

**PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS)**

**BA DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2017
(Fourth Semester)**

Branch - **SOCIOLOGY**

SOCIAL STATISTICS - II WITH COMPUTER APPLICATIONS

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

SECTION-A (20 Marks)

Answer **ALL** questions

ALL questions carry **EQUAL** marks (10x2 = 20)

- 1 What is meant by dichotomous classification?
- 2 Define consistency of a set of class frequencies.
- 3 What are the methods of collecting vital statistics?
- 4 What is meant by life table?
- 5 Define time series.
- 6 What are the long term components of time series?
- 7 State addition theorem of probability.
- 8 Define Poisson distribution.
- 9 Write down the formula for calculating regression coefficient of X on Y using MS Excel.
- 10 Write down the formula for calculating normal probability using MS Excel.

SECTION - B (25 Marks!)

Answer **ALL** Questions

ALL Questions Carry **EQUAL** Marks (5 x 5 = 25)

- 11 a Explain the condition for consistency of data.
OR
b Examine the consistency of the following data N = 1,000; (A) = 600; (B) = 500; (AB) = 50, the symbols having their usual meaning.
- 12 a Write short notes on (i) Crude Death Rate (C.D.R) (ii) Specific Death Rates (S.D.R).
OR
b List out the uses of life tables.
- 13 a Briefly Explain seasonal variations.
OR
b Calculate the three yearly moving average for the following data.
Year: 1975 1976 1977 1978 1979 1980 1981 1982 1983 1984
Production
(in tonnes) : 50 • 36 43 45 39 38 33 42 41 34
- 14 a Two persons A and B appeared for an interview for a job. The probability of selection of A is $\frac{1}{3}$ and that of B is $\frac{1}{4}$. Find the probability that
i) Both of them will be selected (ii) None of them will be selected.
OR
b List out the properties of normal distribution.

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- 15 a Write a procedure for fitting a straight line trend using Ms-Excel.
OR
b Explain the step by step procedure' for the computation of Poisson distribution using MS-Excel.

SECTION -C (30 Marks)

Answer any THREE Questions

ALL Questions Carry EQUAL Marks (3 x 10 = 30)

- 16 Show that whether A and B are independent, positively associated or negatively associated. $(AB) = 128$; $(ccB) = 384$; $(Ap) = 24$ and $(ap) = 72$.
- 17 Compute Crude and Standardized Death Rates from the following data:
- | Age group
(years) | A | | B | |
|----------------------|------------|-------|------------|---------|
| | Population | Death | Population | . Death |
| Under 10 | 20,000 | 600 | 12,000 | * 372 |
| 10-20 | 12,000 | 240 | 30,000 | 660 |
| 20-40 | 50,000 | 1,250 | 62,000 | 1,612 |
| 40-60 | 30,000 | 1,050 | 15,000 | 325 |
| Above 60 | 10,000 | •500 | 3,000 | 180 |
- 18 Fit a straight line trend by the method of least square for the following data:
- | Year: | 1983 | 1984 | 1985 | 1986 | 1987 | 1988 |
|-----------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Sales (Rs. in lakhs): | 3 * | 8 | 7 | 9 | 11 | 14 |
- Also estimate the sales for the year 1991.
- 19 Eight coins are tossed simultaneously. Find the probability of getting atleast six heads.
- 20 Write the procedure for computing coefficient of correlation using Ms-Excel.

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