Spyware
- D. Virus

List - II

- I. Malicious code installed on a user's computer or a web server
- II. Creator sends out legitimate-looking emails to target users
- III. Code that can replicate itself with the intention of deleting or corrupting files on the computer
- IV. Software that gathers data by monitoring key presses on a user's computer keyboard

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A-I, B-III, C-II, D-IV
- (2) A-I, B-II, C-IV, D-III
- (3) A-II, B-I, C-IV, D-III
- (4) A-I, B-IV, C-II, D-III

Option 1 ID:
4324499153

Option 2 ID:
4324499154

Option 3 ID:
4324499155

Option 4 ID:
4324499156

Q. 35

Question ID: 4324492353

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 4

Which among the following is **not** true with regards to the UGC guidelines (2022) for pursuing two academic programmes simultaneously ?

- (1) Two full time academic programmes in physical mode are allowed if the class timings for one programme do not overlap with the class timings of the other programme.
- (2) Two academic programmes, one in full time physical mode and another in Open and Distance Learning (ODL)/Online mode are allowed simultaneously.
- (3) Degree or diploma programmes under ODL/Online mode shall be pursued with only such Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) as recognized by UGC/Statutory Council/Govt. of India for running such programmes.
- (4) A student can pursue one full time academic programmes along with Ph.D. in physical mode.

Arrange the following bodies in the chronological order of their establishment :

- A. University Grants Commission
- B. Central Advisory Board on Education
- C. National Educational Technology Forum
- D. Indira Gandhi National Open University
- E. National Medical Commission

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) B, D, E, C, A
- (2) A, B, E, C, D
- (3) A, B, C, D, E
- (4) B, A, D, E, C

Option 1 ID:
4324499165

Option 2 ID:
4324499166

Option 3 ID:
4324499167

Option 4 ID:
4324499168

Q. 37

Question ID: 4324492322

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 2

A box plot is useful for displaying information on :

- A. outliers
- B. correlation
- C. median
- D. autocovariance

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A and B Only
- (2) B and C Only
- (3) A and C Only
- (4) A, C and D Only

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I (Term)	List - II (Meaning/Related with)
A. Affirmation	I. Attempt to undermine an image
B. Reaffirmation	II. Creation of a particular mental image for the audience
C. Purification	III. Refining a previously established image for the audience
D. Subversion	IV. Revitalizing an image for the audience

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A-III, B-IV, C-II, D-I
- (2) A-II, B-IV, C-III, D-I
- (3) A-I, B-IV, C-II, D-III
- (4) A-III, B-II, C-IV, D-I

Option 1 ID:
4324499041

Option 2 ID:
4324499042

Option 3 ID:
4324499043

Option 4 ID:
4324499044

Q. 39

Question ID: 4324492341

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 4

Which of the following are **true** ?

- A. In Equivocation fallacy, two or more meanings of the same word create confusion.
- B. Amphiboly is not a fallacy of Ambiguity.
- C. Accent is a fallacy that moves in a circle.
- D. Composition and division are fallacies of ambiguity.

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A and D Only
- (2) B and C Only
- (3) A and B Only
- (4) A, B, C and D

View of mass communication as the representation of shared belief where reality is produced, maintained, repaired, and transformed, is known as the :

- (1) Transmissional Perspective
- (2) Publicity Perspective
- (3) Ritual Perspective
- (4) Critical Perspective

Option 1 ID:
4324499117

Option 2 ID:
4324499118

Option 3 ID:
4324499119

Option 4 ID:
4324499120

Q. 41

Question ID: 4324492320

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 3

Arrange the following sheaths of personality from lower order to higher order :

- A. Anandmaya Kosh (Blissful Sheath)
- B. Pranmaya Kosh (Vital Sheath)
- C. Annamay Kosh (Physical Sheath)
- D. Vijnanmaya Kosh (Intellect Sheath)
- E. Manomaya Kosh (Mental Sheath)

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) E, D, C, B, A
- (2) C, B, E, D, A
- (3) B, E, D, C, A
- (4) E, D, A, C, B

Option 1 ID:
4324499033

Option 2 ID:
4324499034

Option 3 ID:
4324499035

Option 4 ID:
4324499036

Q. 42

Question ID: 4324492334

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

Arrange the following fractions in ascending order :

A. $\frac{5}{8}$

B. $\frac{7}{12}$

C. $\frac{13}{16}$

D. $\frac{16}{29}$

E. $\frac{3}{4}$

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) $B < D < A < C < E$
- (2) $B < C < D < E < A$
- (3) $D < B < A < E < C$
- (4) $D < E < B < A < C$

Which aspect of security ensures that information is not altered by any unauthorised person ?

- (1) Confidentiality
- (2) Integrity
- (3) Authentication
- (4) Privacy

Option 1 ID:
4324499089

Option 2 ID:
4324499090

Option 3 ID:
4324499091

Option 4 ID:
4324499092

Q. 44

Question ID: 4324492339

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 2

Given below are two statements : one is labelled as **Assertion (A)** and the other is labelled as **Reason (R)**.

Assertion (A) : An argument can never be valid, if all the premises are false and conclusion is false as well.

Reason (R) : If an argument is valid and its premises are true, we may be certain that its conclusion is true also.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate answer** from the options given below :

- (1) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct and **(R)** is the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (2) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct but **(R)** is **not** the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (3) **(A)** is correct but **(R)** is not correct
- (4) **(A)** is not correct but **(R)** is correct

As per the information processing approach of learning, which of the following statements is **NOT** correct ?

- (1) Learning is the construction of knowledge.
- (2) Memory is the storage of knowledge.
- (3) Thinking is the logical manipulation of knowledge.
- (4) This approach doesn't categorize the types of knowledge.

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
4324499110

Option 3 ID:
4324499111

Option 4 ID:
4324499112

Q. 46

Question ID: 4324492359

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 2

Comprehension (SubQuestion No : 46)

Read the following passage and answer the questions :

John B. Watson, an animal experimentalist who argued that all human action is merely a conditioned response to external environmental stimuli, first popularized stimulus-response psychology. Watson's theory became known as behaviorism in recognition of its narrow focus on isolated human behaviors. Behaviorists rejected psychology's widely held assumption that higher mental processes (that is, conscious thought or reflection) ordinarily control human action. In contrast to such "mentalist" views, behaviorists argued that the only purpose served by consciousness was to rationalize behaviors after they are triggered by external stimuli. Behaviorists attempted to purge all mentalist terms from their theories and to deal strictly with observable variables - environmental stimuli on the one hand and behaviors on the other. By studying the associations that existed between specific stimuli and specific behaviors, behaviorists hoped to discover previously unknown causes for action. One of the central notions in behaviorism was the idea of conditioning. Behaviorists argued that most human behavior is the result of conditioning by the external environment. We are conditioned to act in certain ways by positive and negative stimuli - we act to gain rewards or avoid punishments.

