Semester	2
Paper Number	HSOCR2041T
Paper Title	Sociology of India -II
No. of Credits	6
Theory/Composite	Theory
No. of periods assigned	Th: 5 + 1 Pr:
Name of Faculty member(s)	
Course description/objective	This paper aims to draw attention to the variety of ideas and debates about India. Further, it critically engages with the multiple socio-political forces and ideologies which shape the terrain of the nation.
Syllabus	 I. Ideas of India 1.1.Gandhi and Ambedkar 1.2.Indological and Ethnographic Approaches II. Resistance, Mobilization, Change 1.1.Dalit Politics 1.2.Mobility and Change 1.3.Women's Movement 1.4.Peasant Movements 1.5.Ethnic Movements 1.6.Middle Class Phenomenon III. Challenges to Civilization, State and Society 1.1.Communalism 1.2.Secularism 1.3.Nationalism
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Evaluation

CIA: 20 End-Sem: 80

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ii) Short answer type questions : $10 \times 4 = 40$ (out of 8)