

2025

M.A. 1st Semester Examination

SOCIOLOGY

Paper : SOCC405X0

**(Sociology of Marginalised Groups and
Communities)**

Full Marks : 50

Time : Two Hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.
Candidates are required to give their answers
in their own words as far as practicable.*

Group - A

Answer any two questions : 10×2=20

1. Critically analyse with examples, the processes through which communities are marginalised in India.
2. Discuss the socio-legal struggles of LGBTQIA + communities in India, focusing on some recent developments.
3. Discuss the concept of 'Marginal Man' as proposed by Robert E. Park.
4. How does the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act address the issues of accessibility and inclusion?

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Group - B

Answer any *four* questions : 5×4=20

5. What is meant by 'marginalisation'? Name any two communities considered as marginalised in India. 3+2
6. Discuss briefly the rights guaranteed under the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016.
7. Briefly explain how functionalism has supported the process of marginalisation.
8. Explain how Dalits have historically been excluded in India.
9. What are the key features of decolonial theory in understanding marginalisation?
10. Briefly explain the key issues related to Narmada Bachao Andolan.

Internal Assessment : 10 marks