In the passage, instead of the word 'purge', which of the following words can be used :

- (1) atone
- (2) acquit
- (3) kill
- (4) cleanse

Option 1 ID:
4324499185

Option 2 ID:
4324499186

Option 3 ID:
4324499187

Option 4 ID:
4324499188

Q. 47

Question ID: 4324492362

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 2

Comprehension (SubQuestion No : 47)

Read the following passage and answer the questions :

John B. Watson, an animal experimentalist who argued that all human action is merely a conditioned response to external environmental stimuli, first popularized stimulus-response psychology. Watson's theory became known as behaviorism in recognition of its narrow focus on isolated human behaviors. Behaviorists rejected psychology's widely held assumption that higher mental processes (that is, conscious thought or reflection) ordinarily control human action. In contrast to such "mentalist" views, behaviorists argued that the only purpose served by consciousness was to rationalize behaviors after they are triggered by external stimuli. Behaviorists attempted to purge all mentalist terms from their theories and to deal strictly with observable variables - environmental stimuli on the one hand and behaviors on the other. By studying the associations that existed between specific stimuli and specific behaviors, behaviorists hoped to discover previously unknown causes for action. One of the central notions in behaviorism was the idea of conditioning. Behaviorists argued that most human behavior is the result of conditioning by the external environment. We are conditioned to act in certain ways by positive and negative stimuli - we act to gain rewards or avoid punishments.

When people want a reward, they behave in a certain way because of :

- (1) motivation
- (2) positive stimulus
- (3) reflection
- (4) negative stimulus

Option 1 ID:
4324499197

Option 2 ID:
4324499198

Option 3 ID:
4324499199

Option 4 ID:
4324499200

Q. 48

Question ID: 4324492358

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

Comprehension (SubQuestion No : 48)

Read the following passage and answer the questions :

John B. Watson, an animal experimentalist who argued that all human action is merely a conditioned response to external environmental stimuli, first popularized stimulus-response psychology. Watson's theory became known as behaviorism in recognition of its narrow focus on isolated human behaviors. Behaviorists rejected psychology's widely held assumption that higher mental processes (that is, conscious thought or reflection) ordinarily control human action. In contrast to such "mentalist" views, behaviorists argued that the only purpose served by consciousness was to rationalize behaviors after they are triggered by external stimuli. Behaviorists attempted to purge all mentalist terms from their theories and to deal strictly with observable variables - environmental stimuli on the one hand and behaviors on the other. By studying the associations that existed between specific stimuli and specific behaviors, behaviorists hoped to discover previously unknown causes for action. One of the central notions in behaviorism was the idea of conditioning. Behaviorists argued that most human behavior is the result of conditioning by the external environment. We are conditioned to act in certain ways by positive and negative stimuli - we act to gain rewards or avoid punishments.

Behaviorists do **not** recognise which of the following in their study of human action ?

- (1) Conscious thought
- (2) Environmental stimuli
- (3) Negative stimulus
- (4) Isolated human behavior

Option 1 ID:
4324499181Option 2 ID:
4324499182Option 3 ID:
4324499183Option 4 ID:
4324499184

Q. 49

Question ID: 4324492361

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

Comprehension (SubQuestion No : 49)

Read the following passage and answer the questions :

John B. Watson, an animal experimentalist who argued that all human action is merely a conditioned response to external environmental stimuli, first popularized stimulus-response psychology. Watson's theory became known as behaviorism in recognition of its narrow focus on isolated human behaviors. Behaviorists rejected psychology's widely held assumption that higher mental processes (that is, conscious thought or reflection) ordinarily control human action. In contrast to such "mentalist" views, behaviorists argued that the only purpose served by consciousness was to rationalize behaviors after they are triggered by external stimuli. Behaviorists attempted to purge all mentalist terms from their theories and to deal strictly with observable variables - environmental stimuli on the one hand and behaviors on the other. By studying the associations that existed between specific stimuli and specific behaviors, behaviorists hoped to discover previously unknown causes for action. One of the central notions in behaviorism was the idea of conditioning. Behaviorists argued that most human behavior is the result of conditioning by the external environment. We are conditioned to act in certain ways by positive and negative stimuli - we act to gain rewards or avoid punishments.

One widely - held assumption of Psychology is that :

- (1) Conscious thought usually controls human action.
- (2) The purpose of consciousness is only to rationalize behaviour.
- (3) Human action is always a conditioned response.
- (4) Conditioning by the external environmental factors leads to a specific behaviour.

Option 1 ID:
4324499193

Option 2 ID:
4324499194

Option 3 ID:
4324499195

Option 4 ID:
4324499196

Q. 50

Question ID: 4324492360

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 3

Comprehension (SubQuestion No : 50)

Read the following passage and answer the questions :

John B. Watson, an animal experimentalist who argued that all human action is merely a conditioned response to external environmental stimuli, first popularized stimulus-response psychology. Watson's theory became known as behaviorism in recognition of its narrow focus on isolated human behaviors. Behaviorists rejected psychology's widely held assumption that higher mental processes (that is, conscious thought or reflection) ordinarily control human action. In contrast to such "mentalist" views, behaviorists argued that the only purpose served by consciousness was to rationalize behaviors after they are triggered by external stimuli. Behaviorists attempted to purge all mentalist terms from their theories and to deal strictly with observable variables - environmental stimuli on the one hand and behaviors on the other. By studying the associations that existed between specific stimuli and specific behaviors, behaviorists hoped to discover previously unknown causes for action. One of the central notions in behaviorism was the idea of conditioning. Behaviorists argued that most human behavior is the result of conditioning by the external environment. We are conditioned to act in certain ways by positive and negative stimuli - we act to gain rewards or avoid punishments.

According to Behaviorism, all human action is :

- (1) Conscious behaviour
- (2) Isolated action
- (3) Conditioned response
- (4) Conscious thought

Option 1 ID:
4324499189

Option 2 ID:
4324499190

Option 3 ID:
4324499191

Option 4 ID:
4324499192

Q. 51

Question ID: 4324492439

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I	List - II
Concepts	Thinkers
A. Dynamic density	I. Max Weber
B. False Consciousness	II. Georg Simmel
C. Substantive rationality	III. Emile Durkheim
D. Sociation	IV. Karl Marx

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A-III, B-IV, C-I, D-II
- (2) A-IV, B-I, C-II, D-III
- (3) A-I, B-II, C-III, D-IV
- (4) A-II, B-III, C-IV, D-I

Given below are two statements : one is labelled as **Assertion (A)** and the other is labelled as **Reason (R)**.

Assertion (A) : On the view of Greater Homogeneity A.R. Desai, says 'The Rural family is a more homogenous, stable, integrated and organically functioning than urban family'.

Reason (R) : The ties binding the members of the rural family, for instance the husband and the wife, parents and children, are stronger and last longer than those in the case of the urban family.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate answer** from the options given below :

- (1) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct and **(R)** is the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (2) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct but **(R)** is **not** the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (3) **(A)** is correct but **(R)** is not correct
- (4) **(A)** is not correct but **(R)** is correct

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
4324499507

Option 4 ID:
4324499508

Q. 53

Question ID: 4324492420

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

Arrange the following works in the field of Media in the chronological order :

- A. R. Jenkin - Convergence culture : where old and new media collide
- B. S. Cohen - The social manufacture of news : Deviance, social problems and the mass media
- C. R.L. Keeble and J. Mair - The phone hacking scandal : Journalism on Trial
- D. B.A. McCable and G.M. Martin - School violence, the media and criminal justice responses

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A, B, C, D
- (2) D, C, B, A
- (3) B, D, A, C
- (4) C, A, D, B

Who gave the concept of 'bifurcated consciousness' ?

- (1) Judith Butler
- (2) Patricia Hill Collins
- (3) Dorothy E. Smith
- (4) Jessie Bernard

Option 1 ID:
4324499429

Option 2 ID:
4324499430

Option 3 ID:
4324499431

Option 4 ID:
4324499432

Q. 55

Question ID: 4324492411

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 2

Given below are two statements : one is labelled as **Assertion (A)** and the other is labelled as **Reason (R)**.

