2013

M.A.

1st Semester Examination SOCIOLOGY

PAPER-SOC-102

Full Marks: 50

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.

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary.

Group-A

[Marks-20]

- **1.** Answer any one question of the following: 10×1
 - (a) Discuss Marx's views on base and Superstructure.
 - (b) Write a brief note on Marx's views on alienation.
- **2.** Answer any two questions of the following: 5×2
 - (a) What is dialectical materialism?
 - (b) What does Marx mean by class?
 - (c) What, according to Marx, is social change?

Group-B

[Marks-20]

- 3. Answer any one question of the following: 10×1
 - (a) Can we explain Indian modernity through the ideas of 'Frankfurt School'?
 - (b) Discuss Foucault's theory of 'Governmentality'.
- 4. Answer any two questions of the following: 5×2
 - (a) How does Marcuse criticize 'Instrumental Rationality'?
 - (b) What is 'public spehere'?
 - (c) What is 'Civil Society' according to Gramsci?

[Internal Assessment: 10 Marks]