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**M.B.A.**

**(SEM. II) THEORY EXAMINATION 2014-15  
RESEARCH METHODOLOGY**

Time : 3 Hours]

[Total Marks : 100

Note: Attempts questions from each section as per instructions.

**SECTION - A**

- 1 Attempt any four parts of this question 5×4=20
- a) Differentiate between Research Methodology and Research Methods.
  - b) Differentiate between census and sample survey.
  - c) What are the advantages of sampling?
  - d) Differentiate between parameter and statistic.
  - e) What do you understand by the coding of data?
  - f) What is Bibliography?

### SECTION - B

- 2 Attempt any two parts of this question  $15 \times 2 = 30$
- What is Research? Discuss the application of research in various functional areas of management.
  - What is meant by Research Design? Differentiate between exploratory and descriptive research designs.
  - Explain the significance of a research report. Also discuss the various steps involved in writing a research report.

### SECTION - C

Attempt all questions of this section  $10 \times 5 = 50$

- 3 Discuss the various practical problems faced by the researcher in India.

OR

- 3 Describe the various steps involved in the process of Research.

- 4 Discuss the various principles of experimentation.

OR

- 4 What are experimental designs? Briefly explain the various informal experimental designs.

- 5 What is sampling? Differentiate between probability and non-probability sampling methods.

OR

- 5 What is questionnaire? Explain the procedure of designing a questionnaire.

6. What is Data Processing? Describe various data processing operations.

**OR**

6. Briefly discuss various kinds of charts and diagrams used in data analysis.

7. Write short notes on any two of the following :

- a) Purpose of sampling.
- b) Sampling and Non-Sampling errors.
- c) Annexure in a Report.