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(AUTONOMOUS)

BSc DEGREE EXAMINATION DECEMBER 2019

(Sixth Semester)

Branch - MICROBIOLOGY

BIOSTATISTICS & RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

Time: Three Hours Maximum: 75 Marks

SECTION-A (20 Marks!

Answer **ALL** questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks (10x2 = 20)

- 1 Biostatistics.
- 2 Frequency Polygon.
- 3 Measures of Central Tendency.
- 4 Standard Deviation.
- 5 Correlation.
- 6 Regression line of X on Y.
- 7 Null hypothesis.
- 8 Level of significance.
- 9 Review of Literature.
- 10 Processing of Data.

SECTION - B (25 Marks!

Answer **ALL** Questions

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

11 a Write the functions of statistics.

OR

b Write the advantages of diagrammatic representation.

12 a Calculate mean and median from the following data:

| Daily Wages (in Rs.) | 60 | 80 | 100 | 120 | 160 | 180 | 200 |
|----------------------|----|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| No. of Persons | 5 | 8 | 12 | 22 | 10 | 7 | 6 |

OR

b The following table gives the monthly income of 10 employees in an office. Calculate mean and median.

Income: 4780 5760 6690 7750 4840 4920 6100 7810 7050 6950

13 a Explain the types of correlation.

OR

b Calculate Karl Pearson's coefficient o correlation for the following data:

| | | | | | | | | 50 |
|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Y: | 85 | 93 | 95 | 105 | 120 | 130 | 150 | 160 |

14 a Write the steps in testing of hypothesis.

OR

b The researcher are interested to determine that preconception use of folic acid and race are independent. The data is given below. Test whether use of folic acid and race are independent.

| | Use of f | Total | | |
|-------|----------|-------|-------|--|
| | Yes | No | Total | |
| White | 260 | 299 | 559 | |
| Black | 15 | 41 | 56 | |
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15 a Describe review of literature and its importance in research.

OR

b Explain different sources of data.

SECTION - C (30 Marks)

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

- Describe the methods of collecting primary data.
- 17 Calculate mean and standard deviation from the following frequency distribution:

| Class: | 0-10 | 10-20 | 20-30 | 30-40 | 40-50 | 50-60 | 60-70 | 70-80 |
|------------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Frequency: | 7 | 32 | 56 | 106 | 180 | 164 | 86 | 44 |

18 Calculate two regression equations for the following data:

| Age: | 56 | 42 | 36 | 47 | 49 | 42 | 60 | 72 | 63 | 55 |
|-----------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Blood Pressure: | 147 | 125 | 118 | 128 | 145 | 140 | 155 | 160 | 149 | 150 |

Below are given the gain in weights (in kgs) of pigs fed on two diets A and B.

Diet A: 25 32 30 34 24 14 32 24 30 31 35 25

Diet B: 44 34 22 10 47 31 40 30 32 35 18 21 35 29 22

Test if the two diets differ significantly as regards their effect on increase in weight.

20 Describe Processing and analysis of data.

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