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# **INTEGRATED MSC DEGREE EXAMINATION, JULY 2024**

#### **Fourth Semester**

INTEGRATED MSC BASIC SCIENCE-STATISTICS

### **CORE - IST4CR02 - INTRODUCTION TO SAMPLING THEORY**

2020 Admission Onwards 212BFEDB

Time: 3 Hours Weightage: 30

### **Part A (Short Answer Questions)**

Answer any **eight** questions.

Weight **1** each.

- 1. What is sample survey? Give an example
- 2. Write down two disadvantages of sampling
- 3. What is non-response?
- 4. Obtain the estimate of population total under SRSWR
- 5. Write down the variance of estimate of population proportion under SRSWR
- 6. Write down the formula for the sample size determined on the basis of pre-specified estimator error
- 7. The student council is crrying out a survey. They want to collect a stratified sample of 10% of students in years 7-11. Calculate the number of students in each year group that will take part in the survey.

year 7	year 8	year 9	year 10	year 11
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- 8. Write down the variance of  $\bar{x}_{\rm st}$  under optimum allocation.
- 9. Write down the basic difference between stratified and cluster sampling.
- 10. What is the inclusion probability (sampling fraction) of a two-stage cluster sample?

(8×1=8 weightage)



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### Part B (Short Essay/Problems)

Answer any **six** questions.

Weight **2** each.

- 11. Distinguish between restricted and non restricted sampling. Give an example for each.
- 12. What are the principles of sample survey?
- 13. Distinguish between convenience sampling and guota sampling.
- 14. Show that sample mean is an unbiased estimate of population mean in SRSWOR.
- 15. Obtain  $100(1-\alpha)\%$  confidence interval for the population mean when  $\sigma^2$  is known
- 16. Explain stratified sampling. Give any four of its applications.
- 17. Define systematic sampling. What are its advantages, disadvantages?
- 18. Compare systematic sampling with stratified sampling.

(6×2=12 weightage)

## Part C (Essay Type Questions)

Answer any **two** questions.

Weight **5** each.

- 19. Explain the role of Sampling Theory
- 20. a) Explain Simple random sampling with replacement and without replacement and obtain the probability of drawing samples of size n from population of size N. b) Show that all  ${}^{N}C_{n}$  distinct samples have an equal chance of being selected in SRS
- 21. Show that  $V(\bar{y}_{st})_{Ney} \leq V(\bar{y}_{st})_{Prop} \leq V(\bar{y}_{st})_{ran}$
- 22. Explain systematic sampling and derive the estimte of population mean also.

(2×5=10 weightage)

