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Abstract: This book is divided into three sections. Section one covers issues on Introduction to Sociology such as the origin, meaning, scope, founding fathers of sociology, social methods in sociology and basic theoretical perspectives in Sociology, among others. Section two addresses issues relating to culture with focus on the meaning of culture, characteristics, functions, elements, and other important aspects of culture. The third and last section concentrates on Social Problems with respect to Nigeria and deals with the meaning of social problems, differences between social and individual problems, types of social problems, their causes and likely solutions and others. The book also covered much ground and updated the information on the concept of culture, and identified modern social problems, their likely causes and solutions with chief focus on Nigeria. It included one hundred (100) multiple choice questions because many universities are now beginning to adopt e-exam methods in testing students’ knowledge especially at the 100 level and for those offering general studies courses. These questions will stimulate readers’ interest and help them gauge their understanding of the subjects treated.