2022

1st Semester Examination SOCIOLOGY

Paper: SOC 102

Full Marks: 40

Time: Two Hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Group - A

Answer any four of the following questions:

 $5 \times 4 = 20$

- 1. What are the three key elements in Adorno's thesis of irrational authoritarianism spreading throughout modern societies?
- 2. How Marcuse differentiated between 'basic repression' and 'surplus repression'?
- 3. How critique criticized Habermas' theory of 'public sphere'?
- 4. Identify main qualities of 'communicative dialogue' according to Habermas.
- Identify the areas in which Marxist thought was criticized by Frankfurt school.
- 6. In what ways, Freud has influenced Marcuse's thought.

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Group - B

Answer any *two* of the following questions:

 $10 \times 2 = 20$

- 7. Discuss the background of development of the critical Marxist thinking in the West.
- 8. Discuss significance of 'Democratisation of public sphere'.
- Identify the role of 'Culture Industry' in consolidation of Capitalism in the modern age, according to Adomo and Hokheimer.
- 10. Write a brief note on Marcuse' "One dimensional Man".