Exam. Code: 103201 Subject Code: 1003

### B.A./B.Sc. 1st Semester

# PUNJAB HISTORY & CULTURE (From Earliest Times to C 320)

Time Allowed—3 Hours

[Maximum Marks-50

Note:—Attempt five questions in all, by selecting at least one question from each section and the fifth question may be attempted from any of the four sections. Each question carries 10 marks.

#### SECTION—A

- Write a detailed note on the physical features of the Punjab.
- 2. (a) Discuss the various literary sources of the ancient history of the Punjab.
  - (b) Write a note on coins as source of history.

# SECTION-B

- Discuss the origin, extension and the town-planning of the Indus Valley people.
- From where did Aryans come ? Discuss about their settlements in Punjab.

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## SECTION-C

- Describe the social and economic life of the Aryans during the Rig Vedic period.
- Give an account of the origin and evolution of caste system and its impact on the society.

### SECTION-D

- Explain the early life and teachings of Gautam Buddha.
- 8. (a) Write a note on the teachings of the Jainism.
  - (b) What were the causes responsible for its decline in Punjab?