

**Ex/MAS/PG/1.3/2024**

**MA IN JOURNALISM & MASS COMMUNICATION  
EXAMINATION, 2024**

**(1st Year, 1st Semester)**

**PRINT MEDIA : REPORTING AND EDITING**

**PAPER : PG/1.3**

*Time : 2 Hours*

*Full Marks : 40*

Answer *any two* questions from the following.

1. 'There is nothing called absolute objectivity in journalism' – give your opinion on this statement. Describe the changing nature of objectivity in journalism. 10+10=20
2. Explain the needs and scope for investigative journalism in the contemporary times. As a reporter what are your responsibilities towards the society and your organization? 10+10=20
3. Define Hard News and Soft News. Draw a comparative analysis on the basis of recent incidents. 8+12=20

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4. Define wire service. What are its functions? Explain the relevance of news wire services in news collection and dissemination in shaping the news structure of a newspaper. 4+8+8=20

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