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FIRST SEMESTER MBA DEGREE EXAMINATION (S), MAY 2022
Course Code: 20MBA103
Course Name: QUANTITATIVE TECHNIQUES FOR MANAGERS
Max. Marks: 60

## Duration : 3 Hours

## PART A

## (Answer all questions. Each question carries 2 marks)

1. "Tables and charts help present dry and uninteresting statistical facts in the shape of attractive and appealing pictures" Comment
2. What is conditional probability?
3. What are the components of time series?
4. Discuss the concept of level of significance in hypothesis testing
5. Distinguish between positive and negative correlation

## PART B

(Answer any 3 questions. Each question carries 10 marks)
6. Calculate coefficient of Quartile Deviation and Coefficient of Variation from the following data

| Marks | No. of Students |
| :--- | :--- |
| Below 20 | 8 |
| Below 40 | 20 |
| Below 60 | 50 |
| Below 80 | 70 |
| Below 100 | 80 |

7. a) A husband and wife appear in an interview for two vacancies in the same post. The probability of husband's selection is $1 / 7$ and that of wife's selection is $1 / 5$. What is the probability that
i. Both of them are selected
ii. Only one of them will be selected
iii. None of them will be selected
b) The probability of A speaking the truth is $3 / 5$ and the probability that $B$ speaks the truth is $5 / 8$. In what percentage of cases are they likely to contradict each other in stating the same fact.

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8. A man buys 50 electric bulbs of Philips and 50 electric bulbs of Havells. He finds that Philips bulbs gives an average life of 1500 hours with SD of 60 hours and Havells gives average life of 1512 hours with a SD of 80 hours. Is there a significant difference in mean life of the 2 makes of bulb? Check at $1 \%$ level of significance
9. A company is interested in determining whether an association exists between the commuting time of their employees and the level of stress related problems observed on the job. A The data with respect to 116 assembly line workers are given below.

| Commuting Time | Stress |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | High | Moderate | Low | Total |
| Under 20 min | 9 | 5 | 18 | $\mathbf{3 2}$ |
| 20-50 min | 17 | 8 | 28 | 53 |
| Over 50 min | 18 | 6 | 7 | $\mathbf{3 1}$ |
| Total | $\mathbf{4 4}$ | $\mathbf{1 9}$ | $\mathbf{5 3}$ | $\mathbf{1 1 6}$ |

At $\alpha=0.01$ level of significance, is there any evidence of a significant relationship between commuting time and stress
10. From the following data of the age of husband and the age of wife, form the two regression equations and calculate the husband's age when the wife's age is 26 . Also find the age of wife when husband's age is 40 .

| Husband's age | 36 | 23 | 27 | 28 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | 33 | 35 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Wife's age | 29 | 18 | 20 | 22 | 27 | 21 | 29 | 27 | 29 | 28 |

PART C
(Compulsory question, the question carries $\mathbf{2 0}$ marks)
11. a) Below are the figures of production(quintals) of a sugar factory

| Year | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Production | 80 | 90 | 92 | 83 | 94 | 99 | 92 |

i) Fit a straight-line trend by the method of least squares
ii) Plot these figures and show the trend line
iii) Estimate the production for the year 2010
(10 Marks)
b) What is Sampling? Critically examine the well-known methods of probability and nonprobability sampling?
(10 Marks)

