

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

**BSc DEGREE EXAMINATION DECEMBER 2018  
(Sixth Semester)**

Branch - STATISTICS

**DESIGN OF EXPERIMENTS**

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

**SECTION-A (20 Marks)**

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks (10 x 2 = 20)

- 1 Give the two causes of variation.
- 2 Explain the term analysis of variance.
- 3 Define 'Design of Experiments'.
- 4 State the LSD test.
- 5 What is factorial experiment?
- 6 Define 2 - Factorial design.
- 7 Define partial confounding.
- 8 Define orthogonal contrast.
- 9 Write the parameters of BIBD.
- 10 Define split-plot design.

**SECTION - B (25 Marks)**

Answer ALL Questions

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

- 11 a Bring out the assumptions of ANOVA and state Cochran's theorem.  
OR  
b Explain the mathematical model of two-way classification.
- 12 a What are the advantages and disadvantages of RBD?  
OR  
b Discuss estimation of missing values in LSD.
- 13 a With an example explain the factorial experiment.  
OR  
b What are the main effects and interaction effects in 2 experiment?
- 14 a Explain analysis of 2<sup>y</sup>-confounding design.  
OR  
b What are the advantages and disadvantages of confounding?
- 15 a Explain split-plot design in detail.  
OR  
b Discuss analysis of covariance with one concomitant variable.

**SECTION-C 130 Marks)**

Answer any THREE Questions

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

- 16 Provide the model for one-way classification.
- 17 Bring out the statistical analysis of RBD.
- 18 Discuss fully the analysis of 2<sup>y</sup>-factorial experiment.
- 19 Explain the statistical analysis of 2 -partial confounded design.
- 20 Derive the analysis of covariance for one-way layout with one-concomitant variable.

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