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SECOND SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, JULY 2016

(CUCSS - PG)

(Clinical Psychology)

CC15P CP2 C05 - RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

(2015 Admission)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 36 Weightage

PART A

(Answer all questions. Each question carries 1 weightage)

1. Replication

2. Null hypothesis

3. Confounding

4. Method of matching

5. Criterion-related validity 6. Running head

7. Pilot experiment

8. Plagiarism

10. Research method

9. Ethnographic studies

11. Method of average error 12. Nominal scale

13. Ex-post facto design

14. Quota sampling

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

PART B

(Answer any seven questions. Each question carries 2 weightage)

- 15. Explain interview method and its importance in psychological research.
- 16. Compare experimental and non-experimental research design.
- 17. Ethical issues in psychological research.
- 18. Explain any two non-parametric tests.
- 19. What is research design? Explain types of research designs.
- 20. Explain the purpose of research design.
- 21. What is probability sampling and briefly explain cluster sampling.
- 22. What is hypothesis? Explain different types of hypothesis.
- 23. Importance of qualitative and quantitative analysis in psychological research.
- 24. What are variables? Explain various types of variables.

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

PART C

(Answer any two questions. Each question carries 4 weightage)

- 25. Differentiate between psychological and psychophysical scaling methods.
- 26. What is research report writing and give an account on APA style of report writing.
- 27. Elaborate about parametric and non-parametric statistics.
- 28. What is data collection? List different data collection methods, stressing interview method.

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