

M.A 1st Semester Examination, 2010

SOCIOLOGY

(Advanced Sociological Theory)

PAPER—SOC-104

Full Marks : 40

Time : 2 hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks

GROUP—A

[Marks : 20]

1. Answer any *one* of the following : 10 x 1

- (a) Examine the contributions of GH Mead to the development of Symbolic Interactional Theory. What is the significance of the concept of 'me' in Mead's theory ?

(Turn Over)

(b) Analyse the contributions of Garfinkel in the development of ethnomethodology.

2. Answer any *two* of the following : 5 x 2

(a) How has the concept of the social self been explained by Cooley and Mead ?

(b) Examine the concepts of 'suspension of judgement' and 'bracketing' in phenomenology.

(c) Explain the procedure of 'Accounting' and 'indexicality' in ethnomethodological thought.

GROUP-B

[Marks : 20]

3. Answer any *one* of the following : 10 x 1

(a) How has Beck analyzed the reflexive nature of Risk Society ? Discuss.

(b) Why has Bauman opined that the Holocaust is the product of modernity ?

4. Answer any *two* of the following : 5 x 2

(a) What is "Runaway World" ?

(b) What is Liberal Feminism ?

(c) What do you mean by "Time Space Distanciation" ?

