

## DU MA MSc Statistics

Topic:- DU\_118\_MA\_STATS\_Topic01

 1) In analysis of variance problem involving 3 treatments with 10 observations each,  $SSE = 399.6$ . Then the MSE is equal to: [Question ID = 2313]

1. 14.8 [Option ID = 9252]
2. 133.2 [Option ID = 9249]
3. 30 [Option ID = 9251]
4. 13.32 [Option ID = 9250]

Correct Answer :-

- 14.8 [Option ID = 9252]

2) If the variability due to chance decreases, the value of F: [Question ID = 2309]

1. Decreases [Option ID = 9234]
2. Stay the same [Option ID = 9235]
3. Increases [Option ID = 9233]
4. Nothing can be said from given information [Option ID = 9236]

Correct Answer :-

- Increases [Option ID = 9233]

3) If an unbiased coin is flipped till a first Head occurs, then the sample space is: [Question ID = 2284]

1.  $\{H, TH\}$  [Option ID = 9135]
2.  $\{H, TH, TTH, TTTH, \dots\}$  [Option ID = 9136]
3.  $\{TH\}$  [Option ID = 9134]
4.  $\{H\}$  [Option ID = 9133]

Correct Answer :-

- $\{H, TH, TTH, TTTH, \dots\}$  [Option ID = 9136]

4) The listing of elements in population with distinct identifiable number is classified as: [Question ID = 2305]

1. Regularity experimental frame [Option ID = 9219]
2. Frame for experiment [Option ID = 9220]
3. Direct experimental frame [Option ID = 9217]
4. Indirect experimental frame [Option ID = 9218]

Correct Answer :-

- Frame for experiment [Option ID = 9220]

5) When there is rough linearity between the principal variable Y and the auxiliary variable X, but there is no proportionality, the link between Y and X can be exploited to improve simple random sample estimator by using:

[Question ID = 2307]

1. Both Ratio estimator and Regression estimator [Option ID = 9227]
2. Combined estimator [Option ID = 9228]
3. Regression estimator [Option ID = 9226]
4. Ratio estimator [Option ID = 9225]

Correct Answer :-

- Regression estimator [Option ID = 9226]

6) In LSD with 5 treatments and one missing plot, the error degrees of freedom is: [Question ID = 2310]

1. 15 [Option ID = 9238]



2. 11 [Option ID = 9239]  
3. 12 [Option ID = 9240]  
4. 16 [Option ID = 9237]

Correct Answer :-

- 11 [Option ID = 9239]

7) In the context of characteristic function of a random variable, which one of the following statements is false? [Question ID = 2293]

1. It always exists. [Option ID = 9169]
2. It is uniformly continuous on  $\mathbb{R}$ . [Option ID = 9170]
3. It is not independent of change of origin and scale. [Option ID = 9171]
4. If characteristic function of sum of two random variables is same as the product of their individual characteristic functions, then the variables are independent. [Option ID = 9172]

Correct Answer :-

- If characteristic function of sum of two random variables is same as the product of their individual characteristic functions, then the variables are independent. [Option ID = 9172]

8) The area under a normal curve between one standard deviation on either side of the mean is: [Question ID = 2285]

1. 95% [Option ID = 9138]
2. 68% [Option ID = 9139]
3. 60% [Option ID = 9140]
4. 99% [Option ID = 9137]

Correct Answer :-

- 68% [Option ID = 9139]

9) In case of two attributes A and B if  $(A) = 30$ ,  $(B) = 40$ ,  $N = 200$ , then for A and B to be negatively associated the frequency of the class AB will be:

[Question ID = 2289]

1.  $0 < (AB) < 6$  [Option ID = 9155]
2.  $(AB) = 6$  [Option ID = 9154]
3.  $(AB) = 0$  [Option ID = 9153]
4.  $(AB) > 6$  [Option ID = 9156]

Correct Answer :-

- $0 < (AB) < 6$  [Option ID = 9155]

10) Suppose that there is a chance for a newly constructed building to collapse, whether the design is faulty or not. The chance that the design is faulty is 10%. The chance that the building collapses is 95% if the design is faulty and otherwise it is 45%. If it is seen that the building has collapsed, then the probability that it is due to faulty design is: [Question ID = 2277]