Assertion (A) : Family fragmentation still continues to be a major political phenomenon in the Indian social structure.

Reason (R) : I.P. Desai studied structure of nuclear and joint families on the sentimental criteria of jointness in Mahuva.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate answer** from the options given below :

- (1) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct and **(R)** is the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (2) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct but **(R)** is **not** the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (3) **(A)** is correct but **(R)** is not correct
- (4) **(A)** is not correct but **(R)** is correct

Given below are two statements : one is labelled as **Assertion (A)** and the other is labelled as **Reason (R)**.

Assertion (A) : According to Michel Foucault, power and knowledge are organically connected to each other.

Reason (R) : The source of power is not necessarily derived from knowledge.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate answer** from the options given below :

- (1) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct and **(R)** is the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (2) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct but **(R)** is **not** the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (3) **(A)** is correct but **(R)** is not correct
- (4) **(A)** is not correct but **(R)** is correct

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 57

Question ID: 4324492428

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 2

Which of the following terms are associated with Anthony Giddens ?

- A. Sequestration
- B. Juggernaut of modernity
- C. Reflexivity of modernity
- D. Alienation among industrial workers

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A, B, C only
- (2) B, C, D only
- (3) A, B, D only
- (4) A, C, D only

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I	List - II
Authors	Works
A. Erving Goffman	I. The Theory of communicative action
B. Michel Foucault	II. Social theory and social structure
C. Jurgen Habermas	III. Presentation of self in everyday life
D. R.K. Merton	IV. Discipline and punish

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A-II, B-III, C-I, D-IV
- (2) A-IV, B-I, C-III, D-II
- (3) A-III, B-IV, C-I, D-II
- (4) A-I, B-III, C-IV, D-II

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 59

Question ID: 4324492395

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 4

'The animal is immediately one with its life activity.... Man makes his life activity itself the object of his will and of his consciousness'. Who said this ?

- (1) Emile Durkheim
- (2) Max Weber
- (3) Karl Marx
- (4) Erving Goffman

Chronologically arrange the following concepts in the Marxian framework :

- A. Class
- B. Class-in-itself
- C. Class-for-itself
- D. Class conflict

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) B, C, D, A
- (2) C, D, A, B
- (3) A, B, C, D
- (4) D, A, B, C

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
4324499331

Option 4 ID:
4324499332

Q. 61

Question ID: 4324492381

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

Which Constitutional Amendment added the Ninth Schedule to protect land reforms laws from Judicial Review ?

- (1) 42nd Amendment
- (2) 1st Amendment
- (3) 44th Amendment
- (4) 73rd Amendment

Which of the following are true about G. Myrdal's position on theory of social change and development in India ?

- A. Universal stage of growth
- B. Cumulative change
- C. Traditional growth
- D. Circular causation

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A and C only
- (2) B and D only
- (3) A and D only
- (4) C and D only

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 63

Question ID: 4324492421

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

Chronologically arrange the following perspectives in terms of their origin in sociological literature :

- A. Postmodernism
- B. Poststructuralism
- C. Interactionism
- D. Marxism

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) D, C, B, A
- (2) A, D, B, C
- (3) B, C, D, A
- (4) C, B, D, A

With reference to Karl Marx which of the following is **not** a component of alienation ?

- (1) Alienation from the product
- (2) Alienation from kinship
- (3) Alienation from the human potential
- (4) Alienation from the fellow workers

Option 1 ID:
4324499433

Option 2 ID:
4324499434

Option 3 ID:
4324499435

Option 4 ID:
4324499436

Q. 65

Question ID: 4324492450

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 2

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I		List - II	
Scholar		Perspective	
A.	G.S. Ghurye	I.	Civilizational Perspective
B.	D.P. Mukerji	II.	Subaltern Perspective
C.	N.K. Bose	III.	Marxist Perspective
D.	David Hardiman	IV.	Indological Perspective

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A-I, B-II, C-III, D-IV
- (2) A-IV, B-III, C-I, D-II
- (3) A-III, B-IV, C-II, D-I
- (4) A-II, B-I, C-IV, D-III

Which Committee appointed after independence recommended comprehensive agrarian reform measures including the abolition of intermediaries ?

- (1) Balwant Rai Mehra Committee
- (2) Kumarappa Committee
- (3) Kothari Committee
- (4) M.S. Swaminathan Committee

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 67

Question ID: 4324492416

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 2

Chronologically arrange the following environmental movements in India :

- A. Bishnoi Movement
- B. Chipko Movement
- C. The Silent valley Movement
- D. Narmada Bachao Andolan

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) B, C, D, A
- (2) A, B, C, D
- (3) C, D, A, B
- (4) D, A, B, C

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I	List - II
Scholars	Theories
A. R.E. Park and E. Burgess	I. Social Area Analysis
B. Homer Hoyt	II. Multi Centred model
C. R.J. Johnston	III. Sector theory
D. C. Harris and E. Ullman	IV. Concentric zone theory

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A-IV, B-III, C-I, D-II
- (2) A-IV, B-II, C-III, D-I
- (3) A-I, B-III, C-IV, D-II
- (4) A-III, B-II, C-IV, D-I

Option 1 ID:
4324499413

Option 2 ID:
4324499414

Option 3 ID:
4324499415

Option 4 ID:
4324499416

Q. 69

Question ID: 4324492401

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 3

Who among the following wrote the book 'Orientalism : Western Conceptions of the Orient' ?

- (1) Michel Foucault
- (2) Manuel Castells
- (3) Edward Said
- (4) Pierre Bourdieu

Given below are two statements : one is labelled as **Assertion (A)** and the other is labelled as **Reason (R)**.

Assertion (A) : Anthony Giddens argues that modernity is not a dynamic phenomenon.

Reason (R) : The juggernaut of modernity will increase the pace of changes in the society.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate answer** from the options given below :

- (1) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct and **(R)** is the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (2) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct but **(R)** is **not** the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (3) **(A)** is correct but **(R)** is not correct
- (4) **(A)** is not correct but **(R)** is correct

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 71

Question ID: 4324492443

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I	List - II
Book Title	Author
A. The Gift : The form and reason for exchange in archaic societies	I. C.M. Hann
B. The Great Transformation : The political and economic origins of our time	II. Barbara Harriss White
C. Property relations : Renewing the Anthropological tradition	III. M. Mauss
D. India working : Essays on society and economy	IV. Karl Polyani

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A-III, B-IV, C-II, D-I
- (2) A-I, B-II, C-IV, D-III
- (3) A-III, B-IV, C-I, D-II
- (4) A-IV, B-II, C-III, D-I

The situation in which our relationship to the environment, while yielding short-term benefits, will have profound, negative long-term consequences is known as _____.

- (1) Environmental Racism
- (2) Environmental Deficit
- (3) Ecological Footprint
- (4) Carbon Footprint

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
4324499523

Option 4 ID:
4324499524

Q. 73

Question ID: 4324492386

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

The equiprobability of selection to every unit in a universe refers to _____.

