

2023

( FYUGP )

( 3rd Semester )

COMMERCE

( Major )

Paper Code : BC/C5

( Business Statistics )

Full Marks : 75

Pass Marks : 40%

Time : 3 hours

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

1. (a) Define statistics. Explain the functions of statistics. 5+10=15

Or

- (b) Explain the various methods of collecting primary and secondary data. 8+7=15

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2. (a) Calculate mean and median from the following : 15

Marks	:	0-10	10-20	20-30	30-40	40-50	50-60	60-70
No. of Students	:	5	12	30	45	50	37	21

Or

- (b) Explain the various types of average. Also give its merits and limitations. 7+8=15

3. (a) Calculate Karl Pearson's coefficient of correlation from the following data :

Price ( in ₹ )	:	4	5	7	10	4
Supply ( in ₹ )	:	10	12	13	15	20

Interpret your result. 13+2=15

Or

- (b) Explain the uses of regression analysis. Distinguish between correlation and regression analysis. 7+8=15

4. (a) Construct index number of price from the following data by applying : 15

- (i) Laspeyres' method  
(ii) Paasche's method

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- (iii) Bowley's method  
(iv) Fisher's ideal method

Commodity	2021		2022	
	Price	Quantity	Price	Quantity
A	2	8	4	6
B	5	10	6	5
C	4	14	5	10
D	2	19	2	13

Or

- (b) Explain the various components of time series. 15

5. (a) Explain the concept and importance of probability. 7+8=15

Or

- (b) A bag contains 30 balls numbered from 1 to 30. One ball is drawn at random. Find the probability that the number of the balls drawn be a multiple of—  
(i) 5 or 7  
(ii) 3 or 7 15

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