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B.A. SOCIOLOGY - IV SEMESTER

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**SO 418: Elements of Social Research**

Time- 1 ½ hrs Max Marks-35

This question paper contains one printed page and three parts

**Part A**

**I Answer any TWO of the following in one page each 5\*2=10**

1. What is exploratory research? Give one example.
2. Mention the characteristics of hypothesis.
3. What is meant by stratified random sampling? Give example.

OR

Write a note on importance social research in India.

**Part B**

**II Answer any ONE of the following in two pages each 10\*1=10**

1. Explain the problems faced by the investigator with examples.
2. What is participant observation? Explain its merits.

**Part C**

**III Answer any ONE of the following in three pages each 15\*1=15**

1. What is social research? What are the steps involved in it?
2. Define sample and discuss the different types of probability sample.

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