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Q7(b)

**Rising 'ethnocentrism' is leading to conflict in our society.
Assess this statement with appropriate reasons**

UPSC Civil Services Mains 2021 · 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).

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Sons of the soil

Regional ethnocentrism that targets migrants as outsiders to the job market.

Sachar evidence

Socio-economic lag that majoritarian suspicion can worsen into conflict, not a cause of disloyalty.

Atrocity honour

Caste ethnocentrism policing marriage and dining.

Social media rumour

Speed of in-group mobilisation that turns local insult into riot talk.

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