

**STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI 600 086**  
**(For candidates admitted during the academic year 2015 – 2016 and thereafter)**  
**SUBJECT CODE: 15SC/MC/DS34**

**B. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2017**  
**BRANCH III – SOCIOLOGY**  
**THIRD SEMESTER**

**COURSE : MAJOR – CORE**  
**PAPER : DEVELOPMENT OF SOCIAL THOUGHT**  
**TIME : 3 HOURS** **MAX.MARKS:100**

**SECTION – A**

**ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS IN 50 WORDS EACH. (10X2=20)**

1. What is meant by Hierarchy of Sciences?
2. Define Social Dynamics.
3. What is Organic Analogy?
4. What is Social Evolution.
5. List out the types of Suicide with examples.
6. Define Mechanical Solidarity.
7. What is Dialectical Materialism?
8. Define Alienation.
9. Define Authority.
10. What is Verstehen Approach?

**SECTION – B**

**ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS IN 250 WORDS EACH. (5X8=40)**

11. Explain the Law of Three stages given by Comte.
12. Write a short note on Positivism.
13. Explain the concept of Social Darwinism.
14. Outline the features of organic solidarity.
15. Analyse the various types of suicide as given by Durkheim.
16. Elucidate the Weber's types of authority.
17. Write the important characteristics of class struggle.
18. Pinpoint the essence of Dialectical Materialism.

**SECTION – C**

**ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS IN 1000 WORDS EACH. (2X20=40)**

19. Describe in detail about Social Statics and Social Dynamics.
20. Examine the theory of Organismic Analogy.
21. Elucidate the theory of division of labour as mentioned by Durkheim.
22. Elaborate the protestant ethic and spirit of Capitalism.

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