

**M.A. IN PARTICIPATORY DEVELOPMENT
(MAPD)**

Term-End Examination

June, 2017

MDS-011 : RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

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- Note :* (i) *Answer all questions.*
(ii) *All questions carry equal marks.*
(iii) *Question nos. 1 to 4 are essay type and question no. 5 is short notes.*
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1. (a) Discuss recent trends in Social Science research with examples. 20

OR

- (b) Research generates knowledge useful to Social System. Discuss. 20

2. (a) Differentiate between quantitative and qualitative research. Explain any one qualitative method. 20

OR

- (b) What do you understand by Social research methods ? Discuss in detail the various methods. 20

3. (a) What do you understand by 'participatory research' ? Explain the various streams of participatory methods. 20

OR

(b) Define Sampling. Describe any two probability sampling methods and examine their strengths and limitations. 20

4. (a) Explain the concept of correlation and regression with suitable examples. 20

OR

(b) Examine the criteria involved in determining the reliability and validity of measuring instrument. 20

5. Write short notes (any two) :

- (a) Applied Research 10
- (b) Diverse Participatory methods 10
- (c) Uses of measures of variability 10
- (d) Research Paradigm 10