1. 0.95 [Option ID = 9108]
2. 0.19 [Option ID = 9106]
3. 0.45 [Option ID = 9107]
4. 0.1 [Option ID = 9105]

Correct Answer :-

- 0.19 [Option ID = 9106]

11) If ANOVA procedure is applied to the data obtained from 5 samples, where each sample contains 9 observations, then the degrees of freedom for critical value of F are: [Question ID = 2312]

1. 5 and 9 [Option ID = 9245]
2. 4 and 44 [Option ID = 9247]
3. 4 and 40 [Option ID = 9248]
4. 4 and 8 [Option ID = 9246]

Correct Answer :-

- 4 and 40 [Option ID = 9248]

12) The ages of 7 family members are 2, 5, 12, 18, 38, 40 and 60 years respectively. After 5 years a new member aged x years is added. If the mean age of the family now goes up by 1.5 years, then the value of x (in years) is: [Question ID = 2287]

1. 2 [Option ID = 9146]
2. 1 [Option ID = 9145]



3. 3 [Option ID = 9147]

4. 4 [Option ID = 9148]

Correct Answer :-

• 2 [Option ID = 9146]

- 13) Consider the  $2^3$  factorial experiment in blocks of 4 plots, involving three fertilizers N, P, and K each at two levels.

	Replicate I		Replicate II		Replicate III
Block 1	np, npk, (1), k	Block 3	pk, nk, (1), np	Block 5	(1), npk, nk, p
Block 2	p, n, pk, nk	Block 4	np, npk, p, k	Block 6	n, npk, p, k

[Question ID = 2311]

1. NK, NPK, PK [Option ID = 9244]

2. PK, NPK, PN [Option ID = 9243]

3. NP, NK, PK [Option ID = 9241]

4. NP, NPK, NK [Option ID = 9242]

Correct Answer :-

- 14) An urn contains 3 white and 4 black balls. A ball is drawn at random, its colour is noted and returned to urn along with two additional balls of the same colour. If a ball is drawn again from the urn, then the probability that the ball drawn is white, is:

[Question ID = 2274]

 1.  $\frac{5}{9}$  [Option ID = 9094]

 2.  $\frac{3}{9}$  [Option ID = 9093]

 3.  $\frac{3}{7}$  [Option ID = 9095]

 4.  $\frac{4}{7}$  [Option ID = 9096]

Correct Answer :-

 •  $\frac{3}{7}$  [Option ID = 9095]

- 15) Let  $A = (a_{ij})$ , where  $a_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1, & i+j, \text{ is even} \\ -1 & i+j, \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$ , be a square matrix of order  $2k \times 2k$  and B be a column vector of order  $2k \times 1$  with all elements as unity. Then the value of  $B^T A B$  is:

[Question ID = 2273]

1. 0 [Option ID = 9089]

 2.  $2k - 1$  [Option ID = 9091]

 3.  $4k^2$  [Option ID = 9092]

 4.  $2k^2$  [Option ID = 9090]

Correct Answer :-

• 0 [Option ID = 9089]

- 16) Let  $X$  be a single observation from truncated Poisson distribution having probability mass function  $P(X = x) = \frac{e^{-\theta} \theta^x}{x!(1 - e^{-\theta})}$ ;  $x = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ . The estimator  $T = \begin{cases} 2, & x = 1, 3, 5, \dots \\ 0, & x = 2, 4, 6, \dots \end{cases}$  is unbiased for:

[Question ID = 2302]

1.  $\frac{1 + e^{-\theta}}{1 - e^{-\theta} - e^{-2\theta}}$  [Option ID = 9208]
2.  $\frac{1 - e^{-\theta}}{1 - e^{-2\theta}}$  [Option ID = 9205]
3.  $\frac{1 - e^{-\theta}}{1 - 2e^{-\theta}}$  [Option ID = 9206]
4.  $\frac{1 - e^{-\theta}}{1 - e^{-\theta}}$  [Option ID = 9207]

Correct Answer :-

- $\frac{1 + e^{-\theta}}{1 - e^{-\theta} - e^{-2\theta}}$  [Option ID = 9208]
- $\frac{1 - e^{-\theta}}{1 - e^{-\theta}}$  [Option ID = 9206]

- 17) If  $v_r$  is the absolute moment of order  $r$  about origin zero of a distribution, then:

