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Q3(a)**Examine the challenges of applying micro-level village studies to macro-level village structure of Indian society**

UPSC Civil Services Mains 2026 · Sociology GS 2 · 20 marks · Rural and Agrarian Social Structure

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Rural and Agrarian Social Structure: The idea of Indian village and village studies; Agrarian social structure - evolution of land tenure system, land reforms.

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M.N. Srinivas (Village Studies)

Pioneered intensive field-based village studies in India, notably through his work on Rampura, highlighting concepts like dominant caste and sanskritisation.

S.C. Dube (Indian Village)

Authored '[India's Changing Villages](#)' (1958), demonstrating how community development projects interacted with traditional social structures.

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