- (1) Random Sampling
- (2) Convenience Sampling
- (3) Purposive Sampling
- (4) Double Sampling

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I	List - II
Perspective	Thinker
A. Functionalist Perspective	I. Erving Goffman
B. Conflict Perspective	II. R.K. Merton
C. Interactionist Perspective	III. Lewis Coser
D. Structuralist Perspective	IV. C. Levi Strauss

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A-II, B-III, C-I, D-IV
- (2) A-III, B-IV, C-I, D-II
- (3) A-IV, B-III, C-II, D-I
- (4) A-I, B-III, C-II, D-IV

Option 1 ID:
4324499293

Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 75

Question ID: 4324492430

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 2

In the Parsonian framework, which of the following combinations of pattern variables of role definition is/are true :

- A. Self-orientation Vs. Affective neutrality
- B. Universalism Vs. Achievement
- C. Specificity Vs. Diffuseness
- D. Achievement Vs. Ascription
- E. Effectivity Vs. Traditional neutrality

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A and B only
- (2) B and D only
- (3) C and D only
- (4) A and E only

Who among the following provided systematic statement about philosophical foundations of Sociology and other social sciences and pleaded for non-compartmentalization of knowledge into the narrow grooves of disciplines ?

- (1) Radha Kamal Mukherjee
- (2) Irawati Karve
- (3) Rama Krishna Mukherjee
- (4) P.C. Joshi

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 77

Question ID: 4324492400

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 2

Which of the following aspects is correct about B.R. Ambedkar ?

- (1) He wanted to reform Varna
- (2) He condemned the Varna system and wanted to annihilate Caste
- (3) He celebrated the Varna system
- (4) He was indifferent to the Varna system

G.S. Ghurye wrote the following books. Identify the correct chronological sequence of these publications :

- A. Indian Sadhus
- B. I and other Explorations
- C. Caste and Race in India
- D. Gods and Men

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) C, A, D, B
- (2) D, C, A, B
- (3) B, D, A, C
- (4) D, A, B, C

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
4324499351

Option 4 ID:
4324499352

Q. 79

Question ID: 4324492425

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 4

Arrange the following Acts related to family and marriage in the chronological order :

- A. The Hindu Minority and Guardian Act
- B. Parsi marriage and Divorce Act
- C. Hindu Marriage Act
- D. Special Marriage Act

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) C, A, D, B
- (2) A, D, B, C
- (3) C, B, A, D
- (4) B, D, C, A

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I	List - II
Author	Book
A. Arjun Appadurai	I. The Clash of civilizations and the remaking of world order
B. Benjamin Barber	II. Rethinking sociology - A critique of contemporary theory
C. Samuel P. Huntington	III. Modernity at large : Cultural dimension of globalization
D. Irving Zeitlin	IV. Jihad vs McWorld

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A-III, B-IV, C-I, D-II
- (2) A-IV, B-I, C-II, D-III
- (3) A-III, B-II, C-I, D-IV
- (4) A-II, B-III, C-IV, D-I

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
4324499450

Option 3 ID:
4324499451

Option 4 ID:
4324499452

Q. 81

Question ID: 4324492404

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 2

Given below are two statements : one is labelled as **Assertion (A)** and the other is labelled as **Reason (R)**.

Assertion (A) : The Sociology of Disability and Impairment relates to the study of stigma and stigmatization.

Reason (R) : The Disability movement has been based on the creation of a social model of disability which is a direct challenge to the medical model.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate answer** from the options given below :

- (1) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct and **(R)** is the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (2) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct but **(R)** is **not** the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (3) **(A)** is correct but **(R)** is not correct
- (4) **(A)** is not correct but **(R)** is correct

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I		List - II	
Authors		Works	
A.	Judith Butler	I.	The Feminine Mystique
B.	S. Firestone	II.	Ain't I a woman ? Black Women and Feminism
C.	bell hooks	III.	Gender Trouble : Feminism and the Subversion of Identity
D.	Betty Friedan	IV.	The Dialectic of sex : The Case for Feminist Revolution

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A-III, B-IV, C-II, D-I
- (2) A-I, B-II, C-III, D-IV
- (3) A-IV, B-I, C-II, D-III
- (4) A-III, B-II, C-I, D-IV

Option 1 ID:
4324499365

Option 2 ID:
4324499366

Option 3 ID:
4324499367

Option 4 ID:
4324499368

Q. 83

Question ID: 4324492414

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 3

Arrange the following in order as suggested by Goode and Hatt (1952) in their work "Methods in Social Research" :

- A. Studying literature on the subject
- B. Analyzing the Problem
- C. Formalising the Steps in Conceptual Respecification
- D. Development of Hypothesis
- E. Contact with the Phenomena being studied

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) B, C, D, E, A
- (2) C, D, A, B, E
- (3) A, B, C, D, E
- (4) E, C, A, B, D

Who is associated with the work 'Mind, Self and Society' ?

- (1) Jurgen Habermas
- (2) Anthony Giddens
- (3) George Herbert Mead
- (4) Michel Foucault

Option 1 ID:
4324499405

Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
4324499407

Option 4 ID:
4324499408

Q. 85

Question ID: 4324492384

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 4

Who among the following refers to material and non-material social facts ?

- (1) Talcott Parsons
- (2) Robert K. Merton
- (3) Max Weber
- (4) Emile Durkheim

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I	List - II
Contribution	Scholar
A. Bipolar Model	I. Mckim Marriott
B. Multipolar Model	II. L.P. Vidyarthi
C. Universalization and Parochialization	III. Y. Singh
D. Sacred Complex	IV. S.C. Dube

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A-III, B-IV, C-I, D-II
- (2) A-IV, B-I, C-II, D-III
- (3) A-I, B-II, C-III, D-IV
- (4) A-II, B-III, C-IV, D-I

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Q. 87

Question ID: 4324492445

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 4

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I		List - II	
Authors		Works	
A.	Paul Robinson	I.	The sexual life of savages
B.	Bronislaw Malinowski	II.	The History of sexuality
C.	Michel Foucault	III.	Three Essays on the theory of sexuality
D.	Sigmund Freud	IV.	The Modernization of sex

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A-III, B-II, C-IV, D-I
- (2) A-III, B-I, C-II, D-IV
- (3) A-III, B-II, C-I, D-IV
- (4) A-IV, B-I, C-II, D-III

Who among the following discussed the term 'qualitative comparative analysis (QCA)' ?

- (1) Charles Ragin (The Comparative Method, 1987)
- (2) Max Weber (Critique of Stammler, 1977)
- (3) A.R. Nisbet (Sociology as an Art Form, 1976)
- (4) F.W. Taylor (Scientific Management, 1964)

Option 1 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 89

Question ID: 4324492392

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 3

Who said that, "I never let my schooling get in the way of my education" ?

- (1) Jaques Derrida
- (2) Michel Foucault
- (3) Ivan Illich
- (4) Mark Twain

According to Emile Durkheim, an increase in which of the following would lead to the growth of division of labour in society ?

- A. Material density
- B. Moral density
- C. Volume
- D. Consumerism

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A, B, D only
- (2) A, B, C only
- (3) A, C, D only
- (4) B, C, D only

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Q. 91

Question ID: 4324492397

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 2

According to Michel Foucault, a structure that allows someone in power the possibility of complete observation of a group of people is known as _____.

- (1) Telecast tower
- (2) Panopticon
- (3) Minaret
- (4) Light house

'Identity politics' is associated with which of the following theories of social movements ?

- (1) Evolutionary Theory
- (2) New Social Movement Theory
- (3) Marxist Theory
- (4) Functionalist Theory

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Q. 93

Question ID: 4324492405

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 4

Given below are two statements : one is labelled as **Assertion (A)** and the other is labelled as **Reason (R)**.

