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MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME

Term-End Examination

December, 2017

MS-008 : QUANTITATIVE ANALYSIS FOR MANAGERIAL APPLICATIONS

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100 (Weightage 70%)

Note :	(i)	Section A has six questions, each carrying
		15 marks. Attempt any four questions from
		this section.
	(ii)	Section B is compulsory and carries 40 marks.
		Attempt both questions.
	(iii)	Use of calculator is permissible.

SECTION - A

- 1. In what three categories statistical methods can be broadly classified. Which of these categories rely heavily on probability theory ? Why ?
- 2. Minimum day-time temperature in a cosmopolitan city was recorded every third day during June 2016 as under.

Day of June 2016	2 nd	5^{th}	8 th	11 th	14^{th}	17 th	20 th	23 rd	26 th	29 th
Temperature (°C)	31	33	34	31	32	34	34	34	33	32
Find :										

- (a) Average day-time temperature in June 2016.
- (b) Median day-time temperature.
- (c) Mode day-time temperature.

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- **3.** Discuss different approaches to probability theory. All these approaches share some basic axioms. Clearly state these axioms.
- 4. For a population of 2000 students living in hostels, per head monthly mean expenditure on three meals a day is ₹ 500 with a variance of ₹ 81. Find the probability that a random sample of 36 students shows a per head mean expenditure of less than ₹ 495 per month.

(Given the required area under the standard normal curve from 0 to z is 0.4996)

5. The following table relate to marking expenditure in Rs Lac and the corresponding sales of a product is Rs Crores. Estimate the marketing expenditure to attain a sales target of ₹ 40 Crores.

Marketing Expenditure	10	12	15	20	23
Product Sales	14	17	23	21	25

6. Write short notes on **any three** of the following :

- (a) Identity matrix
- (b) More than type ogive
- (c) Poisson distribution
- (d) Central limit theorem
- (e) Seasonality

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- 7. What is stratification ? How and why a sample based on stratification is more representative of the population ?
- 8. A sample survey of tax payers belonging to business class and professional class yielded the following results.

Bus	siness Class	Professional		
,		Class		
Sample size	$n_1 = 400$	$n_2 = 420$		
Defaulters in Tax payment	$x_1 = 80$	$x_2 = 65$		

Test the hypothesis at $\alpha = 0.01$. Level of significance that proportion of defaulters is the same for the two classes of tax payers. (Given the tabulated value of test statistic is 2.58)