M.A. 2nd Semester Examination, 2023 SOCIOLOGY

(Sociology of Space)

PAPER - SOC-203

Full Marks: 40

Time: 2 hours

The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks

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

GROUP - A

Answer any two of the following questions: 10×2

- 1. How did Marx and Durkheim examine different types of society?
- 2. Write a note on land tenure system prevalent during the British rule in India.

- Debate on evolution of land reform policies among the Indian social thinkers during post Independent period.
- 4. Elucidate Dipankar Gupta's understanding of present status of Indian villages in his study.

GROUP - B

Answer any four out of the following questions: 5×4

- 5. Differentiate between rural and urban societies as suggested by A.R. Desai.
- 6. Discuss trends of Rural and urban continuity.
- 7. Why Indian agriculture has remained "undeveloped" despite it is being called 'mainstay of Indian economy'?
- 8. Diagrammatically represent comprehensive Agrarian Social Structure in India represented in studies by the Indian sociologists.

- 9. How 'Information society' or Post-Industrial Society' is distinctive from previous forms of societies?
- 10. Delineate causes of social discontent or agrarian movements in India.