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III Semester M.Com. Degree (C.B.C.S.S. - OBE-Regular) **Examination, October 2024** (2023 Admission) **Open Elective Course**

CMCOM 03004: DATA ANALYSIS IN BUSINESS RESEARCH

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 60

SECTION - A

Answer any five questions in this Section. Each question carries 3 marks.

- 1. Compare between Nominal, Ordinal and Scale data.
- 2. Examine (a) Data validation (b) Data editing.
- 3. Define Variables. Categorise the types of variables used in SPSS.
- 4. What are the assumptions of Non-Parametric tests?
- 5. Which are the different measures of Central Tendency?
- 6. Distinguish between Descriptive Analysis and Inferential Analysis.

 $(5 \times 3 = 15)$

SECTION - B

Answer any three questions in this Section. Each question carries 5 marks.

- 7. What is Data Analysis? Discuss its relevance in business research.
- 8. The standard deviation of two samples of sizes 10 and 14 from two normal populations are 3.5 and 3 respectively. Examine whether the SD of the populations are equal.
- 9. Analyse the stages involved in Data Analysis.
- 10. Distinguish between Primary data and Secondary data with examples each.
- 11. Explain (a) Degrees of freedom (b) Levels of Significance.

 $(3 \times 5 = 15)$



SECTION - C

Answer any three questions in this Section. Each question carries 10 marks.

- 12. Elaborate on the features, uses and applications of SPSS in Data Analysis.
- 13. Define Hypothesis. Examine the stages in Hypothesis testing.
- 14. Given the following data relating to social status and state of intelligence. Test if intelligence is related social status:

	Intelligence	Total
Social Status	Dull Average Brillian	it Total
Lower Middle	22 35 23	80
Middle	38 70 32	140
Upper Middle	60 20 20	100
	120 125 75	320

- 15. Describe the different types of Descriptive statistical analysis in business research.
- 16. Differentiate between Parametric tests and Non-Parametric tests in detail.

 $(3 \times 10 = 30)$