[Question ID = 2281]

1.  $v_r^{2r} = v_{r-1}^r v_{r+1}^r$  [Option ID = 9121]
2. none of the above [Option ID = 9124]
3.  $v_r^{2r} \geq v_{r-1}^r v_{r+1}^r$  [Option ID = 9122]
4.  $v_r^{2r} \leq v_{r-1}^r v_{r+1}^r$  [Option ID = 9123]

Correct Answer :-

- $v_r^{2r} \leq v_{r-1}^r v_{r+1}^r$  [Option ID = 9123]

- 18) Suppose that the five random variables  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_5$  are independent and each has standard normal distribution. A constant  $c$  such that the random variable  $\frac{c(X_1 + X_2)}{(X_3^2 + X_4^2 + X_5^2)^{1/2}}$  will have a t-distribution has value:

[Question ID = 2283]

1.  $\frac{3}{2}$  [Option ID = 9131]
2.  $\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$  [Option ID = 9130]

3.  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}}$  [Option ID = 9132]

4.  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$  [Option ID = 9129]

Correct Answer :-

\*  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{2}}$  [Option ID = 9130]

- 19) The two candidates A and B for the presidency of a Students' Union were asked to rank 4 issues in the order of their perceived importance. Their responses are listed besides the issues.

ISSUE	Ranking by candidates	
	A	B
Crime against girl students	1	2
Corruption in sports	4	3
Education system	3	4
Unemployment	2	1

Based on this data, Spearman's Rank Correlation Coefficient is:

[Question ID = 2291]

1.  $\frac{1}{5}$  [Option ID = 9161]

2.  $\frac{3}{5}$  [Option ID = 9163]

3.  $\frac{4}{5}$  [Option ID = 9164]

4.  $\frac{2}{5}$  [Option ID = 9162]

Correct Answer :-

\*  $\frac{3}{5}$  [Option ID = 9163]

- 20) If A is non-singular matrix of order  $4 \times 4$  and determinant of  $\text{Adj}(A)$  is 4 then the value of  $|2\text{Adj}(3A)|$  is:

[Question ID = 2269]

1.  $(3\sqrt{2})^{12}$  [Option ID = 9074]

2.  $(2\sqrt{2})^{12}$  [Option ID = 9073]

3.  $3^{12}$  [Option ID = 9075]

4.  $2^{12}$  [Option ID = 9076]

Correct Answer :-

•  $(3\sqrt{2})^{12}$  [Option ID = 9074]

- 21) Nine elements of which 4 are of one kind and 5 are of a different kind are arranged in a sequence. If  $R$  is the number of runs, then  $P(R=2)$  is equal to:

[Question ID = 2280]

1.  $\frac{1}{126}$  [Option ID = 9118]

2.  $\frac{1}{63}$  [Option ID = 9117]

3.  $\frac{1}{56}$  [Option ID = 9119]

4.  $\frac{1}{42}$  [Option ID = 9120]

Correct Answer :-

•  $\frac{1}{63}$  [Option ID = 9117]

- 22) Let  $X$  be a random variable with probability density function  $f \in (f_0, f_1)$ , where

$$f_0(x) = \begin{cases} 2x, & 0 < x < 1 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}, \quad f_1(x) = \begin{cases} 4x^3, & 0 < x < 1 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases} \quad \text{and } W_0 = \{x : x > c\} \text{ is the}$$

rejection region for testing null hypothesis  $H_0 : f = f_0$  against  $H_1 : f = f_1$ , with level of significance  $\alpha$ . Then power of the most powerful test is:

[Question ID = 2298]

1.  $\alpha - 2\alpha^2$  [Option ID = 9191]

2.  $2\alpha - \alpha^2$  [Option ID = 9189]

3.  $2(\alpha - \alpha^2)$  [Option ID = 9192]

4.  $\alpha - \alpha^2$  [Option ID = 9190]

Correct Answer :-

•  $2\alpha - \alpha^2$  [Option ID = 9189]

- 23) The estimator  $T_0$  is MVU estimator for  $\gamma(\theta)$  and  $T_1$  is any other unbiased estimator for  $\gamma(\theta)$  with efficiency 0.0169, then correlation between  $T_0$  and  $T_1$  is:

[Question ID = 2300]

