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Paper : Anthropology of India

Course : B.Sc. (H) Anthropology

Semester : V

Time : 3 hours

Max. Marks : 75

**Attempt any five questions, selecting at least two questions from each part.**

**Use separate answer books for Section A and Section B.**

**All questions carry equal marks.**

**Section - A**

1. What is Physical Anthropology ? Briefly explain how the current Physical Anthropology has undergone change in its approach in the last 50 years or so.
2. Discuss Indian biological diversity using the example of G6PD deficiency variants.
3. Abnormal hemoglobins can cause serious medical problems in man. Comment.
4. Critically discuss B. S. Guha's hypothesis regarding the racial elements in India. How his classification was an improvement of that given by Eickstedt?
5. Write **short notes** on any *two* of the following:
  - a. ABO polymorphism in India
  - b. PTC tasting ability
  - c. Negrito elements in India
  - d. Palmar main line formula

**Section - B**

1. Describe the salient features of cultural and historical geography of India.
2. Examine how caste is linked to identity and politics in contemporary India.
3. Discuss the important features of religious diversity of people of India.
4. How is anthropological knowledge applicable in the fields of health and illness studies?
5. Write **short notes** on any *two* of the following :
  - i) Contributions of Verrier Elwin to Indian Anthropology.
  - ii) Origin and development of civilization in India.
  - iii) Colonial anthropology.
  - iv) Anthropology and Urban issues