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Q8(b)

What is the impact of gender division of labour on the development of society?

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Sociological Thinkers: Karl Marx - Historical materialism, mode of production, alienation, class struggle; Emile Durkheim - Division of labour, social fact, suicide, religion and society; Max Weber - Social action, ideal types, authority, bureaucracy, protestant ethic and the spirit of capitalism; Talcott Parsons - Social system, pattern variables; Robert K. Merton - Latent and manifest functions, conformity and deviance, reference groups; Mead - Self and identity.

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Oakley

Housework as work; the division of labour is socially made.

Hartmann

Patriarchy and capital jointly use the gender split.

Sen

Development as freedom and capability, which the split distributes unequally.

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Health, mobility, and work-status files that reveal the split's yield.

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