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## BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (SERVICES MANAGEMENT) (BBASM) Term-End Examination

## December, 2023 BSMA-006 : RESEARCH PROCESS

Time : 2 Hours

Maximum Marks : 50

Note : All questions are compulsory.

 Answer all the questions. Each question carries 1 mark.

Multiple choice questions :

- (a) Which of the following can be considered as primary data collection method ?
  - (i) Through questionnaire
  - (ii) Books
  - (iii) Newspaper
  - (iv) Government record

- (b) Which of the following can be considered as a disadvantage for a focus group ?
  - (i) Natural answers
  - (ii) Brianstorming in group
  - (iii) Independent responses
  - (iv) Qualitative data collection

Fill in the blanks :

- (c) ..... can be used to find solutions to help decision-making process.
- (d) ..... scale is the form of scale where usually numbers have no relevance except naming.
- (e) ..... rank between variable but not the difference in values between them.
- (f) Snowball sampling is a type of ..... sampling.

State True or False :

- (g) Applied research is used to find solution for business problem.
- (h) The research tool is decide on the basis of research design.

- (i) The drawback of ratio scale is that it does not have the true zero value.
- (j) Random sampling is also known as nonprobabilistic sampling.
- Briefly explain any *five* of the following in about 100 words each. Each part carries 2 marks: 5×2=10
  - (a) Questionnaire
  - (b) Ratio Scale
  - (c) Case Studies
  - (d) Cluster Sampling
  - (e) Pilot Study
  - (f) Scientific Research
  - (g) Secondary Data Collection
- Answer any *four* questions in about 250 words
  each. Each question carries 5 marks : 4×5=20
  - (a) What are the differences between qualitative and quantitative research ?
  - (b) What is exploratory research design ? Discuss its components.

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- (c) Discuss the measurement scale in detail.
- (d) How is Probability sampling different from Non-probability sampling ? Explain.
- (e) What are the steps of questionnaire design?
- (f) Discuss any *two* principles of research ethics.
- 4. Answer any *one* question in about **500** words :

 $1 \times 10 = 10$ 

- (a) Define Business Research. Explain the process of business research in detail.
- (b) Discuss the important tips to prepare an ideal research report.