Assertion (A) : The conflict in the sphere of industry do not affect other spheres of society, they remain confined.

Reason (R) : For Dahrendorf conflict is not only regulated but insulated as well.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate answer** from the options given below :

- (1) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct and **(R)** is the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (2) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct but **(R)** is **not** the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (3) **(A)** is correct but **(R)** is not correct
- (4) **(A)** is not correct but **(R)** is correct

According to Durkheim, if crime is inevitable, what is the function of punishment ?

- (1) To break the law
- (2) To remove crime in society
- (3) To create a society of saints
- (4) To maintain the collective sentiments

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 95

Question ID: 4324492413

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 3

Chronologically identify the sequence of the following publications :

- A. The Division of Labour in society
- B. The Elementary Forms of Religious Life
- C. Economy and Society
- D. The Protestant Ethic and the Spirit of Capitalism

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) D, B, C, A
- (2) A, D, B, C
- (3) A, B, D, C
- (4) C, A, D, B

On the issue of transformation of intimacy, Lawrence Stone (1980), discussed the phased model of family in the ascending order as follows :

- A. Close emotional bond with a high degree of domestic privacy
- B. Family was open-ended, low-keyed, unemotional
- C. Transitional form having marital and parental love
- D. Affective individualism geared to consumption

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) B, C, A, D
- (2) D, B, C, A
- (3) A, B, D, C
- (4) C, B, A, D

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Q. 97

Question ID: 4324492396

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 3

Which of the following is **not** associated with modernity, as explained by Anthony Giddens ?

- (1) Distanciation
- (2) Disembedding
- (3) Pessimism
- (4) Reflexivity

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I	List - II
Concept	Scholar
A. Trust & Power	I. Herbert Marcuse
B. The Culture industry	II. Pierre Bourdieu
C. One-dimensional society	III. Niklas Luhmann
D. Habitus	IV. Theodor Adorno

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A-III, B-IV, C-I, D-II
- (2) A-IV, B-I, C-II, D-III
- (3) A-I, B-IV, C-III, D-II
- (4) A-II, B-III, C-IV, D-I

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 99

Question ID: 4324492415

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 4

Arrange the following movements in terms of their occurrence :

- A. Moplah Rebellion
- B. Naxalbari movement
- C. Indigo Rebellion
- D. Tebhaga movement

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A, B, C, D
- (2) D, C, A, B
- (3) C, A, D, B
- (4) C, D, A, B

Diaspora as a dispersion of people throughout the world indicates _____.

- A. Lack of Solidarity with members of the same ethnic group
- B. Emergence of expatriate communities
- C. Greater cultural hybridity
- D. Complete dissociation from the foreign areas

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A and B only
- (2) B and C only
- (3) C and D only
- (4) A and D only

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 101

Question ID: 4324492394

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

In the work "Primitive classification" (1903), Emile Durkheim and _____ consider, "Culture only becomes possible once humans are able to distinguish between things and classify them".

- (1) Marcel Mauss
- (2) Geral Handel
- (3) Dominic Strinati
- (4) Chriotopher Jencks

Who said "urban relationships are not only specialised and impersonal, but they are also founded on self interest" ?

- (1) Louis Wirth
- (2) M.S.A. Rao
- (3) M. Davis
- (4) R.E. Park

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 103

Question ID: 4324492371

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

Who defined power as 'the probability that one actor within a social relationship will be in a position to carry out his own will despite resistance, regardless of the basis on which this probability rests' ?

- (1) Talcott Parsons
- (2) Max Weber
- (3) Emile Durkheim
- (4) R.K. Merton

'Planet earth itself should be seen as a living organism, inside which humans and other species each have a vital part to play', is known as _____.

- (1) Kyoto Protocol
- (2) Green House effect
- (3) Carbon Foot print
- (4) Gaia Hypothesis

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 105

Question ID: 4324492374

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 3

Who among the following made this statement ? 'City is a crush of people, objects and events'.

- (1) Manuel Castells
- (2) Mc Kenze
- (3) Georg Simmel
- (4) N. Sassen

Arrange the following disasters in the chronological order :

- A. B.P. oil explosion in Gulf of Mexico
- B. Torrey Canyon oil slick
- C. Chernobyl nuclear explosion
- D. Union carbide pesticide explosion, Bhopal

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A, C, B, D
- (2) D, A, C, B
- (3) B, D, C, A
- (4) A, B, D, C

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Q. 107

Question ID: 4324492372

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 3

Who among the following has done a classic ethnographic study of a street gang in the major city in the Eastern United States in the 1940s ?

- (1) E. Wolf
- (2) H. Blumer
- (3) William F. Whyte
- (4) B. Malinowski

Identify the sequence of the following publications by Pierre Bourdieu :

- A. The Logic of practice
- B. An Invitation to Reflexive Sociology
- C. Outline of a Theory of practice
- D. Masculine Domination

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) C, A, B, D
- (2) A, C, B, D
- (3) A, B, C, D
- (4) D, A, C, B

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 109

Question ID: 4324492412

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

Given below are two statements : one is labelled as **Assertion (A)** and the other is labelled as **Reason (R)**.

Assertion (A) : Marx argued that capitalism is an inherently unstable system.

Reason (R) : The internal contradictions of the capitalist system will become increasingly acute.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate answer** from the options given below :

- (1) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct and **(R)** is the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (2) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct but **(R)** is **not** the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (3) **(A)** is correct but **(R)** is not correct
- (4) **(A)** is not correct but **(R)** is correct

What is the most elementary form of religion according to Emile Durkheim ?

- (1) Totemism
- (2) Animism
- (3) Animatism
- (4) Confucianism

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 111

Question ID: 4324492451

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I		List - II	
Thinkers		Concepts	
A.	Emile Durkheim	I.	Alienation
B.	Karl Marx	II.	Mechanical and organic solidarity
C.	Max Weber	III.	Social system
D.	Talcott Parsons	IV.	Bureaucracy

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A-II, B-I, C-IV, D-III
- (2) A-IV, B-II, C-III, D-I
- (3) A-I, B-IV, C-III, D-II
- (4) A-III, B-II, C-I, D-IV

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I		List - II	
Authors		Works	
A.	Z. Bauman	I.	The whispering within
B.	D. Barash	II.	Society as symbolic interaction
C.	U. Beck	III.	Liquid Modernity
D.	H. Blumer	IV.	Risk society : Towards a new modernity

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A-III, B-I, C-IV, D-II
- (2) A-I, B-IV, C-II, D-III
- (3) A-IV, B-II, C-III, D-I
- (4) A-II, B-III, C-I, D-IV

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Q. 113

Question ID: 4324492385

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

Emile Durkheim's first professorial post was as professor of _____.

- (1) Education
- (2) Economics
- (3) Biology
- (4) Physics

Given below are two statements : one is labelled as **Assertion (A)** and the other is labelled as **Reason (R)**.

Assertion (A) : Peter Blau wants to emphasize that it is self-interest rather than a moral norm that is the necessary condition of exchange.

Reason (R) : Peter Blau prefers to limit the term 'social exchange' to voluntary interactions, excluding thereby actions resulting from the demands of conscience.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate answer** from the options given below :

- (1) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct and **(R)** is the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (2) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct but **(R)** is **not** the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (3) **(A)** is correct but **(R)** is not correct
- (4) **(A)** is not correct but **(R)** is correct

Option 1 ID:
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Q. 115

Question ID: 4324492382

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

Who wrote the book *The Death of Class* (1996) ?

