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FIRST SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, DECEMBER 2019

(CUCSS)

Psychology

PSY 1.4—RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

(2010 Admissions)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 36 Weightage

Section A

Answer all questions in one or two sentences each. Each question carries 1 weightage.

Explain the following:

- 1. Desensitizing.
- 2. Experimental realism.
- 3. Face validity.
- 4. Type I error.
- 5. Confidential interval.
- 6. Ceiling effect.
- 7. Between-participant design.
- 8. Latin square.
- 9. Interaction effect.
- 10. Appendices.
- 11. McNemer test.
- 12. Chi-Square.
- 13. Content analysis.
- 14. Principle of randomization.

 $(14 \times 1 = 14 \text{ weightage})$

Section B

Answer any **seven** paragraph questions. Each question carries 2 weightage.

- 15. Delineate the essential attributes of science as a way of knowing.
- 16. Examine the criteria of a good research problem.

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- 17. List out the criteria of a good hypothesis.
- 18. Write a note on Development of Hypothesis.
- 19. Explain Randomization.
- 20. Assess the meaning and nature of balancing in research.
- 21. Elucidate the basic principles of experimental designs.
- 22. Enumerate the assumptions of 't'—test.
- 23. Illustrate the method of interpreting research reports.
- 24. Elaborate the different types of report.

 $(7 \times 2 = 14 \text{ weightage})$

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Section C

Write essays on any two of the following. Each question carries 4 weightage.

- 25. Explain the different types of research.
- 26. Enumerate the purpose and sources of review of literature.
- 27. Examine the important concepts relating to a research design.
- 28. Illustrate the method of writing a research proposal with an example.

 $(2 \times 4 = 8 \text{ weightage})$

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