

VPM's B.N. Bandodkar College of Science, Thane
S.Y. B.Sc. First Semester end Examination Oct 2014
Statistics Paper II Sub Code: USST302

Duration 2 hrs 30 Mins

Max Marks-75

- 1) All Questions are compulsory.
- 2) Figures to right indicate marks.
- 3) Use of calculators is allowed.

- Q.1) a) Discuss census survey and sample survey by stating advantages and disadvantages of both. 10
- b) Explain the various steps in the organization of sample survey. 10

OR

- Q.1) a) Explain two types of errors in sample survey. 10
- b) Explain two methods of drawing simple random sample. 10
- Q2) a) Explain stratified random sampling. 10
Is stratified random sample mean unbiased for population mean ?
Prove your answer.
- b) Why do you understand by proportional allocation? Modify the expression for variance of unbiased estimator of population mean under this allocation. 10

OR

- Q2) a) Derive the formula for sample size from each stratum such that cost is minimized for the fixed variance where cost function is $C = a + \sum c_i n_i$ in usual notations. 10
- b) In usual notations prove that 10

$$V(\bar{y}_N)_{opt} \leq V(\bar{y})_{prop}$$

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- Q 3) a) Define regression estimator of population total. Obtain expression for its variance. 10
- b) Define regression estimator of population mean by explaining various values used in it. Show that it is unbiased. Discuss the case when constant $b = \hat{R}$ where \hat{R} is estimator of population ratio R . 10

OR

- Q.3) a) State the ratio estimator of population mean. Show that ratio estimator is biased. Further show that the bias is negligible for large samples. 10
- b) Give the comparison between ratio and regression estimators. 10
- Q 4) a) Derive the formula for sample size n in simple random sampling without replacement for estimating population mean with permissible error d and Confidence coefficient $100(1 - \alpha)\%$. 10

- b) In usual notations prove that 10

$$V(\bar{y}_{st})_{Prop} \leq V(\bar{y}_{st})_{SRS}$$

OR

- Q 4) a) Show that sample proportion is unbiased estimator for population Proportion. Obtain variance of sample proportion in case of simple random sampling without replacement. 10
- b) Explain (i) Systematic sampling
(ii) Cluster sampling 10

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