

**Paper- 4: FUNDAMENTALS OF BUSINESS MATHEMATICS
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Full Marks: 100

Time Allowed: 3 Hours

Section – A
(Fundamentals of Business Mathematics)
PART A

1. Answer All objective questions.

(a) Answer Multiple Choice Question

[9×2= 18]

- (i) A certain amount was divided between X and Y in the ratio 4 : 3. If B's share was ₹4,800, the total amount was:
- (a) ₹11,200
(b) ₹6,400
(c) ₹19,200
(d) ₹39,200
- (ii) At what rate converted semi-annually will the present value of a perpetuity of ₹450 payable at the end of each 6 months be ₹20,000.
- (a) 5.4%
(b) 5%
(c) 4.59
(d) 4%
- (iii) In how many ways can 15 things be divided into three groups containing 8, 4 and 3 things respectively.
- (a) $\frac{15!}{8!. 4!. 3!}$
(b) 15!
(c) 7!
(d) None of these
- (iv) How many combinations can be formed of 8 counters marked 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 taking them 4 at a time, there being at least one odd and one even counter in each combination
- (a) 80
(b) 86
(c) 68
(d) None of these
- (v) $\log_{100} (0.1) = ?$
- (a) -2

- (b) $\frac{1}{2}$
- (c) $-\frac{1}{2}$
- (d) 2
- (vi) What will be the difference between simple and compound interest on ₹8,000 at the rate of 5 percent per annum at the end of 3 years?
- (a) ₹61.00
- (b) ₹122.00
- (c) ₹91.50
- (d) ₹152.50
- (vii) In how many ways can 8 books can be arranged, so that the best and worst books never come together
- (a) 8!
- (b) 7!. 2!
- (c) 7!
- (d) None of these
- (viii) If the sum of an infinitely decreasing G.P. is 3 and the sum of the squares of its terms is $(9/2)$, then the sum of the cubes of these terms is –
- (a) $\frac{105}{13}$
- (b) $\frac{108}{13}$
- (c) $\frac{729}{8}$
- (d) None
- (ix) $[n(n+1)/2 : n \text{ is a positive integer}]$ is
- (a) a finite set
- (b) An infinity set
- (c) is an empty set
- (d) None of these

(b) Answer the following Question True or False

[6×1=6]

- (i) The g.c.d of the equations $2x^2-x-1 = 0$ and $4x^2+8x+3 = 0$ is $3x+1$

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- (ii) The total number of 9 digits numbers which have all different digits is 9×9 ()
- (iii) The numbers of different number of 6 digits (without repetition) can be formed from the digits 3,1,7,0,9,5 is 120 ()
- (iv) The logarithms with base e are called comm. Logarithm ()
- (v) If $9 \times 81^x = \frac{1}{27^x - 3}$ then the value of x is ()
- (vi) The difference between S.I and C.I on ₹1,000 for 1 years at 4% payable quarterly is 0.40 ()

PART B

4 Questions to be answered out of 6 questions [4×4=16]

2. A locomotive engine without a train can go 24 Km./hr. and its speed is diminished by a quantity which varies as the square root of the number of wagons attached. With 4 wagons its speed is 20 Km./hr. Find the greatest number of wagons with which the engine can move. [4]
3. In what time will the C.I. on ₹ 1,200 be ₹ 124.60 p. at 8% p.a. payable quarterly? [4]
4. Which term of the G.P. 36, 24, 16, is $512/81$? [4]
5. A If $x = 2 + 2^{2/3} + 2^{1/3}$, prove that $x^3 - 6x + 6x - 2 = 0$. [4]
6. If ${}^nC_8 = {}^nC_6$, find nC_2 . [4]
7. Solve $x^2 + 7x + \sqrt{x^2 + 7x + 9} = 3$ [4]

Section – B

PART A

8. Answer All objective questions.

(a) Answer Multiple Choice Question

[12×2= 24]

