## **MODULE - II**

3. (a) Why does Durkheim consider suicide as social? How does he seek to explain this through his typology of suicide? 3+7=10

OR

- (b) What is Historical Materialism? How does Marx understand social change? 4+6=10
- 4. Write a short note on any *one* of the following: 5x1=5
  - (a) Durkheim's notion of Sacred
  - (b) Marx's idea about Alienation

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(1st Year, 1st Semester)

#### **SOCIOLOGY**

## Sociological Thinkers I

Course: 1.2

Time: Two hours Full Marks: 30

The figures in the margin indicate full marks. Answers to each Module should be written in separate answer scripts.

### **MODULE - I**

- 1. Answer any *one* of the following: 10x1=10
  - (a) Write a brief note on origin and development of sociology. 10
  - (b) Evaluate critically Comte's law of three stages. 10
- 2. Write a short note on any *one* of the following: 5x1=5
  - (a) Comte's positivism
  - (b) Martineau's methods.