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Q1(a)

What, according to you, are the factors responsible for the continuance of caste system in India? Explain.

UPSC Civil Services Mains 2024 · Sociology GS 2 · 10 marks · Caste System

Caste System: Perspectives (G.S. Ghurye, M.N. Srinivas, Louis Dumont, Andre Beteille); Features of caste system; Untouchability - forms and perspectives.

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

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Ambedkar 1916

Treats endogamy as the mechanism that closes caste as a social group.

Ghurye

Listed segmental division, hierarchy, feeding and marriage rules, disabilities and occupational closure as caste features.

PoA Act 1989

Criminalises caste atrocities; its use and misuse debates show caste as a living legal category.

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