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First Degree Programme under CBCSS

Economics

Foundation Course II

EC 1321: INFORMATICS FOR APPLIED ECONOMETRICS

(2019 Admission Onwards)

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

SECTION - I

Answer all questions. Answer in one or two sentences.

- 1. ICT
- 2. Blogs
- 3. INFLIBNET
- 4. E-books
- 5. Pooled data
- 6. SRF
- 7. Economic model
- 8. Error term

- 9. Point estimator
- 10. Dataset

 $(10 \times 1 = 10 \text{ Marks})$

SECTION - II

Answer any eight questions not exceeding one paragraph. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 11. What are important online resources?
- 12. What is meant by Information Networks?
- 13. What do you mean by an economic model?
- 14. Define the Principle of Least square.
- 15. Distinguish between Specification stage and estimation stage.
- 16. Differentiate between regression and correlation.
- 17. What are the various types of data? Explain.
- 18. Distinguish between the parameter and statistic.
- 19. What is meant by Deterministic relation?
- Describe the Ratio scale.
- 21. Distinguish between theoretical and applied econometrics.
- 22. Write the implication of forecasting.
- 23. Define homoscedasticity.
- 24. What are the features of normal distribution?
- Explain the concept of unbiasedness.
- 26. What is meant by degrees of freedom?

 $(8 \times 2 = 16 \text{ Marks})$

SECTION - III

Answer any six of the following. Each answer should not exceed 120 words. Each question carries 4 marks.

- 27. What is MOOC? Discuss important characteristics of MOOC.
- 28. Give an account on the nature and use of Podcasts.
- 29. Discuss the advantage of open resources.
- 30. Explain the Meaning and objectives of Regression analysis.
- 31. Describe the concept of goodness of fit of regression line.
- 32. Discuss the important assumption about U in econometrics.
- 33. Point out the main application of regression Analysis.
- 34. Explain the significance of statistical analysis.
- 35. Why does econometrics is a separate discipline? Discuss.
- 36. Explain the features of Gretl.
- 37. Describe the uses of SPSS.
- 38. Discuss the meaning and significance of Confidence Interval.

 $(6 \times 4 = 24 \text{ Marks})$

SECTION - IV

Answer any **two** of the following. **Each** answer should not exceed **4** pages. Each question carries **15** marks.

- 39. Explain the role of ICT in Economics.
- 40. What is Econometrics? State and explain the steps of econometrics methodology with example.

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- 41. State and prove the Gauss Markov theorem.
- 42. Discuss the significance and procedure of hypothesis testing in econometrics.
- 43. Critically examine the use of statistical software in social science research.
- 44. Fit a regression line for the following data and interpret the results.

$$\sum Y = 648 \qquad \sum X = 80 \qquad \sum (Y - \overline{Y})^2 = 368$$

$$\sum (X - \overline{x})^2 = 218 \qquad \sum (X - \overline{x})(Y - \overline{Y}) = 247 \quad n = 8$$
(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)