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**MA/M.Sc. GEOGRAPHY**  
**THIRD SEMESTER**  
**QUANTITATIVE TECHNIQUES**  
**MGE-302**

Duration : 3 hrs.

Full Marks : 70

( **PART-A : Objective** )

Time : 20 min.

Marks : 20

*Choose the correct answer from the following:*

**1X20=20**

1. The ratio between the sum of observations and the number of observations is called:  
a. Mean  
b. Median  
c. Mode  
d. Standard deviation
2. ....is the half of the difference between the third quartile and the first quartile.  
a. Quartile deviation  
b. Standard deviation  
c. Range  
d. Average deviation
3. Regression equation formula is:  
a.  $Y=a+b_1x_1+b_2x_2+\dots+b_nx_n$   
b.  $Y=a+bX$   
c.  $Y=\sum Y/n$   
d.  $Y=a+b/n$
4. Which of the following is **not** a measure of central tendency?  
a. Percentile  
b. Quartile  
c. Standard Deviation  
d. Mode
5. Chi-square is symbolically written as:  
a.  $Ki^2$   
b.  $\chi^2$   
c.  $Ci^2$   
d. None of the above
6. If the variance of a normal population is unknown, the corresponding sampling distribution can be defined using:  
a. F-distribution  
b. t- distribution  
c. chi square  
d. z- test
7. 25% of 25% of a quantity is x% of the quantity where x is:  
a. 6.25%  
b. 12.5%  
c. 25%  
d. 50%
8. Statistical investigation involves:  
a. Collection of data  
b. Classification of data  
c. Tabulation  
d. None of above
9. In case, coefficient of correlation is positive the curve representing the relation will be:  
a. Upward sloping  
b. Downward sloping  
c. Vertical  
d. Horizontal
10. Correlation between rainfall and Population is:  
a. Negative  
b. Positive  
c. Zero  
d. None of above

11. Coefficient of correlation is independent of:
- Change of scale
  - Change of origin
  - a & b
  - None of above
12. Coefficient of correlation in case of frequency distribution could not be calculated in case of:
- Karl Pearson
  - Spearman
  - Least square method
  - None of the above
13. Relation between two variables is determined by:
- Dispersion
  - Mean
  - Correlation
  - Regression
14. The data presented in the form of frequency data is known as:
- Grouped data
  - Ungrouped data
  - Secondary data
  - Calculated data
15. If the order of matrix A is  $m \times p$  and the order of B is  $p \times n$ . Then the order of matrix AB is?
- $m \times n$
  - $n \times m$
  - $n \times p$
  - $m \times p$
16. What is 'a', If  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 2 & a \end{bmatrix}$  is a singular matrix?
- 5
  - 6
  - 7
  - 8
17. If A and B are symmetric matrices of the same order, then:
- AB is a symmetric matrix
  - A - B is a skew-symmetric matrix
  - AB + BA is a symmetric matrix
  - AB - BA is a symmetric matrix
18. If A and B matrices are of same order and  $A + B = B + A$ , this law is known as:
- Distributive law
  - Commutative law
  - Associative law
  - Cramer's law
19. If the sum of two matrices A and B is zero matrix, then A and B are said to be:
- Multiplicative inverse of each other
  - Additive inverse of each other
  - Transpose of each other
  - Determinant of each other
20. Find the minor of the element of second row and third column in the following determinant.
- $$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 5 \\ 6 & 0 & 4 \\ 1 & 5 & -7 \end{bmatrix}$$
- 13
  - 4
  - 5
  - 0

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**( PART-B : Descriptive )**

**Time : 2 hrs. 40 min.**

**Marks : 50**

**[ Answer question no.1 & any four (4) from the rest ]**

1. Write the need of quantification in geographical research? Also define Population, Sample and Variables in statistics. 4+2+2+2=10
2. What do you mean by Primary and secondary data collection? Explain the significance of Group and ungrouped data in geographical research. 5+5=10
3. What is a geographical data matrix? Prepare a data matrix with some hypothetical data. 4+6=10
4. a) If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ , then find AB. 5+5=10  
b) Solve the equations with the help of matrix method:  
 $x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 = 14$   
 $4x_1 + 5x_2 + 6x_3 = 32$   
 $6x_1 + 7x_2 + 9x_3 = 47$
5. Explain about the concept of correlation with their types and properties. 4+3+3=10
6. Define the concept of regression. Put forward the types and properties of regression. 3+7=10
7. Put forward definition of t-test. Perform t-test to check Memory capacity of students was tested before and after giving the nourishing food (Horlicks). State whether Horlicks was effective or not from the following scores- 2+6+2=10

Roll no	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Before	8	1	4	6	6	4	1	2
After	5	7	5	3	5	3	3	9

(Tabled t value is 2.145 at 0.05 $\alpha$  with calculated df.)
8. What do you mean by Principal Component Analysis (PCA)? Explain about the type of error in hypothesis testing. 5+5+10

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