

WRAP Exams · wrapexams.com

Prelims PYQ, Mains model answers, and copy evaluation. Write to the desk for this paper, a doubt, or the AI waitlist.

ask@wrapexams.com · +91 85951 84903 · wrapexams.com

Q2(a)

"Indian caste system is unique and has been unhealthy for the growth of sociology of India." How far do you agree with this view?

UPSC Civil Services Mains 2020 · Sociology GS 2 · 20 marks · Perspectives on the study of Indian society
Perspectives on the study of Indian society: Indology (G.S. Ghurye); Structural functionalism (M.N. Srinivas); Marxist sociology (A.R. Desai).

Facts & figures for this PYQ only.

Numbers move. Confirm the latest Budget, Economic Survey or census round. This sheet is for revision, not a substitute for the model answer.

<https://wrapexams.com/upsc/mains-answers/sociology-gs-2/2020/indian-caste-system-is-unique-and-has-been-unhealthy-for-the-growth-of-sociology-of-india-how-far-do-you-agree-with-this-view/>

Synecdoche of India

Caste standing in for the whole society in colonial and some academic writing.

Ghurye features

A catalogue that can freeze uniqueness as a checklist.

Srinivas-Beteille

Field growth that used caste to theorise power, not only ritual.

Ambedkar

Turned uniqueness into a programme of annihilation, a sociological opening.

WRAP Exams · Write. Read. Analyse. Practice. · <https://wrapexams.com/upsc/mains-answers/sociology-gs-2/2020/indian-caste-system-is-unique-and-has-been-unhealthy-for-the-growth-of-sociology-of-india-how-far-do-you-agree-with-this-view/> · ask@wrapexams.com · wrapexams.com