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BUSINESS STATISTICS

Paper : 2-3

Full Marks : 80

Time : Three hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

1. Choose the correct alternative : $1 \times 10 = 10$

(a) The word 'statistics' seems to have been derived from the —

(i) Latin word 'status'

(ii) Italian word 'statista'

(iii) German word 'statistik'

(iv) All of the above

(b) Which is the best measure of central tendency ?

(i) AM (ii) GM

(iii) HM (iv) Mode

Contd.

(c) Which of the following is a unitless measure of dispersion?

- (i) Quartile Deviation
- (ii) Mean Deviation
- (iii) Standard Deviation
- (iv) Coefficient of variation

(d) 'Sale of woollen cloths' is associated to —

- (i) Secular trend
- (ii) Seasonal variation
- (iii) Cyclical variation
- (iv) Irregular variation

(e) If A and B are two mutually exclusive events then what is the value of $P(A \cap B)$?

- (i) $P(A) \cdot P(B)$
- (ii) 0
- (iii) 1
- (iv) Can't say

(f) The number of parameters in binomial distribution is —

- (i) 0
- (ii) 1
- (iii) 2
- (iv) 3

(g) In case of Poisson distribution —

- (i) mean > variance
- (ii) mean < variance
- (iii) mean = variance
- (iv) Can't say

(h) In case of normal distribution —

(i) $MD = \frac{5}{4}SD$ (ii) $MD = \frac{4}{5}SD$

(iii) $MD = \frac{3}{2}SD$ (iv) $MD = \frac{2}{3}SD$

(i) If C is any constant then $var(C) = ?$

- (i) C^2
- (ii) C
- (iii) 0
- (iv) 1

(j) The correlation coefficient between income and expenditure is considered to be —

- (i) Negative
- (ii) Zero
- (iii) Positive
- (iv) None

2. Answer the following: **(any five)** $2 \times 5 = 10$

- (a) If AM = 25 and Median = 20 then find Mode
- (b) If $E(X) = 5$; find $E(3X + 6)$
- (c) Bring out the fallacy of the statement —
“The mean of a binomial distribution is 8 and SD is 3”
- (d) Under what circumstances, a binomial distribution tends to Poisson distribution?
- (e) Mention *two* sources of secondary data.
- (f) If $b_{yx} = 1.6$ and $b_{xy} = 0.4$; find r
- (g) If $P(A) = \frac{1}{2}$, $P(B) = \frac{1}{3}$ and $P(A \cap B) = \frac{1}{4}$

then find the value of $P(A \cup B)$.

3. Answer the following: **(any four)** $4 \times 5 = 20$

- (a) The means of two samples of sizes 60 and 90 respectively are 52 and 48, and the standard deviations are 9 and 12. Obtain the mean and S.D. of the sample of size 150 obtained by combining two samples.

- (b) Write a short note on skewness and Kurtosis.

- (c) Two persons X and Y appear in an interview for two vacancies in the same post. The probability of X's selection is $\frac{1}{5}$ and that of Y's selection is $\frac{1}{3}$, what is the probability that exactly one of them will be selected?

- (d) The numbers of road accidents on a highway during a month follows a Poisson distribution with mean 6. Find the probability that in a certain month number of accidents will be (i) not more than 2 (ii) between 2 and 4 (given $e^{-6} = 0.0025$)

- (e) Write a short note on scatter diagram

- (f) Find the correlation from the following data —

$$n = 100, \sum X = 280, \sum Y = 60,$$

$$\sum X^2 = 2384, \sum Y^2 = 1017, \sum XY = 438$$

- (g) From the following series of observations, calculate 3 yearly weighted moving averages with the weights 1, 2, 1 respectively

Year :	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Value :	2	4	5	7	8	10	13

4. Answer the following : **(any five)** $8 \times 5 = 40$

- (a) Calculate mean and standard deviation from the following set of data :

Salary (in '000 Rs) :	20-25	25-30	30-35	35-40
No. of persons :	2	3	11	20

	40-45	45-50	50-55
	32	25	7

- (b) Explain the differences between a schedule and a questionnaire

- (c) The following results are given

	x	y
AM	36	85
SD	11	8

co-efficient of correlation = 0.66

Find (i) The *two* regression equations

(ii) Estimate the value of x when $y=75$

- (d) Explain the advantages of sample survey over complete census.

- (e) Calculate rank correlation coefficient from the following data —

Marks in statistics	:	68	64	75	50	64
Marks in Accountancy	:	62	58	68	45	81
Marks in statistics	:	80	64	40	75	55
Marks in Accountancy	:	60	70	48	68	50

- (f) Fit a linear trend to the following data and estimate the trend values by the method of least squares —

Year	:	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Production:		80	90	92	83	94	99	104

- (g) Explain the various components of time series.

- (h) How many male workers in a factory have a daily wage between (i) ₹ 480 and ₹ 680, and (ii) more than ₹ 720 if the mean daily wage is ₹ 500 and S.D. is ₹ 100 and the number of workers is 10,000 if the daily wage of the workers is assumed to be normally distributed

Given Z :	-1	1.8	2.2
Area :	0.3413	0.4641	0.4861