1. 0.013 [Option ID = 9197]

2. 0.5 [Option ID = 9200]

3. 0.13 [Option ID = 9198]



4. 0.0169 [Option ID = 9199]

Correct Answer :-

• 0.13 [Option ID = 9198]

- 24) Let  $X$  follows exponential distribution with mean  $\theta$ . For testing the null hypothesis  $H_0: \theta = 3$  against  $H_1: \theta = 5$ , a test gives rejection region  $W_0 = \{x, x \geq 4.5\}$ . The size of the type - II error is:

[Question ID = 2299]

1.  $e^{-20}$  [Option ID = 9196]
2.  $1 - e^{-20}$  [Option ID = 9194]
3.  $1 - e^{-4.5}$  [Option ID = 9193]
4.  $e^{-9/2}$  [Option ID = 9195]

Correct Answer :-

- 25) The area enclosed by curves  $y^2 = x$ ,  $y^2 = 3x - 1$  where  $0 \leq x \leq \frac{1}{2}$  is:

[Question ID = 2267]

1.  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{3}$  [Option ID = 9066]
2.  $\frac{2}{9}$  [Option ID = 9068]
3.  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{9}$  [Option ID = 9065]
4.  $\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{9}$  [Option ID = 9067]

Correct Answer :-

 •  $\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{9}$  [Option ID = 9067]

- 26) If  $A$  is a  $3 \times 3$  matrix with Given values - 1, 0 and 1 then value of  $6A$  is:

[Question ID = 2265]

1.  $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 5 & 2 \\ 5 & -1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$  [Option ID = 9060]
2.  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 3 \\ 5 & 1 & 3 \\ 3 & 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$  [Option ID = 9058]

3.  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  [Option ID = 9059]

4.  $\begin{bmatrix} -3 & 9 & 0 \\ 9 & -3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$  [Option ID = 9057]

Correct Answer :-

27) Let  $x_1 = 2.4$ ,  $x_2 = 9.2$ ,  $x_3 = 5.2$ ,  $x_4 = 4.1$ ,  $x_5 = 2.1$  and  $x_6 = 3.1$  be the observed values of a random variable of size 6 from uniform distribution with parameters  $(\theta - 2, \theta + 6)$  where  $\theta > 0$  is unknown, then MLE of  $\theta$  is:

[Question ID = 2295]

1. 3.5 [Option ID = 9178]
2. 4.5 [Option ID = 9179]
3. 9.2 [Option ID = 9180]
4. 2.5 [Option ID = 9177]

Correct Answer :-

- 3.5 [Option ID = 9178]

28) Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample from Cauchy distribution with location parameter  $\theta$  and scale parameter 1. The Cramer Rao lower bound for unknown parameter  $\theta$ , is:

[Question ID = 2303]

1.  $2/n$  [Option ID = 9212]
2.  $4/n$  [Option ID = 9211]
3.  $1/n$  [Option ID = 9209]
4.  $3/n$  [Option ID = 9210]

Correct Answer :-

- $2/n$  [Option ID = 9212]

29) Suppose that  $p(x, y)$ , the joint probability mass function (p.m.f.) of discrete random variables  $X$  and  $Y$ , is given by:

$$p(0,0) = 0.4, \quad p(0,1) = 0.2, \quad p(1,0) = 0.1, \quad p(1,1) = 0.3.$$

Then the conditional p.m.f. of  $X$ , given that  $Y=1$ , is:

[Question ID = 2290]

1.  $p_{X|Y}(0|1) = \frac{3}{5}, p_{X|Y}(1|1) = \frac{2}{5}$  [Option ID = 9160]

2.  $p_{X|Y}(0|1) = \frac{2}{5}, p_{X|Y}(1|1) = \frac{3}{5}$  [Option ID = 9157]

3.  $p_{X|Y}(0|1) = \frac{4}{5}, p_{X|Y}(1|1) = \frac{3}{5}$  [Option ID = 9158]



4.  $p_{X|Y}(0|1) = \frac{1}{5}, p_{X|Y}(1|1) = \frac{2}{5}$  [Option ID = 9159]

Correct Answer :-

•  $p_{X|Y}(0|1) = \frac{2}{5}, p_{X|Y}(1|1) = \frac{3}{5}$  [Option ID = 9157]

