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B.A./B.Sc. (Hons.) 5th Semester

(2124)

SOCIOLOGY

Paper : Methods and Techniques of Social Research

Time Allowed : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 90

Note :— Attempt **five** questions in all, including Question No. 1 which is compulsory and selecting **one** question from each Unit. Each question is of **18** marks.

1. Answer any **nine** of the following :

- (a) Accidental sampling.
- (b) Schedule.
- (c) Non-probability sampling.
- (d) Census.
- (e) Empiricism.
- (f) Hypothesis.
- (g) Causality.
- (h) Research Gap.
- (i) Data coding.
- (j) Experimental research.
- (k) Verifiability.
- (l) Secondary sources.

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UNIT—I

2. Describe the major stages of social research. 18
3. Write an essay on the importance of objectivity within social research. 18

UNIT—II

4. Examine the differences between stratified and cluster sampling. 18
5. What possible sources of error can arise during sampling ? And how can they be corrected ? 18

UNIT—III

6. Examine the differences between structured and unstructured interviews. 18
7. Elaborate on the case study method stating its importance and limitations. 18

UNIT—IV

8. In a cricket match, players from Team A score the following runs : 46, 90, 1, 23, 18, 20 and 46. Players from Team B respond by scoring 72, 31, 28, 6, 1, 1, and 3 respectively. Calculate the mean, median and mode scores for each team. 18
9. Write an essay on the importance of mean, median and mode. 18