

**PSYCHOLOGY
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PAPER 3**

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1 hour

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Do not turn over this examination paper until instructed to do so.
- Answer all the questions.

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1. Triangulation techniques include

- I. using different methods of collecting data
- II. using evidence from different sources.

(a) Using **two** examples, outline what is meant by each of I. and II. above. *[4 marks]*

(b) To what extent do each of the **two** techniques mentioned above increase the validity of psychological research? *[6 marks]*

2. Using examples, examine the advantages and disadvantages of each of the following:

(a) small group interviews (focus groups) *[5 marks]*

(b) one to one interviews. *[5 marks]*

3. In relation to qualitative research methods

(a) compare the advantages of intrinsic and extrinsic case studies *[4 marks]*

(b) examine why it may not usually be desirable to generalize from a single case study. *[6 marks]*