- 30) The frequency distribution of percentage of marks obtained by a group of 229 students is given below with two missing frequencies marked as  $f_1$  and  $f_2$ :

Percentage of marks	No. of students	Percentage of marks	No. of students
10-20	12	50-60	$f_2$
20-30	30	60-70	25
30-40	$f_1$	70-80	18
40-50	65		

If the median of the distribution is 46, then the missing values of  $f_1$  and  $f_2$  are:

[Question ID = 2278]

1.  $f_1 = 34, f_2 = 45$  [Option ID = 9109]
2.  $f_1 = 8, f_2 = 71$  [Option ID = 9111]
3.  $f_1 = 40, f_2 = 39$  [Option ID = 9112]
4.  $f_1 = 66, f_2 = 13$  [Option ID = 9110]

Correct Answer :-

•  $f_1 = 34, f_2 = 45$  [Option ID = 9109]

- 31) The equation whose roots are cubes of roots of equation  $x^3 - x = 0$  is:

[Question ID = 2266]

1.  $x^3 - 9x = 0$  [Option ID = 9061]
2.  $x^3 + x = 0$  [Option ID = 9063]
3.  $x^3 - x = 0$  [Option ID = 9064]
4.  $x^3 + x^2 + x - 1 = 0$  [Option ID = 9062]

Correct Answer :-

•  $x^3 - x = 0$  [Option ID = 9064]

- 32) Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample of size  $n$  from  $N(\theta_1, 9\theta_2)$ , then the estimate of  $(\theta_1, \theta_2)$  using the method of moments is:

[Question ID = 2296]

1.  $\left( \frac{1}{9n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i, \frac{1}{2n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2 \right)$  [Option ID = 9183]

2.  $\left( \frac{1}{2n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i, \frac{1}{9} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2 \right)$  [Option ID = 9182]

3.  $\left( \frac{1}{9} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i, \frac{1}{2n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2 \right)$  [Option ID = 9184]

4.  $\left( \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i, \frac{1}{9n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2 \right)$  [Option ID = 9181]

Correct Answer :-

•  $\left( \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i, \frac{1}{9n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2 \right)$  [Option ID = 9181]

33) If the observations recorded on five sampled items are 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, then the unbiased estimate of the population variance is:

[Question ID = 2276]

1. 0 [Option ID = 9101]

2. 1 [Option ID = 9102]

3. 2 [Option ID = 9103]

4. 2.5 [Option ID = 9104]

Correct Answer :-

• 2.5 [Option ID = 9104]

34) The equation of tangents at origin to the curve  $x^2(a^2 - x^2) = y^2(a^2 + x^2)$  is:

[Question ID = 2271]

1.  $y = \pm ax$  [Option ID = 9084]

2.  $y = \pm x$  [Option ID = 9083]

3.  $x = \pm ay$  [Option ID = 9081]

4.  $y = \pm 2x$  [Option ID = 9082]

Correct Answer :-

•  $y = \pm x$  [Option ID = 9083]

35) An urn contains 5 red and 3 black balls. Balls are drawn, one-by-one, with replacement till the 3<sup>rd</sup> red ball is drawn. The probability that 3<sup>rd</sup> red ball occurs at the 5<sup>th</sup> draw is:

[Question ID = 2292]

1.  $\frac{5^3}{8^5}$  [Option ID = 9168]

2.  $\frac{6 \cdot 5^3 \cdot 3^2}{8^5}$  [Option ID = 9165]

3.  $\frac{5^3 \cdot 3^2}{8^5}$  [Option ID = 9166]

4.  $\frac{6.5^3}{8^5}$  [Option ID = 9167]

Correct Answer :-

•  $\frac{6.5^3 \cdot 3^2}{8^5}$  [Option ID = 9165]

36) The slope of tangents at double point  $(x, y)$  to the curve  $f(x, y) = 0$  is given by solution of the quadratic equation:

[Question ID = 2272]

1.  $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right) + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} = 0$  [Option ID = 9087]

2.  $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right) + 2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = 0$  [Option ID = 9088]

3.  $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right) + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = 0$  [Option ID = 9086]

4.  $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 + 2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right) + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = 0$  [Option ID = 9085]

Correct Answer :-

•  $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 + 2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right) + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = 0$  [Option ID = 9085]

37) Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample of size  $n$  from  $N(\theta, \sigma^2)$ ,  $\sigma^2$  is known, then pivotal statistics used to find  $100(1-\alpha)\%$  confidence interval for  $\theta$  is:

[Question ID = 2297]

1.  $2(\bar{X} - \theta)$  [Option ID = 9185]

2.  $\frac{X_{(n)} - \theta}{\sigma}$  [Option ID = 9187]

3.  $\frac{X_{(1)} - \theta}{\sigma}$  [Option ID = 9188]

4.  $\frac{\sqrt{n}(\bar{X} - \theta)}{\sigma}$  [Option ID = 9186]

Correct Answer :-

•  $\frac{\sqrt{n}(\bar{X} - \theta)}{\sigma}$  [Option ID = 9186]

38) The variance of unbiased estimator  $T$  of  $\theta$  satisfy:

[Question ID = 2301]

$$V_{\theta}(T) \geq \frac{1}{nE\left(\frac{\partial^2 \log L}{\partial \theta^2}\right)}$$

1. [Option ID = 9203]

$$V_{\theta}(T) \geq \frac{1}{-nE\left(\frac{\partial^2 \log L}{\partial \theta^2}\right)}$$

2. [Option ID = 9202]

$$V_{\theta}(T) \geq \frac{1}{nE\left(\frac{\partial \log L}{\partial \theta}\right)}$$

3. [Option ID = 9204]

$$V_{\theta}(T) \geq \frac{1}{-E\left(\frac{\partial^2 \log L}{\partial \theta^2}\right)}$$

4. [Option ID = 9201]

Correct Answer :-

$$V_{\theta}(T) \geq \frac{1}{-E\left(\frac{\partial^2 \log L}{\partial \theta^2}\right)}$$

• [Option ID = 9201]

39) If the correlation coefficient between two variables X and Y is 0.6, then the correlation coefficient between two new variables

$$U = \frac{X+6}{6} \text{ and } V = \frac{Y-6}{-6}$$

is:

[Question ID = 2286]

1. 0.6 [Option ID = 9143]

2. -0.1 [Option ID = 9142]

3. -0.6 [Option ID = 9144]

4. 0.1 [Option ID = 9141]

Correct Answer :-

• -0.6 [Option ID = 9144]

40)

$$\text{If } R = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - A)^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2}, \quad A \neq \bar{x}, \text{ then } R \text{ is:}$$

[Question ID = 2279]

 1.  $< 1$  [Option ID = 9113]

 2.  $\neq 1$  [Option ID = 9116]

 3.  $1$  [Option ID = 9115]

 4.  $> 1$  [Option ID = 9114]

Correct Answer :-

 •  $> 1$  [Option ID = 9114]

- 41) If the area (under a normal density curve) to the left of the point  $x_1$  is 0.4 and to the right of the point  $x_2$  is 0.3, then  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  are such that:

[Question ID = 2288]

1. none of these [Option ID = 9152]
2.  $x_1 < x_2$  [Option ID = 9149]
3.  $x_1 = x_2$  [Option ID = 9151]
4.  $x_1 > x_2$  [Option ID = 9150]

Correct Answer :-

- $x_1 < x_2$  [Option ID = 9149]

- 42) The solution of the linear differential equation  $2e^{3x} \frac{dy}{dx} = 3e^{2y}$  with  $y(0) = 0$  is:

[Question ID = 2268]

1.  $e^{3x} - e^{2y} = 0$  [Option ID = 9070]
2.  $e^{3x} + e^{2y} = 0$  [Option ID = 9072]
3.  $e^{3x} - e^{2y} = 0$  [Option ID = 9071]
4.  $e^{-3x} - e^{2y} = 0$  [Option ID = 9069]

Correct Answer :-

- $e^{3x} - e^{2y} = 0$  [Option ID = 9071]

- 43) An urn contains 2 white and 3 red balls. 15 balls are drawn one-by-one with replacement. The standard deviation of the number of white balls drawn is:

[Question ID = 2282]

1. 1 [Option ID = 9125]
2.  $\sqrt{3.6}$  [Option ID = 9128]
3. 2 [Option ID = 9126]
4. 3.6 [Option ID = 9127]

Correct Answer :-

- $\sqrt{3.6}$  [Option ID = 9128]

