



**RAJARATA UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA**  
**FACULTY OF APPLIED SCIENCES**

**B.Sc. (General) Degree in Health Promotion**  
**Third Year - Semester I Examination –September/October 2019**

**HPT 3306 – REPORT WRITING AND ASSESSING**

**Time: Three (03) hours**

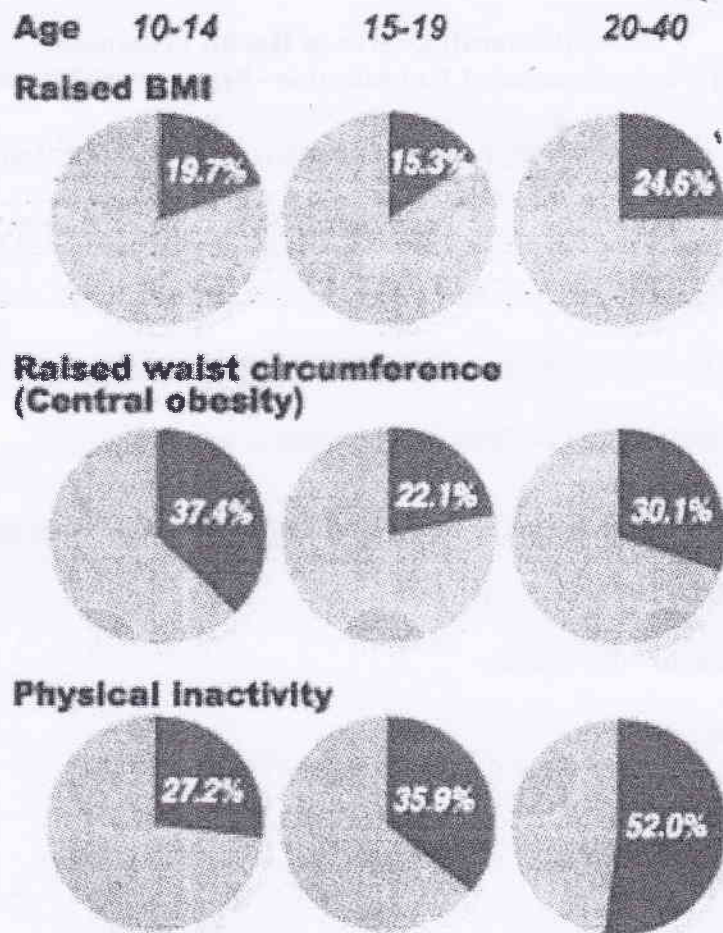
**Answer ALL questions.**

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1. a) Explain giving examples, the purpose of the introduction section of a report. **(50 marks)**  
b) Discuss the importance of the discussion section of a report. **(50 marks)**
2. Explain by providing all essential steps and criteria, how to assess the quality of a field report. **(100 marks)**
3. Write short notes on the followings;
  - a) Literature review **(25 marks)**
  - b) Peer review of reports **(25 marks)**
  - c) Plagiarism **(25 marks)**
  - d) Abstract of a report **(25 marks)**

4. Explain the relationship between age and the risk factors for Non-Communicable Diseases (NCDs) based on the information provided in the Figure 01. (100 marks)

### Screened results



Source: Diabetes Association of Sri Lanka, National Diabetes Centre, King's College London

Figure 1. Relationship between age and the risk factors of Non-Communicable Diseases (NCDs)

5. The table below shows the total per capita consumption of alcohol among population over 15 years (in liters of pure alcohol) in selected countries. (95% Confidence Interval is given within brackets). Describe the patterns and distribution of per capita alcohol consumption in the given countries comparing to Sri Lanka. (100 marks)

Country	Year	Both sexes	Male	Female
Argentina	2016	9.8 [9.5-10.1]	16.1 [15.6-16.6]	4 [3.9-4.1]
Argentina	2010	9.3 [9-9.5]	15.1 [14.7-15.5]	3.8 [3.7-3.9]
Belgium	2016	12.1 [11.8-12.4]	19.4 [18.9-19.9]	5.2 [5.1-5.4]
Belgium	2010	11.4 [11.1-11.6]	18.1 [17.7-18.5]	5 [4.9-5.1]
Cambodia	2016	6.7 [6.3-7.1]	11.9 [11.2-12.6]	2 [1.9-2.1]
Cambodia	2010	5 [4.7-5.3]	8.8 [8.2-9.4]	1.5 [1.4-1.6]
Finland	2016	10.7 [10.3-11.1]	17.2 [16.6-17.8]	4.4 [4.3-4.6]
Finland	2010	12.6 [12.2-13]	20 [19.3-20.7]	5.5 [5.4-5.7]
France	2016	12.6 [12.2-13]	20.3 [19.7-20.9]	5.4 [5.3-5.6]
France	2010	12.2 [11.9-12.5]	19.6 [19.1-20]	5.4 [5.3-5.5]
Japan	2016	8 [7.8-8.3]	13.5 [13.1-14]	2.9 [2.8-3]
Japan	2010	7.1 [7-7.3]	12 [11.8-12.3]	2.6 [2.5-2.7]
Myanmar	2016	4.8 [4.4-5.1]	8.5 [7.8-9.1]	1.3 [1.2-1.4]
Myanmar	2010	2.9 [2.7-3.1]	5.2 [4.8-5.6]	0.8 [0.8-0.9]
Pakistan	2016	0.3 [0.3-0.3]	0.6 [0.5-0.6]	0.1 [0.1-0.1]
Pakistan	2010	0.2 [0.2-0.2]	0.3 [0.3-0.4]	0 [0-0]
Philippines	2016	6.6 [6.3-6.9]	11.3 [10.8-11.8]	1.9 [1.8-2]
Philippines	2010	7.1 [6.8-7.4]	12.1 [11.5-12.6]	2.2 [2.1-2.3]
Romania	2016	12.7 [12.2-13.1]	21 [20.3-21.6]	5 [4.9-5.2]
Romania	2010	15 [14.4-15.6]	24.4 [23.4-25.3]	6.4 [6.2-6.7]
Russian Federation	2016	11.7 [11.2-12.2]	18.7 [17.9-19.5]	5.8 [5.6-6.1]
Russian Federation	2010	15.8 [15.2-16.5]	26.1 [25-27.2]	7.3 [7-7.6]
Seychelles	2016	12 [11.6-12.4]	19.7 [19.1-20.4]	4.1 [4-4.3]
Seychelles	2010	6.3 [6-6.6]	10.5 [10.1-11]	1.9 [1.8-2]
South Africa	2016	9.3 [8.9-9.6]	16.2 [15.6-16.8]	2.7 [2.6-2.8]
South Africa	2010	10.5 [10-10.9]	18.4 [17.6-19.1]	3.2 [3.1-3.4]
Sri Lanka	2016	4.3 [4.1-4.5]	7.7 [7.3-8]	1.2 [1.2-1.3]
Sri Lanka	2010	4 [3.8-4.2]	7 [6.7-7.4]	1.1 [1.1-1.2]
Sweden	2016	9.2 [8.8-9.5]	14.6 [14-15.1]	3.8 [3.7-4]
Sweden	2010	9.5 [9.1-9.8]	15.1 [14.5-15.6]	4 [3.9-4.2]
Thailand	2016	8.3 [8-8.6]	14.3 [13.8-14.9]	2.5 [2.4-2.6]
Thailand	2010	7.7 [7.4-7.9]	13.1 [12.8-13.5]	2.4 [2.3-2.5]
Zimbabwe	2016	4.8 [4.6-5]	8.5 [8.2-8.9]	1.3 [1.2-1.3]
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