- (1) David Lee and Bryan Turner
- (2) L.E. Cohen and M. Felson
- (3) Jan Pakulski and Malcolm Waters
- (4) J. Clarke and P. Willis

Every society has rules that it calls 'laws' and others that it calls 'customs' which, Bronislaw Malinowski (1926) would refer to as _____.

- (1) Traits, Traditions and Totems
- (2) Codes, Courts and Constables
- (3) Police, Parole and Prisons
- (4) Churches, Charters and Chiefs

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 117

Question ID: 4324492427

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 4

Arrange the following disasters in the chronological order :

- A. Great Japan Tsunami and Earthquake
- B. Haiti Earthquake
- C. Hurricane Katrina affecting U.S. and Gulf of Mexico
- D. Tsunami on South Asian Coast

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A, C, D, B
- (2) B, A, D, C
- (3) C, D, A, B
- (4) D, C, B, A

Who spoke of 'the Juggernaut of Modernity' ?

- (1) Karl Manheim
- (2) Jurgen Habermas
- (3) Anthony Giddens
- (4) G.H. Mead

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Q. 119

Question ID: 4324492391

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 3

In the context of 'ghettos' and 'urban prosperity', the areas in decline are transformed into areas of prosperity. This process is called as _____.

- (1) Agglomeratim
- (2) Rururbanisation
- (3) Gentrification
- (4) Ruralisation

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I		List - II	
Scholars		Study area/Community	
A.	Allan Beals	I.	Bisipara
B.	L. Dumont	II.	Namhalli, Mysore
C.	F.G. Bailey	III.	Kumbapettai, Tanjore
D.	Kathleen Gough	IV.	Pramalai Kallar

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A-IV, B-II, C-I, D-III
- (2) A-II, B-III, C-I, D-IV
- (3) A-II, B-IV, C-I, D-III
- (4) A-III, B-II, C-IV, D-I

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 121

Question ID: 4324492388

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 3

The formal process through which certain types of skill and knowledge are delivered, normally through a pre-designed curriculum in specialized settings is _____.

- (1) Enculturation
- (2) Sanskritization
- (3) Schooling
- (4) Orientation

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I	List - II
Concepts	Propounders
A. Distant proximities	I. G.H. Mead
B. Social geometry	II. J. Rosenau
C. Conversation of gestures	III. Talcott Parsons
D. Need-dispositions	IV. Georg Simmel

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A-II, B-IV, C-I, D-III
- (2) A-IV, B-I, C-III, D-II
- (3) A-II, B-III, C-I, D-IV
- (4) A-III, B-II, C-IV, D-I

Option 1 ID:
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Q. 123

Question ID: 4324492399

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

_____ refers to the overlapping and interdependent system of advantage and disadvantage that position people in society.

- (1) Intersectionality
- (2) Trans-Nationality
- (3) Stratification
- (4) Differentiation

Which of the following is **not** associated with bureaucracy as per Max Weber's understanding ?

- (1) Rationality
- (2) Emotions
- (3) Training
- (4) Chain of command

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 125

Question ID: 4324492383

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 3

A feminist theory of difference that extols the positive aspects of women is called as _____.

- (1) Cultural Feminism
- (2) Radical Feminism
- (3) Liberal Feminism
- (4) Socialist Feminism

Erving Goffman wrote which of the following books ?

- A. Presentation of self in Everyday Life
- B. Central problems in Social Theory : Action, Structure and Contradiction in Social Analysis
- C. Strategic Interaction
- D. Encounters : Two studies in the sociology of Interaction

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A, C, D only
- (2) B, C, D only
- (3) A, B, C only
- (4) A, B, D only

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 127

Question ID: 4324492406

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

Given below are two statements : one is labelled as **Assertion (A)** and the other is labelled as **Reason (R)**.

Assertion (A) : The 'logic of growth' looks like an optimistic view of the world, suggesting, that people have improved their lives by devising more productive technology.

Reason (R) : Environmentalists propose the counter argument that growth must have limits (Limits of Growth) in order to avoid environmental collapse.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate answer** from the options given below :

- (1) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct and **(R)** is the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (2) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct but **(R)** is **not** the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (3) **(A)** is correct but **(R)** is not correct
- (4) **(A)** is not correct but **(R)** is correct

According to W.G. Sumner, when the folkways take on a philosophy of right living and a life policy of welfare, then they become _____.

- (1) Laws
- (2) Customs
- (3) Mores
- (4) Values

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 129

Question ID: 4324492424

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 2

According to Herbert Blumer, the chronological stages of social movement involves :

- A. Popular excitement
- B. Institutionalization
- C. Social ferment
- D. Formal organization having higher level of coordination

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A, D, B, C
- (2) C, A, D, B
- (3) B, C, A, D
- (4) D, C, A, B

Out of the six-fold classification of traditions in India by S.C. Dube, which of the following was **not** discussed ?

- A. Classical
- B. Radicalism
- C. Emergent national
- D. Oriental
- E. Regional

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A and C only
- (2) A and E only
- (3) C and E only
- (4) B and D only

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 131

Question ID: 4324492379

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

According to Kirk and Miller (1986), an attempt to specify how far a particular method can consistently lead to the same measurements or results is called as _____ reliability.

- (1) Synchronic
- (2) Diachronic
- (3) Quixotic
- (4) Temporal

Who argued that women's subjugation coincided with the rise of private property during industrialization ?

- (1) Friedrich Engels
- (2) Karl Marx
- (3) Jurgen Habermas
- (4) Herbert Marcuse

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 133

Question ID: 4324492426

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 2

Identify the sequence of the following publications by M.N. Srinivas :

- A. Religion and society among the Coorgs of South India
- B. Caste in Modern India and other Essays
- C. 'The case of the potter and the priest'
- D. Social Change in Modern India

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) C, A, B, D
- (2) A, B, C, D
- (3) A, C, B, D
- (4) D, C, B, A

As applicable to the human social world, what does Comtean positivism yield ?

- (1) A significant adherence to the non-empiricist model to the study of social life
- (2) A law of successive stages through which each branch of knowledge must pass
- (3) An inappropriateness of natural scientific methods in the human or social sciences
- (4) A superficial knowledge that would form the basis of consensus in social networking

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 135

Question ID: 4324492377

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 2

'Power operates at all levels of social interaction, in all social institutions and through all people'.
Who said this ?

- (1) Michel Foucault
- (2) Max Weber
- (3) Karl Marx
- (4) Pierre Bourdieu

In Indian scenario, social gerontology is concerned with aging as _____.

- A. An aspect of personal status in the life cycle
- B. Not a contemporary economic problems
- C. The dynamic component of stratification in terms of generational membership
- D. Not being contingent process relating to the ideological state apparatus

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A and B only
- (2) A and C only
- (3) A and D only
- (4) B and D only

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 137

Question ID: 4324492432

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 2

Which of the following classifications of family types was discussed by P.M. Kolenda on family structure in India ?

- A. Sub-nuclear family
- B. Supplemented lineal relations
- C. Supplemented sub-nuclear family
- D. Supplemented lineal joint family
- E. Collateral nuclear family

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A, B and C only
- (2) A, C and D only
- (3) B, D and E only
- (4) B, C and E only

Given below are two statements : one is labelled as **Assertion (A)** and the other is labelled as **Reason (R)**.

Assertion (A) : Ecologically sustainable culture is a way of life that meets the needs of the present generation without threatening the environment legacy of future generations.

