2021

M.E. (Electronics and Communication Engineering) Third Semester ECE-1307: Research Methodology

Time allowed: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 50

NOTE: Attempt <u>five</u> questions in all, including Question No. I which is compulsory and selecting two questions from each Unit.

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- I. Attempt the following:
 - a) What do you mean by research methodology?
 - b) What are the different methods of data collection?
 - c) Define case study and indicate its characteristics?
 - d) Define qualitative research?
 - e) What is standard deviation?
 - f) What do you mean by null hypothesis?
 - g) What are the various sampling errors?
 - h) Write the formula for Chi square test?
 - i) What are applications of student 't' test?
 - j) What is statistical analysis?

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<u>UNIT – I</u>

- II. Describe different types of research pointing out the distinctions among them and the purposes of those types. (10)
- III. Explain in brief the different measures of dispersion? Discuss the advantages of measurement of dispersion over measurement of central tendency? (10)
- IV. Describe the following in detail:
 - a) Content analysis
 - b) Ex post facto research
 - c) Co relational research
 - d) Experimental research

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UNIT - II

V. Find the mean, mode and median of the following frequency distribution:

Variable	10-13	13-16	16-19	19-22	22-25	25-28	28-31	31-34	34-37	37-40	
Frequency	8	15	27	51	75	54	36	18	9	7	
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VI. What is the difference between mean deviation and standard deviation? Calculate the standard deviation for the following data:

Variable	3.5	4.5	5.5	6.5	7.5	8.5	9.5
Frequency	3	7	22	60	85	32	8

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VII. Explain the significance of a research report and narrate the various steps involved in writing such a report. (10)