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**FIRST SEMESTER UG DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2025**

(FYUGP)

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

**CC24USTA1FM105(2) - FUNDAMENTALS OF STATISTICS**

(Statistics - Minor Course)

(2024 Admission onwards)

Time: 1.5 Hours

Maximum : 50 Marks

Credit: 3

**Part A** (Short answer questions)

Answer *all* questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

1. Differentiate census survey and sample survey. [Level:2] [CO1]
2. Define inferential statistics. [Level:2] [CO1]
3. Explain grouped frequency table with an example. [Level:2] [CO2]
4. Distinguish between frequency curve and frequency polygon. [Level:2] [CO2]
5. What is meant by Quantitative data and give one example? [Level:2] [CO2]
6. Define weighted geometric mean. [Level:2] [CO3]
7. Define absolute measure of dispersion and give on example. [Level:2] [CO3]
8. State true or false. [Level:3] [CO3]
  - i) Harmonic mean cannot be calculate if any of the values is zero
  - ii) Geometric mean of four values  $x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4$  is given by  $\sqrt{x_1 \cdot x_2 \cdot x_3 \cdot x_4}$
9. Which of the following is true for the statement: [Level:2] [CO4]

Frequency distribution is symmetric

  - i) Mean < Median < Mode
  - ii) mean > Median > Mode
  - iii) Mean = Median = Mode
10. For a set of observations mean and median are 23 and 20 what is the mode. [Level:3] [CO4]

**(Ceiling: 16 Marks)**

**Part B** (Paragraph questions/Problem)

Answer **all** questions. Each question carries 6 marks.

11. Explain the different methods of collecting Primary data. [Level:2] [CO1]
12. Explain the various scale of measurement with examples. [Level:2] [CO2]
13. Compare pie chart with other types of data visualization techniques discuss the merits and demerits. [Level:3] [CO2]
14. Define arithmetic mean of a grouped frequency distribution. Show that sum of deviations taken from arithmetic mean is zero. [Level:2] [CO3]
15. If the median wage from the following frequency distribution is 46.75 finding the missing values. [Level:3] [CO3]

Wage in Rs	20-30	30-40	40-50	50-60	60-70	Total
No. of labourers	3	$f_1$	20	$f_2$	5	43

**(Ceiling: 24 Marks)**

**Part C** (Essay questions)

Answer any **one** question. The question carries 10 marks.

16. i) Explain mean deviation and standard deviation. [Level:3] [CO3]  
ii) What are their merits and demerits.
17. Find first, second and third quartiles from the following data. [Level:3] [CO4]

Class Interval	0-4	4-8	8-12	12-16	16-20	20-24	24-28
Frequency	3	7	13	18	9	6	4

**(1 × 10 = 10 Marks)**

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