**TU/CDOE**

**TEZPUR UNIVERSITY**

**SEMESTER END EXAMINATION (AUT21 & SPR22)**

**MSO/MASOD 102: INTRODUCTION TO FAMILY AND**

**KINSHIP**

**Full Marks: 70 Time: 3 hours**

*The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks for the individual question*

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1. Match the following (**any five)**: 1x5=5

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| a. *Social Structure* | a. A M Shah |
| b. *Elementary Structures of Kinship* | b. Levi Strauss |
| c. *The Family in India* | c. Iravati Karve |
| d. Kinship Organization in India | d. WHR Rivers |
| e. *Kinship and Marriage: An Anthropological Perspective* | e. G P Murdock |
| f. *Kinship and Social Organization* | f. Robin Fox |

2. Define **any five** of the following: 2x5=10

a) Household b) Conjugal family c) Teknonymy

d) Endogamy e) Polyandry f) Sororate Marriage

3. Describe the different types of marriages. 10

4. Discuss the main characteristics of the North Indian kinship

system. 10

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5. What is alliance theory of Kinship? Explain the importance of ‘incest taboo’ in society. 10

6. How has contemporary trends changed the family and kinship relations in India? 10

7. Critically analyze the extent to which the Khasi kinship systems

challenge the institution of Patriarchy? 10

7. Write short notes on **any three** of the following:5x3=15

1. Artificial Reproductive Technologies
2. Punjabi Kinship System
3. Atoms of Kinship
4. Feminist perspective on Family
5. Classificatory and Descriptive Kinship

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