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Semester: III

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Paper Name: Sociology of Gender

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14	4.1 Power and Subordination
15	4.2. Resistance and Movements
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