- 44) Variances of the sample mean under simple random sampling ( $V_{\text{ran}}$ ), under stratified sampling with proportional allocation ( $V_{\text{prop}}$ ) and sampling with Neyman allocation ( $V_{\text{opt}}$ ) obey which of the following order:

[Question ID = 2304]

1.  $V_{\text{ran}} \leq V_{\text{opt}} \leq V_{\text{prop}}$  [Option ID = 9216]
2.  $V_{\text{ran}} \leq V_{\text{prop}} \leq V_{\text{opt}}$  [Option ID = 9215]
3.  $V_{\text{opt}} \leq V_{\text{ran}} \leq V_{\text{prop}}$  [Option ID = 9213]



4.  $V_{opt} \leq V_{prop} \leq V_{ran}$  [Option ID = 9214]

Correct Answer :-

•  $V_{opt} \leq V_{prop} \leq V_{ran}$  [Option ID = 9214]

45) If events A and B are independent, consider the statements:

1. A and  $B^c$  are independent
2.  $A^c$  and B are independent
3.  $A^c$  and  $B^c$  are independent

Then:

[Question ID = 2275]

1. only 2 and 3 are true [Option ID = 9099]

2. only 1 is true [Option ID = 9097]

3. all 1, 2, and 3 are true. [Option ID = 9100]

4. only 1 and 2 are true [Option ID = 9098]

Correct Answer :-

• all 1, 2, and 3 are true. [Option ID = 9100]

46) The value of  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{a^x b^x - b^x - a^x + 1}{x^2}$  is:

[Question ID = 2270]

1.  $\log a \log b$  [Option ID = 9078]

2.  $\log \frac{a}{b}$  [Option ID = 9079]

3. 1 [Option ID = 9080]

4.  $-\log ab$  [Option ID = 9077]

Correct Answer :-

•  $\log a \log b$  [Option ID = 9078]

47) In a trivariate distribution if  $r_{12} = r_{23} = r_{31} = \rho \neq 1$ , then the value of  $R_{1,23}$  is

[Question ID = 2294]

1.  $\frac{\rho}{\sqrt{1+\rho}}$  [Option ID = 9174]

2.  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{1+\rho}}$  [Option ID = 9175]

3.  $\frac{1}{1+\rho}$  [Option ID = 9176]

4.  $\frac{\sqrt{2} \rho}{\sqrt{1+\rho}}$  [Option ID = 9173]



Correct Answer :-

$$\frac{\sqrt{2} \rho}{\sqrt{1+\rho}}$$

[Option ID = 9173]

48)

If  $\int_0^{\infty} e^{-\left(a^2x^2 + \frac{b^2}{x^2}\right)} dx = \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2a} e^{-2ab}$ , then value of  $\int_0^{\infty} x^{-2} e^{-\left(a^2x^2 + \frac{b^2}{x^2}\right)} dx$  is equal to:

[Question ID = 2264]

1.  $\frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2b} e^{-2ab}$  [Option ID = 9054]

2.  $\frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2b} e^{-3ab}$  [Option ID = 9055]

3.  $\frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2b} e^{-4ab}$  [Option ID = 9053]

4. 1 [Option ID = 9056]

Correct Answer :-

•  $\frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2b} e^{-2ab}$  [Option ID = 9054]

49) Interviewing all members of a given population is called: [Question ID = 2306]

1. A census [Option ID = 9223]
2. A statistic [Option ID = 9224]
3. A Nelson audit [Option ID = 9222]
4. A sample [Option ID = 9221]

Correct Answer :-

- A census [Option ID = 9223]

50) Which one of the following statement is correct? [Question ID = 2308]

1. Systematic sampling is more precise than SRSWOR if heterogeneity of the whole population is more than the heterogeneity within systematic sample [Option ID = 9231]
2. If  $\rho_{wst} > 0$ , then systematic sampling is more precise than stratified sampling [Option ID = 9232]
3. Systematic sampling may always yield unbiased estimates if there are periodic features associated with the sampling interval. [Option ID = 9230]
4. Systematic sampling is not very efficient in the presence of linear trend. [Option ID = 9229]

Correct Answer :-

- Systematic sampling is not very efficient in the presence of linear trend. [Option ID = 9229]