- (i) If $r = 0.7$, then the value of coefficient of determination is
- (a) 0.51
 - (b) 0.7
 - (c) 0.49
 - (d) 0.50
- (ii) The two regression lines are $3x - y = 0$ and $3x - 4y = 0$. If variance of x is 4 then variance of y is
- (a) 4
 - (b) 2
 - (c) 3
 - (d) 9
- (iii) The mode of 5, 5, 5, 7, 9, 10, 10, 10 is
- (a) 5
 - (b) 10
 - (c) 5 and 10
 - (d) None of these
- (iv) In the method of concurrent deviations, only the changes of signs in the values of the variables are taken in account for the calculation of
- (a) Coefficient of standard deviation
 - (b) Coefficient of determination
 - (c) Coefficient of regression
 - (d) Coefficient of correlation
- (v) Mean deviation from the mean for the observations 0, -1, 4 is
- (a) 2
 - (b) $2/5$
 - (c) $3/5$
 - (d) None of these

(vi) For three mutually exclusive and exhaustive events A, B and C, $2P(A) = 3P(B) = P(C)$. What is $P(A \cup B \cup C)$?

(a) $\frac{6}{11}$

(b) $\frac{5}{11}$

(c) $\frac{9}{11}$

(d) $\frac{8}{11}$

(vii) If $r = -0.9$, it indicates that

- (a) There is high degree of correlation between two variables and changes are in opposite direction
- (b) The assumption of linear correlation is valid
- (c) The correlation between population variables is significant
- (d) All of these

(viii) $N = 10$, $\sum x = 55$, $\sum y = 88$, $\sum x^2 = 385$, $\sum y^2 = 1114$, $\sum xy = 586$. The regression equation of y on x is

(a) $1.98x - y + 1.24 = 0$

(b) $1.24x - y + 2 = 0$

(c) $124x - 100y + 198 = 0$

(d) $12.4x - 10y + 1.94 = 0$

(ix) A frequency distribution

- (a) Arranges observations on an increasing order
- (b) Arranges observation in terms of a number of groups
- (c) Relates to a measurable characteristic
- (d) All these

(x) Median of 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 is

(a) 9

(b) 6

(c) 3

(d) 5

(xi) Three families consist of 3 boys and 2 girls, 2 boys and 2 girls, and 2 boys and 3 girls respectively. A family is selected at random and from it two children are selected. What is the probability that both of them are girls?

- (a) 0.20
- (b) 0.12
- (c) 0.04
- (d) None

(xii) The variance of standard normal distribution is

- (a) 1
- (b) μ
- (c) 02
- (d) 0

(b) Answer the following Question True or False

[12×1=12]

- (i) If $P(A) = 7/8$ then $P(A^c)$ is equal to 0
- (ii) Initially, probability was a branch of Mathematics
- (iii) If $P(A) = 1$, then the event A is known as Importable event
- (iv) BAYE's Theorem is not associated with the name of Reverend Thomas Bayes.
- (v) Two regression lines coincide when $r = D$
- (vi) If $r = 0.6$ then the coefficient of non-determination is 0.64
- (vii) 10th percentile is equal to 1st decile
- (viii) Quartile deviation is based on the Highest 50%
- (ix) An ideal measure of central tendency is Moving average
- (x) Pooled mean is also called Grouped mean
- (xi) The colour of a flower is an example of a variable
- (xii) Weights are generally called Frequencies

PART B

4 Questions to be answered out of 6 questions [6×4=24]

9. Explain the Importance and Scope of Statistics. [6]
10. From the following table, find the median time taken by 40 male students to solve a problem. [6]

Table

Time (S)	Frequency
118-126	3
127-135	5

136-144	9
145-153	12
154-162	5
163-171	4
172-180	2
	Total = 40

11. Calculate (a) mean coefficient of dispersion from the following data: [6]

Table

Marks:	10	15	20	30	40	50
Frequency:	8	12	15	10	3	2

12. Consider the following table. Calculate the product moment correlation coefficient.

Table

1998	Mean Temperature (°C)	Beer Production (million barrels)
January	6	2.5
February	5	2.4
March	5	3.3
April	8	3.3
May	12	3.5
June	17	3.7
July	19	3.9
August	18	3.6
September	14	3.4
October	11	3.1

[6]

13. Compute the regression coefficients from the data given below and find the value of 'r' (the correlation coefficient) using the same:

Table

X	7	4	8	6	5
Y	6	5	9	8	2

[6]

14. Four cards are drawn at a time from a pack of 52 playing cards. Find the probability of getting all the four cards of the same suit. [6]