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**UNIVERSITY OF HYDERABAD  
ENTRANCE EXAMINATION, JUNE 2011  
M.Phil. (Anthropology)**

Time : 2 Hours

Max. Marks: 75

<b>HALL TICKET NUMBER</b>	
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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

- (1) THIS QUESTION PAPER CONTAINS 5 PAGES. PLEASE COUNT THEM. IT HAS TWO PARTS, VIZ., PART "A" FOR 25 MARKS AND PART "B" FOR 50 MARKS.
- (2) PART "A" CONSISTS OF 25 MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS. EACH CORRECT ANSWER CARRIES "ONE" MARK. THERE IS NEGATIVE AWARD OF 0.33 MARK FOR EVERY WRONG ANSWER. HOWEVER, THERE IS NO NEGATIVE MARKING FOR THE QUESTIONS NOT ATTEMPTED.
- (3) PART "B" QUESTIONS SHOULD BE ANSWERED ON A SEPARATE ANSWER BOOK SUPPLIED IN THE EXAMINATION HALL. ADDITIONAL ANSWER SHEETS MAY BE USED IF REQUIRED.
- (4) PART "A" AND PART "B" ANSWER SCRIPTS SHOULD BE TIED TOGETHER BEFORE HANDING THEM OVER TO THE CONCERNED INVIGILATOR.
- (5) THE ENTRANCE TEST PAPER SHOULD NOT BE TAKEN OUT OF THE EXAMINATION HALL.

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**QUESTIONS-ANSWER SHEET  
PART -A (For a maximum of 25 marks)**

**Write the correct answer (a/b/c/d) in the bracket:**

1. Which one of the following statements is not correct [     ]
  - a) ethnography is synonymous with fieldwork
  - b) ethnography is the first hand study of a small community
  - c) ethnography is the comparative study of culture
  - d) ethnography is an inductive research
2. The comparative synthesis of ethnographic information is called [     ]
  - a) ethnology
  - b) new ethnography
  - c) comparative sociology
  - d) comparative method

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22. Standard deviation is to show [     ]
- a) How much variation exists from mean (average) value
  - b) How much dispersion occurs in the distribution of data
  - c) The difference between the mean and mode value
  - d) The difference between the mean and median value
23. Rorschach test is used in [     ]
- a) Obtaining truth from a predisposed liar
  - b) Examining personality
  - c) Evaluating nutritional value of food
  - d) Studying cultural deviants
24. Ritual re-birth for males belonging to the Brahmin, Kshatriya and Vyshya varnas is signified by [     ]
- a) Tonsure ceremony
  - b) Upanayanam
  - c) Marriage
  - d) Pinda Pradanam
25. Match the following: [     ]
- |                          |                  |
|--------------------------|------------------|
| A) Ethnic movement       | 1. Naga Movement |
| B) Reform Movement       | 2. Jharkhand     |
| C) Secessionist Movement | 3. Birsa         |
| D) Sub National Movement | 4. Bhagar        |
| a) A3 B2 C1 D4           | b) A1 B4 C3 D2   |
| c) A3 B4 C1 D2           | d) A1 B2 C3 D4   |

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**PART-B (For a maximum of 50 marks)**

**Answer all FIVE questions. Each question carries 10 marks.**

- (01). Write a critical essay on E.R. Leach's views on structural functionalism?

(OR)

Discuss Margaret Mead's contribution to the study of national character.

- (02). Discuss the various views on isolation, assimilation, and integration of tribal population in India

(OR)

Discuss the use of anthropological knowledge in improving health, hygiene and nutrition in traditional societies

- (03). Write an essay on Verrier Elwin's contributions to the study of Indian tribes.

(OR)

Critically examine Louis Dumont's contribution to the understanding of caste system.

- (04). Write an essay on the caste system in modern Indian society explaining the factors that induced change in the traditional or classical Hindu society.

(OR)

Explain the heterogenetic and orthogenetic processes involved in modernization of Indian traditions.

- (05). What are the advantages and limitations of PRA and RRA approaches in social research?

(OR)

Write an essay on different sampling procedures.

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