

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS)

BCom DEGREE EXAMINATION DECEMBER 2017
(First Semester)

Branch - **COMMERCE (COST & MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING)**

BUSINESS MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

SECTION-A (20 Marks)

Answer **ALL** questions

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

- 1 Calculate the simple interest on Rs. 500 for 73 days at 6% p.a.
- 2 Express the following exponential form into logarithmic form : $3^2 = 9$.
- 3 Differentiate the following with respect to x $f(x) = 5x^4$.
- 4 Define calculus.
- 5 What are diagrams?
- 6 Find the mode for the following data:
320, 395, 342, 444, 551, 395, 390, 395.
- 7 Write the Fisher's ideal index formula to find the price index number.
- 8 What is scatter diagram?
- 9 What is a time series?
- 10 A die is rolled find the probability that an even number is obtained?

SECTION - B (25 Marks)

Answer **ALL** Questions

ALL Questions Carry **EQUAL** Marks (5x5= 25)

- 11 a Find the sum of the series :
 $72 + 70 + 68 + \dots + 40$.
OR
b Find the number of permutations for the following:
(i) Accountant (ii) Engineering.
- 12 a Let $y = (5x^4 + 2)(x^5 + 4x^3)$ find $\frac{dy}{dx}$.
OR
b $\int (3-2x-x^4)dx = 3 \int dx - 2 \int x dx - \int x^4 dx$.
- 13 a Marks in statistics of 60 students in an examination are given below
22 47 9 42 31 17 13 15 18 13 2 21 12 26 29
27 38 15 0 33 10 34 29 26 16 25 33 16 29 35
36 10 24 22 26 19 14 36 18 25 21 33 33 27 26
35 25 18 28 25 17 38 10 3 31 24 3 18 28 27
Prepare a frequency table taking class - intervals as 0 - 7, 8 - 15, 16 - 23
and so on.
OR
b From the following data, compute arithmetic mean.
Marks obtained: 0- 10 10-20 20-30 30-40 40-50 50-60
No. of students: 5 10 25 30 20 10

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14 a Compute (i) Laspeyre's (ii) Paasche's and (iii) Fisher's ideal index numbers.

Item	Price		Quantity	
	Base year	Current year	Base year	Current year
A	6	10	50	50
B	2	2	100	120
C	4	6	60	60
D	10	12	30	25

OR

b From the following information on values of two variables x and y find the two regression lines

$$N = 10; \sum x = 20; \sum y = 40; \sum x^2 = 240; \sum y^2 = 410; \sum xy = 200.$$

15 a Mention the properties of a normal distribution.

OR

b Explain the concept of probability.

SECTION - C (30 Marks)

Answer any **THREE** Questions

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

16 If $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$; $B = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$ and $C = \{3, 4, 5, 6\}$
find : (i) $A \cap B$ (ii) $A \cup (B \cap C)$ (iii) $(A \cap B) \cap C$.

17 Evaluate $\int_{-2}^1 (x^2 + 3x - 2) dx$.

18 Find the standard deviation.

Class interval:	0- 10	10-20	20-30	30-40	40-50	Total
Frequency:	2	5	9	3	1	20

19 Ten competitors in a musical test were ranked by three judges. A, B and C in the following order.

Judge A:	1 6	5	10	3	2	4 9 7	8
Judge B :	3 5	8	4	7	10	2 1 6	9
Judge C:	6 4	9	8	1	2	3 10 5	7

Using rank correlation method, discuss which pair of judges has the nearest approach to common likings in music.

20 Using three year moving averages determine the trend values:

Year:	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992
Production ('000 tons):	21	22	23	25	24	22	25	26	27	26

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