

**M. A. 1st Semester Examination, 2024**

**SOCIOLOGY**

PAPER – SOC-102

*Full Marks : 50*

*Time : 2 hours*

Answer **all** questions

*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** questions from the following :

10 × 2

1. Write a note on Adorno's 'Authoritarian personality'.
2. Explicate Marcuse's contribution in his book 'Eros and Civilisation'.

( Turn Over )

3. Discuss Habermas's concept on 'public sphere' and its historical development.
4. Elucidate Marcuse's concept of "One Dimensional Man".

**GROUP—B**

Answer any four questions from the following : 5 × 4

5. Briefly underline the development of the Frankfurt school.
6. Explain Adorno and Horkheimer concept of Dialectic of Enlightenment.
7. How do Freudian psychoanalysis significantly shaped the post-Marxian thought ?
8. What do you mean by 'Culture Industry' ?
9. What are the key criticisms that Critical Theory directs at positivism ?

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**10. Why Habermas is called contemporary post Marxian thinkers unlike his antecedents ?**

**[ Internal Assessment — 10 Marks]**

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