

JAYPEE UNIVERSITY OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY, WAK NAGHAT

TEST -3 EXAMINATION- 2025

B.Tech-VI Semester (CSE/IT/ECE/CE/BT/BI)

COURSE CODE (CREDITS): 24B1WHS631 (3)

MAX. MARKS: 35

COURSE NAME: Indian Social Structure

COURSE INSTRUCTORS: Dr Deler Singh

MAX. TIME: 2 Hours

Note: (a) All questions are compulsory.

	Question	CO	Marks
Q1	Differentiate amongst 'fundamentalism', 'communalism' and 'secularism'. How are fundamentalism, communalism, and the crisis of secularism interconnected in India's socio-political context? Evaluate their collective impact on Indian democracy.	4	7
Q2	Critically examine the rural-urban divide in India in terms of access to education, healthcare, and employment opportunities. Evaluate socio-economic vulnerabilities faced by India's unorganized labour sector.	5	5
Q. 3	Despite decades of economic growth, poverty persists in many parts of India. How does India's class structure shape access to opportunities in education, employment, and social mobility? Evaluate the role of caste, occupation, and income in reinforcing class divisions.	5	5
Q. 4	Evaluate how social movements have historically acted as catalysts for social change in India. Refer to at least two movements.	4	5
Q. 5	Compare the objectives and methods of the Farmers' Protest and the Anti-CAA Protests. How did each movement reflect broader concerns about governance and democracy in India? Evaluate their possible long-term impact on Indian society and politics.	4	5
Q. 6	What socio-cultural factors contribute to the persistence of honour killings in India? Evaluate the role of caste, patriarchy, and community pressures in legitimising such violence. Critically assess the adequacy of India's existing legal provisions in preventing and punishing honour killings.	1	8