# 2022

## GEOGRAPHY — HONOURS

Paper: CC-7

Full Marks: 50

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Use of Scientific Calculators is Allowed in this Examination / Paper.

#### Group - A

Answer any five of the following questions.

1. Differentiate between raw data and grouped data.

- 2. Explain the meaning of Universe in Statistics. If the standard deviation is 15 and the mean is 50, find the C.V of the distribution.
- 3. A mineral is drawn from a bag that contains two minerals Calcite and Tourmaline. The probability of choosing a Calcite mineral specimen is 2/9. If the total number of Calcite and Tourmaline specimens in the bag together is 36, find the number of Tourmaline specimens.
- 4. How does the relationship between mean, median and mode of a frequency distribution determine the nature of skewness?
- 5. Determine the missing frequency (p) when the mean of the distribution is 50,  $\Sigma f=39+p$  and  $\Sigma fx=2085+5p$ .
- 6. What are partition values and how are they represented diagrammatically?
- 7. Given the following data series representing amount of rainfall in cms for 10 years: 110, 97, 95, 105, 90, 107, 100, 102, 98, and 93; determine the measure of Central Tendency which is also a partition value.

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#### Group - B

Answer any four of the following questions.

8. Prepare a frequency distribution table from the given data in Table 1 and determine the percentage of Villages with population between 3000 to 4000 persons.

Table 1

| Population | Number of Villages |  |  |  |
|------------|--------------------|--|--|--|
| <500       | 20                 |  |  |  |
| <1000      | 50                 |  |  |  |
| <1500      | 110                |  |  |  |
| < 2000     | 240                |  |  |  |
| <2500      | 410                |  |  |  |
| <3000      | 650                |  |  |  |
| <3500      | 840                |  |  |  |
| <4000      | 1020               |  |  |  |
| <4500      | 1170               |  |  |  |
| <5000      | 1200               |  |  |  |

9. What are the different sources of geographical data?

10. Compute the value of Spearman's Rank Correlation Coefficient between marks obtained in Theory and Practical with the following data and interpret the nature of relationship between them.

Table 2

| Students | Marks in Theory | Marks in Practical |
|----------|-----------------|--------------------|
| A        | 85              | 93                 |
| В        | 60              | 75                 |
| С        | 73              | 65                 |
| D        | 40              | 50                 |
| Е        | 90              | 80                 |

- 11. Explain the advantages of 'Relative Measures of Dispersion' over the 'Absolute Measures of Dispersion'. State any two properties of a Normal Distribution.
- 12. Explain the characteristics of different scales of measurement with suitable examples.

13. What is the difference between census enumeration and data obtained from sample survey?

- 14. (a) What do you mean by 'critical value' in test of significance?
  - (b) In an analysis of GDP and CO<sub>2</sub> emissions for 10 countries, it was found that the Pearson's correlation coefficient r is 0.88. Test the hypothesis that the computed correlation coefficient is significantly different from zero at 1% level of significance. (Refer to Supplied Table A1 Critical Value of Student's 't')

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### Group - C

### Answer any two of the following questions.

- 15. Define statistics. What is the difference between statistics in singular and plural sense? Discuss the significance of statistics for geographical studies.
- 16. (a) What is null hypothesis?
  - (b) A random sample of 300 people revealed the following details regarding distribution of Educational Attainment Levels by Marital Status (Table 3). Using Chi-square test determine whether there is any relationship between Marital Status and the level of educational attainment and whether the relationship is significant at 1% level of significance. (Refer to Supplied Table A2 Critical Values of Chi-Square).

Table 3: Educational Attainment Levels and Marital Status of Population

| Marital Status     | Graduate | Middle & Secondary | Elementary | Total |
|--------------------|----------|--------------------|------------|-------|
| Never Married      | 36       | 36                 | 18         | 90    |
| Married            | 102      | 36                 | 12         | 150   |
| Widowed / Divorced | 32       | . 18               | 10         | 60    |
| Total              | 170      | 90                 | 40         | 300   |

- 17. (a) What do you mean by secular trend in time series data analysis?
  - (b) On the basis of data provided in Table 4, draw a time series graph to show food production. Compute and draw the trend by four years moving average. 2+(2+6)

Table 4: Foodgrain Production

| Year    | Foodgrain production in '000 metric tons |
|---------|--|
| 2010-11 | 208.60                                   |
| 2011-12 | 217.28                                   |
| 2012-13 | 230.78                                   |
| 2013-14 | 234.47                                   |
| 2014-15 | 218.11                                   |
| 2015-16 | 244.49                                   |
| 2016-17 | 259.29                                   |
| 2017-18 | 257.13                                   |
| 2018-19 | 265.04                                   |

- 18. (a) Define independent and dependent variables with suitable examples.
  - (b) From the following data in Table 5, find the regression equation required for estimation of 'y'.

