

**(FOR THE CANDIDATES ADMITTED  
DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2020 ONLY)**

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**N.G.M.COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) : POLLACHI**

**END-OF-SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS: DECEMBER-2022**

**COURSE NAME : B.A.-ECONOMICS**

**MAXIMUM MARKS: 70**

**SEMESTER: V**

**TIME: 3 HOURS**

**PART - III**

**STATISTICAL METHODS - I**

**SECTION – A**

**(10 X 1 = 10 Marks)**

**ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.**

**MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS.**

**(K1)**

- Which one of the following is not a source of secondary data?  
(a) Personal Contact (b) Journal (c) Records (d) Newspaper
- Classifying data on the basis of time is\_\_\_\_\_.  
(a) Serial (b) Spatial (c) Chronological (d) Geographical
- is one of the measures of central tendency.  
(a) Mean (b) Median (c) Mean Deviation (d) Standard Deviation
- Kurtosis refers to -----  
(a) Symmetry (b) Peakedness (c) Histogram (d) None of these
- The coefficient of correlation -----  
(a) can be less than 1 (b) can be more than 1  
(c) can be more than 1 (d) varies between  $\pm 1$

**ANSWER THE FOLLOWING IN ONE OR TWO SENTENCES. (K2)**

- Define ‘Statistics’.
- What do you mean by Tabulation?
- What is Geometric mean?
- Define ‘Skewness’.
- What is meant by Correlation?

**SECTION – B (5 X 4 = 20 Marks)**

**ANSWER EITHER (a) OR (b) IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS . K3**

- (a) Write the scope of statistics.

**(OR)**

- (b) State the various methods of collecting primary data.

- (a) Marks scored by 30 students are given below:

41	55	48	47	53	48	33	32	42	55
44	38	60	65	71	80	41	53	47	48
55	20	31	34	42	51	35	30	26	25

Convert the marks into a continuous series of a class-interval of 10.

**(OR)**

- (b) Distinguish between classification and tabulation.

**(CONTD....2)**

13. (a) Write the functions of an average.

(OR)

(b) The following are the marks scored by 7 students:

Roll Number:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Marks :	45	32	18	57	65	28	46

Find out the median marks.

14. (a) What are the purposes of measuring dispersion?

(OR)

(b) Calculate mean deviation from the following data:

X	2	4	6	8	10
f	1	4	6	4	1

15. (a) What are the types of correlation?

(OR)

(b) Distinguish between regression and correlation.

### SECTION - C

(4 X 10 = 40 MARKS)

**ANSWER ANY FOUR OUT OF SIX QUESTIONS**

**(16<sup>th</sup> QUESTION IS COMPULSORY AND ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS (FROM Qn. No : 17 to 21) (K4 (Or) K5**

16. What are the characteristics of statistics?

17. Explore the types of classification.

18. The following data show the number of accidents sustained by 100 drivers of a company in a particular year. Draw a suitable diagram.

Number of accidents:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Number of drivers:	2	18	15	10	13	22	9	11

19. The following table gives the weight of 31 persons in sample survey:

Weight:	130	135	140	145	146	148	149	150	157
Number of Persons:	3	4	6	6	3	5	2	1	1

Calculate geometric mean.

20. Discuss the various methods of measuring dispersion.

21. From the following data calculate the rank correlation coefficient after making adjustment of tied ranks.

X	48	33	40	9	16	16	65	24	16	57
Y	13	13	24	6	15	4	20	9	6	19

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