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POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN DEVELOPMENT COMMUNICATION (PGDDC)

Term-End Examination December, 2023

MDCE-006: RESEARCH METHODS IN DEVELOPMENT COMMUNICATION

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 100

Weightage: 70%

Note: Answer any five of the following questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

- 1. Discuss the concept, importance and scope of development research in Indian context. 20
- 2. Indentify probability and non-probability sampling methods used in communication research.
- 3. Describe various primary sources of data collection for quantitative research. Cite suitable examples.

- Design a questionnaire (use both closed and open ended questions of minimum 15 questions) to measure penetration of internet in the rural context.
- 5. What is the basic difference between quantitative and qualitative content analysis?Explain with suitable examples.
- 6. Discuss interview as a tool of data collection used in development communication context. 20
- 7. Describe the characteristics of observation method and explain its suitability for development communication research. 20
- 8. Write the short notes on any two of the following: $2\times10=20$
 - (a) Importance of hypothesis
 - (b) Cluster sampling
 - (c) Objective of review of literature
 - (d) Scales of measurement