2016

M.A.

4th Semester Examination

SOCIOLOGY

PAPER-SOC-401

Full Marks: 40

Time: 2 Hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Group - A

- 1. Answer any one of the following:
 - (a) Critically analyze the evolutionary perspective of social change.
 - (b) Explain the role of technological factors in social change. Analyze in this connection the concept of 'cultural log'.

 5+5
- 2. Answer any two of the following: 2×5
 - (a) Differentiate between social change and social progress.

(Turn Over)

1×10

- (b) Write a note on functionalism and social change.
- (c) Write a short note on the concept of social reproduction.

Group - B

3. Answer any one of the following:

1×10

- (a) Write a brief note on the meaning of development over time.
- (b) Examine A. G. Frank's views on Dependency theory.
- 4. Answer any two of the following:

 2×5

- (a) What do you mean by social development?
- (b) What is Human Development Index-HDI?
- (c) What do you mean by Human Resource Development HRD?

[Internal Assessment: 10 Marks]