

BACHELOR OF ARTS (PSYCHOLOGY)

Term-End Examination

December, 2013

**BPC-003 : RESEARCH METHODS IN
PSYCHOLOGY**

Time : 2 hours

Maximum Marks : 50

Note : Attempt any five questions.. Each question is to be answered in about 500 words each. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Discuss the nature and characteristics of psychological research. What are the contexts of discovery and justification of research ? 5+5=10

2. Define problems and explain the characteristics of a good research problem. How is a problem identified and selected ? 6+4=10

3. Explain meaning and uses of psychological tests. Describe various types of tests. 5+5=10

4. Discuss various non-experimental methods of research in psychology. 10

5. Define single subject design. Discuss its characteristics and types. 10

6. Describe different types of questionnaires. Discuss the steps followed in questionnaire construction. 5+5=10
7. Write short notes on any two of the following :
(a) Main and interaction effect 5+5=10
(b) Abstract writing
(c) Field experiments.
8. Discuss purpose and sources of review of literature. What is the process of writing review of literature ? 6+4=10
9. Define results. How do you use statistics in a research report ? 3+7=10
10. Write short notes on **any two** of the following :
(a) Control group design 5+5=10
(b) Steps of case study
(c) Qualitative research
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