Reason (R) : Risk society is a society in which risks are of a different magnitude because of technology and globalisation.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate answer** from the options given below :

- (1) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct and **(R)** is the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (2) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct but **(R)** is **not** the correct explanation of **(A)**
- (3) **(A)** is correct but **(R)** is not correct
- (4) **(A)** is not correct but **(R)** is correct

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 139

Question ID: 4324492429

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 4

Within India's Rural social structure, joint family functions as _____.

- A. Upper class
- B. Manager of class organisations
- C. Manager of urban ecology
- D. Unit of economic and socio-cultural domains
- E. Unit of political and religious domains

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) A and B only
- (2) B and C only
- (3) C and D only
- (4) D and E only

The dialectical development of history, described by Hegel and Marx represents _____.

- (1) The development of religion and politics in society
- (2) The three phases of thesis, anti-thesis, and synthesis
- (3) A shift from minor to major world religions
- (4) A complexity of problems between theory and practice

Option 1 ID:
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Q. 141 Question ID: 4324492456

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 3

Comprehension (SubQuestion No : 141)

Read the following passage and answer the questions :

Modern technology has been criticized because it is based on the assumption that nature is an inexhaustible source for the satisfaction of man's escalating resource needs and a limitless sink for his wastes. Modern technologies do not explicitly concern themselves with 'the full and heavy responsibility of managing all the resources - human and natural - of this planet'.

The effects of this irresponsibility are already evident in the disturbance of the finely adjusted ecological balances of nature through pollution, reckless use of resources, elimination or near elimination of various species (blue whales, for instance), destruction of forests, etc. The question is not one of the intrinsic value of stability in ecosystems, but of the inevitably engendered risks that modern technology brings in its wake. These risks derive from the fact that the effects of these technologies are invariably multiple, often uncontrolled and rarely predictable and foreseen. Further, the gravity of the risks vary from relatively trivial ones like automobile accidents to potentially catastrophic ones such as all-out nuclear warfare or destruction of the life-sustaining properties of the biosphere. Some of these risks may be cumulative, such as the build-up of nuclear wastes or of optically active pollutants - the atmosphere, or they may be discrete risks, like genetic engineering accidents....

Which of the following aspects is associated with the cumulative risk ?

- (1) Automobile accidents
- (2) Genetic engineering accidents
- (3) Nuclear wastes
- (4) Burning of trees

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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Q. 142

Question ID: 4324492454

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Comprehension (SubQuestion No : 142)

Read the following passage and answer the questions :

Modern technology has been criticized because it is based on the assumption that nature is an inexhaustible source for the satisfaction of man's escalating resource needs and a limitless sink for his wastes. Modern technologies do not explicitly concern themselves with 'the full and heavy responsibility of managing all the resources - human and natural - of this planet'.

The effects of this irresponsibility are already evident in the disturbance of the finely adjusted ecological balances of nature through pollution, reckless use of resources, elimination or near elimination of various species (blue whales, for instance), destruction of forests, etc. The question is not one of the intrinsic value of stability in ecosystems, but of the inevitably engendered risks that modern technology brings in its wake. These risks derive from the fact that the effects of these technologies are invariably multiple, often uncontrolled and rarely predictable and foreseen. Further, the gravity of the risks vary from relatively trivial ones like automobile accidents to potentially catastrophic ones such as all-out nuclear warfare or destruction of the life-sustaining properties of the biosphere. Some of these risks may be cumulative, such as the build-up of nuclear wastes or of optically active pollutants - the atmosphere, or they may be discrete risks, like genetic engineering accidents....

The question raised in the paragraph is related to which aspect ?

- (1) Evitable engendered risk that modern school brings
- (2) Intrinsic value of stability in ecosystem
- (3) Inevitable engendered risk that modern technology brings
- (4) Preservation of active pollutants

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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
4324499563

Option 4 ID:
4324499564

Q. 143

Question ID: 4324492457

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 3

Comprehension (SubQuestion No : 143)

Read the following passage and answer the questions :

Modern technology has been criticized because it is based on the assumption that nature is an inexhaustible source for the satisfaction of man's escalating resource needs and a limitless sink for his wastes. Modern technologies do not explicitly concern themselves with 'the full and heavy responsibility of managing all the resources - human and natural - of this planet'.

The effects of this irresponsibility are already evident in the disturbance of the finely adjusted ecological balances of nature through pollution, reckless use of resources, elimination or near elimination of various species (blue whales, for instance), destruction of forests, etc. The question is not one of the intrinsic value of stability in ecosystems, but of the inevitably engendered risks that modern technology brings in its wake. These risks derive from the fact that the effects of these technologies are invariably multiple, often uncontrolled and rarely predictable and foreseen. Further, the gravity of the risks vary from relatively trivial ones like automobile accidents to potentially catastrophic ones such as all-out nuclear warfare or destruction of the life-sustaining properties of the biosphere. Some of these risks may be cumulative, such as the build-up of nuclear wastes or of optically active pollutants - the atmosphere, or they may be discrete risks, like genetic engineering accidents....

Disturbance of the finely adjusted ecological balance of nature is **not** evident through which of the following aspects ?

- (1) Pollution
- (2) Elimination of various species
- (3) Preservation of forests
- (4) Reckless use of resources

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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 144

Question ID: 4324492455

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

Comprehension (SubQuestion No : 144)

Read the following passage and answer the questions :

Modern technology has been criticized because it is based on the assumption that nature is an inexhaustible source for the satisfaction of man's escalating resource needs and a limitless sink for his wastes. Modern technologies do not explicitly concern themselves with 'the full and heavy responsibility of managing all the resources - human and natural - of this planet'.

The effects of this irresponsibility are already evident in the disturbance of the finely adjusted ecological balances of nature through pollution, reckless use of resources, elimination or near elimination of various species (blue whales, for instance), destruction of forests, etc. The question is not one of the intrinsic value of stability in ecosystems, but of the inevitably engendered risks that modern technology brings in its wake. These risks derive from the fact that the effects of these technologies are invariably multiple, often uncontrolled and rarely predictable and foreseen. Further, the gravity of the risks vary from relatively trivial ones like automobile accidents to potentially catastrophic ones such as all-out nuclear warfare or destruction of the life-sustaining properties of the biosphere. Some of these risks may be cumulative, such as the build-up of nuclear wastes or of optically active pollutants - the atmosphere, or they may be discrete risks, like genetic engineering accidents....

Genetic engineering accidents are associated with which form of risk ?

- (1) Discrete
- (2) Cumulative
- (3) Catastrophic
- (4) Detrimental

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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 145

Question ID: 4324492458

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 2

Comprehension (SubQuestion No : 145)

Read the following passage and answer the questions :

Modern technology has been criticized because it is based on the assumption that nature is an inexhaustible source for the satisfaction of man's escalating resource needs and a limitless sink for his wastes. Modern technologies do not explicitly concern themselves with 'the full and heavy responsibility of managing all the resources - human and natural - of this planet'.

The effects of this irresponsibility are already evident in the disturbance of the finely adjusted ecological balances of nature through pollution, reckless use of resources, elimination or near elimination of various species (blue whales, for instance), destruction of forests, etc. The question is not one of the intrinsic value of stability in ecosystems, but of the inevitably engendered risks that modern technology brings in its wake. These risks derive from the fact that the effects of these technologies are invariably multiple, often uncontrolled and rarely predictable and foreseen. Further, the gravity of the risks vary from relatively trivial ones like automobile accidents to potentially catastrophic ones such as all-out nuclear warfare or destruction of the life-sustaining properties of the biosphere. Some of these risks may be cumulative, such as the build-up of nuclear wastes or of optically active pollutants - the atmosphere, or they may be discrete risks, like genetic engineering accidents....

