

(FOR THE CANDIDATES ADMITTED

22UIB3A3

DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2022 ONLY)

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N.G.M.COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) : POLLACHI

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B.Com.IB(SF)

MAXIMUM MARKS: 50

SEMESTER: III

TIME : 3 HOURS

PART - III

22UIB3A3 – BUSINESS STATISTICS

SECTION – A

(10 X 1 = 10 MARKS)

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS (K1)

1. Which of the following is a branch of statistics?
 - a. Descriptive statistics
 - b. Inferential statistics
 - c. Industry statistics
 - d. Both a & b
2. The data classified according to some attributes is _____
 - a. Geographical
 - b. Chronological
 - c. Qualitative
 - d. Quantitative
3. Which among the following cannot be represented graphically?
 - a. Mean
 - b. Median
 - c. Mode
 - d. None of the above
4. If the values of two variables move in the same direction _____
 - a. the correlation is said to be negative.
 - b. the correlation is said to be positive.
 - c. the correlation is said to be non- linear.
 - d. the correlation is said to be linear.
5. In fitting a straight line, the value of slope 'b' remain unchanged with the change of _____
 - a. Scale
 - b. Origin
 - c. Both a & b
 - d. Neither a nor b

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING IN ONE (OR) TWO SENTENCES

(K2)

6. Define: Statistics
7. What are the different parts of a table?
8. State the various measures of central tendency.
9. What do you mean by Regression lines?
10. Mention the components of time series analysis.

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SECTION – B**(5 X 3 = 15 MARKS)****ANSWER EITHER (a) OR (b) IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.****(K3)**

11. a) Describe the characteristics of statistics.(OR)
- 11 b) Sketch the merits of collecting primary data.
12. a) List the primary objectives in the classification of data.(OR)
- 12 b) Outline the advantages of diagrammatic and graphic presentation of data.
13. a) From the following data compute arithmetic mean by direct method:

Marks	0-10	10-20	20-30	30-40	40-50	50-60
No. of students	5	10	25	30	20	10

(OR)

- 13 b) Blood serum cholesterol levels of 10 people are as under:
240, 260, 290, 245, 255, 288, 272, 263, 277, 251
Calculate standard deviation with the help of assumed mean.
14. a) Define: Rank Correlation. Sketch Spearman's formula for rank correlation coefficient. **(OR)**
- 14 b) The following table shows the ages (X) and blood pressure (Y) of 8 people:

X	52	63	45	36	72	65	47	25
Y	62	53	51	25	79	43	60	33

Obtain the regression equation of Y on X and find the expected blood pressure of a person who is 49 years old.

15. a) The following table relates to the tourist arrivals (in millions) during 2015 to 2021 in India:

Year	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Tourist arrivals (in millions)	18	20	23	25	24	28	30

Fit a straight line trend by the method of least square and estimate the number of tourists that would arrive in the year 2025.

(OR)

- 15 b) Assess the application of Time Series Analysis in business forecasting.

SECTION – C**(5 X 5 = 25 MARKS)****ANSWER EITHER (a) OR (b) IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.(K4 (Or) K5)**

16. a) Evaluate the utility of statistics as a managerial tool.

(OR)

- 16 b) Summarize the different methods of collecting data indicating the merits and demerits of each of them.

17. a) Discuss the types of data classification. **(OR)**

- 17 b) Categorize the various methods of graphical representation of data and explain the same.

18. a) Explain the concept of skewness. Draw the sketch of a skewed frequency distribution and show the position of the mean, median and mode when the distribution is asymmetric. **(OR)**

- 18 b) Find the missing frequency. If arithmetic mean is 28 of the data given below, find the median of the series later.

Profits per shop	0-10	10-20	20-30	30-40	40-50	50-60
No. of shops	12	18	27	-	17	6

19. a) Compute Karl Pearson's coefficient of correlation from the following data and comment on its value:

X	17	19	23	35	40	42	48	54
Y	02	13	11	24	13	50	18	37

(OR)

- 19 b) Obtain the regression equation of Y on X and estimate Y when X = 55 from the following:

X	40	50	38	60	65	50	35
Y	38	60	55	70	60	48	30

20. a) Calculate the trend values by the method of least- square from the data given below:

Year	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Sales	80	90	92	83	94	99	92	104

Plot the data showing also the trend line. **(OR)**

- 20 b) Critically examine the different methods of measuring the trend, pointing out their merits and demerits.
