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(5th Semester)

SOCIOLOGY

(Honours)

Paper No. : SOC-502

(**Rural Sociology**)

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 45%

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

1. (a) Discuss the origin and the rate of growth of rural sociology. 14

Or

- (b) What is Rural Sociology? Describe the varied area of interest of rural sociology. 2+12=14

2. (a) Community approach studies a village life from both historical and contemporary perspectives. Elaborate. 14

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Or

(b) Examine the application of regional approach in rural sociology. State its merits and demerits. 7+7=14

3. (a) Point out the salient features of rural communities in India as distinct from urban communities. 14

Or

(b) Discuss the occupational diversity in rural society. 14

4. (a) Evaluate Panchayati Raj as a self-governing institution in rural villages. 14

Or

(b) State the emergence and working of Village Councils in Nagaland. 14

5. (a) Explain the changing trends in the role of women in agriculture. 14

Or

(b) Discuss the role of Science and Technology in enriching rural lives. 14
