



WEST BENGAL STATE UNIVERSITY

B.Sc. Honours 6th Semester Examination, 2021

ARDACOR14T-AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (CC14)

FIELD SURVEY METHODOLOGY FOR RURAL RESEARCH

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.
Candidates should answer in their own words and adhere to the word limit as practicable.
All symbols are of usual significance.*

1. Answer any **six** questions from the following: 5×6 = 30
 - (a) Distinguish between Descriptive research and Action research. 5
 - (b) What is hypothesis? Discuss about type-I and type-II error. 2+3
 - (c) Write a short note on action research. 5
 - (d) What is a variable? Discuss about the different types of variables. 5
 - (e) Is any single form of research design suitable for all research? Explain. 5
 - (f) What is the difference between sample survey and census? What is biasness in research? 3+2
 - (g) Distinguish between qualitative and quantitative research. 5
 - (h) What is participant observation? What is the merit of this data collection technique? 3+2
 - (i) 'Probability sampling is preferred than non-probability sampling' — Justify 5
2. Answer any **one** question out of the following: 10×1 = 10
 - (a) What is sampling? What is simple random sampling? Discuss the different types of non-probability sampling procedures. 2+2+6
 - (b) What is secondary data? How do you get secondary data for your research? Distinguish between Interview schedule and Questionnaire. 2+3+5

N.B. : *Students have to complete submission of their Answer Scripts through E-mail / Whatsapp to their own respective colleges on the same day / date of examination within 1 hour after end of exam. University / College authorities will not be held responsible for wrong submission (at in proper address). Students are strongly advised not to submit multiple copies of the same answer script.*

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