The major criticism of modern technology has been that _____.

- (1) They do implicitly concerned with responsibility of power
- (2) They do not explicitly concern themselves with responsibility of managing all the resources
- (3) They do implicitly concern with responsibility of managing few resources
- (4) They do not explicitly concern themselves with responsibility of ownership of resources

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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 146

Question ID: 4324492462

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 4

Comprehension (SubQuestion No : 146)

Read the following passage and answer the questions :

The idea of time is involved in the idea of social structure also, because social structure means an arrangement of parts which has some permanence, endurance, durability, or repetitiveness. This raises the question of the span of time. In this connection, it is significant that whatever else sociologists may do, the base of their discipline lies in research involving direct observation of social phenomena by the techniques of participant observation, census, survey, questionnaire, interview, and so on. All such observations are carried out in a relatively short span of time, but when a sociologist makes general statements about society he stretches the time span: he makes them as if they are applicable over a longer period of time. As regards not-so-long spans of time (as for example, the time span involved in the development cycle in the household), sociologists have used biographical material and people's statements about their own past. The sociologist can be somewhat safe in stretching the time span of his observations on the basis of such information, although the dangers of putting complete faith in it are too well known to be stated here. As regards the study of social structure over long periods of time, however, use of historical material is inevitable. The point is that the sociologist blends the historical and the contemporary information to present a picture of social structure. It is easy to see that when he does this, he transcends the distinction between the synchronic and the diachronic, which a student of social change would make inevitably.

Which among the following direct observations are **not** carried out in a relatively short span of time ?

- (1) Census
- (2) Questionnaire
- (3) Interview
- (4) Historical material

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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 147

Question ID: 4324492464

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 4

Comprehension (SubQuestion No : 147)

Read the following passage and answer the questions :

The idea of time is involved in the idea of social structure also, because social structure means an arrangement of parts which has some permanence, endurance, durability, or repetitiveness. This raises the question of the span of time. In this connection, it is significant that whatever else sociologists may do, the base of their discipline lies in research involving direct observation of social phenomena by the techniques of participant observation, census, survey, questionnaire, interview, and so on. All such observations are carried out in a relatively short span of time, but when a sociologist makes general statements about society he stretches the time span: he makes them as if they are applicable over a longer period of time. As regards not-so-long spans of time (as for example, the time span involved in the development cycle in the household), sociologists have used biographical material and people's statements about their own past. The sociologist can be somewhat safe in stretching the time span of his observations on the basis of such information, although the dangers of putting complete faith in it are too well known to be stated here. As regards the study of social structure over long periods of time, however, use of historical material is inevitable. The point is that the sociologist blends the historical and the contemporary information to present a picture of social structure. It is easy to see that when he does this, he transcends the distinction between the synchronic and the diachronic, which a student of social change would make inevitably.

Which among the following techniques is **not** a direct observation of social phenomena ?

- (1) Survey
- (2) Interview
- (3) Questionnaire
- (4) Content analysis

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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 148

Question ID: 4324492461

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 3

Comprehension (SubQuestion No : 148)

Read the following passage and answer the questions :

The idea of time is involved in the idea of social structure also, because social structure means an arrangement of parts which has some permanence, endurance, durability, or repetitiveness. This raises the question of the span of time. In this connection, it is significant that whatever else sociologists may do, the base of their discipline lies in research involving direct observation of social phenomena by the techniques of participant observation, census, survey, questionnaire, interview, and so on. All such observations are carried out in a relatively short span of time, but when a sociologist makes general statements about society he stretches the time span: he makes them as if they are applicable over a longer period of time. As regards not-so-long spans of time (as for example, the time span involved in the development cycle in the household), sociologists have used biographical material and people's statements about their own past. The sociologist can be somewhat safe in stretching the time span of his observations on the basis of such information, although the dangers of putting complete faith in it are too well known to be stated here. As regards the study of social structure over long periods of time, however, use of historical material is inevitable. The point is that the sociologist blends the historical and the contemporary information to present a picture of social structure. It is easy to see that when he does this, he transcends the distinction between the synchronic and the diachronic, which a student of social change would make inevitably.

The base of sociology lies in research involving which of the following aspects ?

- (1) Comparative dialectics
- (2) Historical review of the social phenomena
- (3) Direct observation of social phenomena
- (4) Indirect observation of political phenomena

Option 1 ID:
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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 149

Question ID: 4324492460

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 4

Comprehension (SubQuestion No : 149)

Read the following passage and answer the questions :

The idea of time is involved in the idea of social structure also, because social structure means an arrangement of parts which has some permanence, endurance, durability, or repetitiveness. This raises the question of the span of time. In this connection, it is significant that whatever else sociologists may do, the base of their discipline lies in research involving direct observation of social phenomena by the techniques of participant observation, census, survey, questionnaire, interview, and so on. All such observations are carried out in a relatively short span of time, but when a sociologist makes general statements about society he stretches the time span: he makes them as if they are applicable over a longer period of time. As regards not-so-long spans of time (as for example, the time span involved in the development cycle in the household), sociologists have used biographical material and people's statements about their own past. The sociologist can be somewhat safe in stretching the time span of his observations on the basis of such information, although the dangers of putting complete faith in it are too well known to be stated here. As regards the study of social structure over long periods of time, however, use of historical material is inevitable. The point is that the sociologist blends the historical and the contemporary information to present a picture of social structure. It is easy to see that when he does this, he transcends the distinction between the synchronic and the diachronic, which a student of social change would make inevitably.

Biographical material is associated with which aspect of time by the sociologists ?

- (1) Short-span of time
- (2) Crucial-span of time
- (3) Long-span of time
- (4) Not-so-long span of time

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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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Q. 150

Question ID: 4324492463

Status: Answered | Chosen Option: 1

Comprehension (SubQuestion No : 150)

Read the following passage and answer the questions :

The idea of time is involved in the idea of social structure also, because social structure means an arrangement of parts which has some permanence, endurance, durability, or repetitiveness. This raises the question of the span of time. In this connection, it is significant that whatever else sociologists may do, the base of their discipline lies in research involving direct observation of social phenomena by the techniques of participant observation, census, survey, questionnaire, interview, and so on. All such observations are carried out in a relatively short span of time, but when a sociologist makes general statements about society he stretches the time span: he makes them as if they are applicable over a longer period of time. As regards not-so-long spans of time (as for example, the time span involved in the development cycle in the household), sociologists have used biographical material and people's statements about their own past. The sociologist can be somewhat safe in stretching the time span of his observations on the basis of such information, although the dangers of putting complete faith in it are too well known to be stated here. As regards the study of social structure over long periods of time, however, use of historical material is inevitable. The point is that the sociologist blends the historical and the contemporary information to present a picture of social structure. It is easy to see that when he does this, he transcends the distinction between the synchronic and the diachronic, which a student of social change would make inevitably.

What is specifically inevitable in the study of social structure over a long period of time ?

- (1) Synchronic material
- (2) Historical material
- (3) Ideological material
- (4) Ethnographic material

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Option 2 ID:
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Option 3 ID:
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Option 4 ID:
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