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BBMBMC 257

**Credit Based Fourth Semester B.B.M. Degree Examination,
November/December 2015
(2012 Scheme)
BUSINESS STATISTICS**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

- Instructions :** 1) **Only simple calculators are allowed.**
2) **Log tables are provided if necessary.**

SECTION – A

(One mark each)

1. Answer **any ten** questions.

- Write a limitation of statistics.
- What is primary data ?
- Which graph is used to find median ?
- Can Mean be a negative value ?
- In a distribution the highest and lowest values are 8 and -2 respectively. Find the range.
- Around which average, mean deviation is least ?
- If two variables are perfectly correlated what is the value of 'r' ?
- If regression equation x on y is $2x + 3y - 8 = 0$ find the regression coefficient bxy.
- In stem and leaf plot which digit of the given number forms leaf ?
- Which index number is used for fixation of salary and grant of allowance to employees ?
- Write the normal equation used in fitting a straight line trend.
- Define decision variables in L.P.P.

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(1×10=10)

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SECTION – B
(5 marks each)

Answer **any five** questions :

(5×5=25)

- Mention five limitations of statistics.
- For the following distribution of wage of workers draw histogram and find mode of the distribution

Weekly wage	no. of workers
200 – 400	40
400 – 450	85
450 – 500	160
500 – 600	280
600 – 700	110
700 – 800	60
800 – 900	10

- Find the geometric mean and harmonic mean of the following values

12.4, 12.6, 12.9, 12.1 and 12.3.

- Calculate Spearman's rank correlation

x :	15	20	28	12	40	60	20	80
y :	40	30	50	30	20	10	30	60

- Estimate most likely value of y when x = 40

x :	12	18	24	30	36	42	48
y :	5.3	5.7	6.3	7.2	8.0	8.7	9.9

- Find 2-yearly centered moving averages to the following data

Year	:	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Production (in tons)	:	42	37	28	33	34	33	30



8. Compute consumer price index number using the following data.

Item	Base year quantity	Price (Rs.)	
		Base year	Current year
Food	20	100	230
Clothing	4	200	450
Fuel	10	20	50
Rent	1	4000	6000
Misc	10	1000	2000

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SECTION - C
(15 marks each)

Answer **any three** questions.

(15x3=45)

9. a) Find mean, median, mode of the following distribution.

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Marks less than	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100
No. of Students	5	13	21	40	63	80	88	94	96	100

b) Draft a blank table for the presentation of data in a psychologic study regarding I.Q. of children classifies according to intelligence (below average, average, above average), age (below 10, 10 and above) and religion (Hindu, Muslim, Christian).

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10. a) The following is the distribution of daily wages of workers of two factories

i) In which factory is average wage high ?

ii) In which factory is wage variation more ?

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Wages (Rs.)	Workers	
	Factory A	Factory B
400 - 600	4	10
600 - 800	18	20
800 - 1000	25	42
1000 - 1200	2	18
1200 - 1400	1	10

b) Represent the following data regarding number of students present on different days by stem and leaf plot and also by box and whisker plot.

Number of students present : 84, 89, 74, 63, 76, 88, 83, 90, 79, 82, 74, 70, 58, 65, 65, 73, 81, 86, 85, 88, 68, 79, 81, 74, 72.

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11. a) Calculate Karl Pearson's coefficient of correlation. 10

y \ x	115	120	125	130
10	-	-	6	11
20	-	2	4	10
30	-	3	1	5
40	3	2	3	1
50	10	4	5	-

b) In a bivariate data, $\sum x = 10$, $\sum y = 210$, $\sum x^2 = 14$, $\sum y^2 = 5340$, $\sum xy = 180$ and $n = 10$. Estimate the value of x when $y = 15$. 5

12. a) Calculate Fisher's index number from the following data. 5

Item	Base Year		Current Year	
	Price	Total value	Price	Total value
A	50	100	60	180
B	40	120	40	200
C	100	100	120	120
D	20	80	25	100

b) Fit an equation of the type $y = a + bx$ to the following data and estimate the production in 2009. 5

Year	:	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Production	:	142	180	150	127	140	171	140

c) Solve the following LPP graphically 5

Maximize $z = 400x + 1000y$
 s.t. $12x + 6y \leq 6000$
 $4x + 10y \leq 4000$
 $2x + 3y \leq 1800$
 and $x \geq 0, y \geq 0$