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Table 5: Irrigated Area and Cropping Intensity

| Block       | Irrigated Area(%) | <b>Cropping Intensity(%)</b> |
|-------------|-------------------|------------------------------|
| Rajnagar    | 38                | 106                          |
| Md. Bazar   | 43                | 116                          |
| Suri-I      | 51                | 123                          |
| Dubrajpur   | 51                | 131                          |
| Rampurhat-I | 63                | 133                          |
| Nalhati-I   | 51                | 156                          |
| Suri-II     | 69                | 179                          |
| Nalhati-II  | 68                | 213                          |

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Table A1 - Critical Value of Student's 't'

|            | Significance level (one-tailed) |                                 |       |       |         |  |
|------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------|-------|---------|--|
|            | 0.05                            | 0.025                           | 0.01  | 0.005 | 0.00005 |  |
|            |                                 | Significance level (two-tailed) |       |       |         |  |
| Degrees of |                                 |                                 |       |       |         |  |
| Freedom    | 0.1                             | 0.05                            | 0.02  | 0.01  | 0.001   |  |
| 1          | 6.31                            | 12.71                           | 31.82 | 63.66 | 636.62  |  |
| 2          | 2.92                            | 4.30                            | 6.97  | 9.93  | 31.60   |  |
| 3          | 2.35                            | 3.18                            | 4.54  | 5.84  | 12.92   |  |
| 4          | 2.13                            | 2.78                            | 3.75  | 4.60  | 8.61    |  |
| 5          | 2.01                            | 2.57                            | 3.37  | 4.03  | 6.86    |  |
| 6          | 1.94                            | 2.45                            | 3.14  | 3.71  | 5.96    |  |
| 7          | 1.89                            | 2.37                            | 3.00  | 3.50  | 5.41    |  |
| 8          | 1.86                            | 2.31                            | 2.90  | 3.35  | 5.04    |  |
| 9          | 1.83                            | 2.26                            | 2.82  | 3.25  | 4.78    |  |
| 10         | 1.81                            | 2.23                            | 2.76  | 3.17  | 4.59    |  |
| 11         | 1.80                            | 2.20                            | 2.72  | 3.11  | 4.44    |  |
| 12         | 1.78                            | 2.18                            | 2.68  | 3.05  | 4.32    |  |
| 13         | 1.77                            | 2.16                            | 2.65  | 3.01  | 4.22    |  |
| 14         | 1.76                            | 2.15                            | 2.62  | 2.98  | 4.14    |  |
| 15         | 1.75                            | 2.13                            | 2.60  | 2.95  | 4.07    |  |
| 16         | 1.75                            | 2.12                            | 2.58  | 2.92  | 4.01    |  |

16(b).

Table A2 - Critical Values of CHI-Square

|    | Values of $\chi^2$ with probability P of being exceed in random sampling $v = \text{number of degrees of freedom.}$ |       |       |       |       |
|----|---|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| P  | 0.20  | 0.10  | 0.05  | 0.02  | 0.01  |
| 1  | 1.64  | 2.71  | 3.84  | 5.41  | 6.63  |
| 2  | 3.32  | 4.61  | 5.99  | 7.82  | 9.21  |
| 3  | 4.64  | 6.25  | 7.81  | 9.84  | 11.34 |
| 4  | 5.90  | 7.78  | 9.49  | 11.67 | 13.28 |
| 5  | 7.29  | 9.24  | 11.07 | 13.39 | 15.09 |
| 6  | 8.56  | 10.64 | 12.59 | 15.03 | 16.81 |
| 7  | 9.80  | 12.02 | 14.07 | 16.62 | 18.48 |
| 8  | 11.03   | 13.36 | 15.51 | 18.17 | 20.09 |
| 9  | 12.24   | 14.68 | 16.92 | 19.68 | 21.67 |
| 10 | 13.44   | 15.99 | 18.31 | 21.16 | 23.21 |