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Q1(a)

**Differences between Social Anthropology and Sociology.**

UPSC Civil Services Mains 2016 · Anthropology GS 1 · 10 marks · The Nature of Society

2.2 The Nature of Society: Concept of Society; Society and Culture; Social Institution; Social groups; and Social stratification.

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**Malinowski**

Argonauts made year-long participant observation the anthropological badge.

**Durkheim**

Sociology as the study of social facts, with suicide and division of labour as large-scale cases.

**Srinivas**

Rampura fieldwork and Sanskritisation sat between the two disciplines in India.

**Radcliffe-Brown**

Called his science comparative sociology, already blurring the label.

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