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Time: 3 Hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES :

- 1. Attempt any FIVE questions out of EIGHT questions.
- 2. Each question carries TWENTY marks.
- 1. Define research. Also discuss various types of research in detail.
- 2. a. Explain why a research problem is required?
 - b. Explain the steps of formulating a research problem.
- 3. The following measurements were recorded for the drying time, in hours, of a certain brand of latex paint.

3.4	2.5	4.8	2.9	3.6
2.8	3.3	5.6	3.7	2.8
4.4	4.0	5.2	3.0	4.8

Compute the sample mean, median, variance and sample standard deviation.

- 4. a. The probability that a patient recovers from a rare blood disease is 0.4. If 15 people are known to have contracted this disease, what is the probability that
 - i. At least 10 survive
 - ii. From 3 to 8 survive
 - iii. Exactly 5 survive
 - b. What is the importance of negative binomial distribution? Explain.
- 5. The height of 1000 students is normally distributed with a mean of 174.5 centimeters and a standard deviation of 6.9 centimeters. Assuming that the heights are recorded to the nearest half centimeter, how many of these students would you expect to have heights?
 - a. Less than 160.0 centimeters?
 - b. Between 171.5 and 182.0 centimeters inclusive?

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- 6. a. A researcher collects a sample of 20 students of a class to know whether their age is same or not. What type of parametric test you would apply in this situation and why?
 - b. What is null hypothesis? Explain with an example.
- 7. Write a short note on the following :
 - a. Quoting of references and preparing bibliography
 - b. SPSS
 - c. Mini Tab
 - d. Completely randomized and Randomized block design.
- 8. Write a short note on preparation and presentation of research proposal.

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