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B.A DEGREE (CBCS) SPECIAL EXAMINATIONS, FEBRUARY 2025

Fourth Semester

Complementary Course - ST4CMT52 - QUANTITATIVE TECHNIQUES FOR ECONOMIC ANALYSIS II

(Common for B.A Economics Model II Foreign Trade, B.A Economics Model II Insurance, B.A History Model II Forestry and Environmental History)

2017 Admission Onwards

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Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

Part A

Answer any ten questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

- Define additive models in time series .
- 2. What is meant by secular trend?
- 3. Mention any two demerits of moving average method in time series.
- 4. What is mean by index number?
- 5. Define time reversal test. Is it satisfied by Paasche's index number?
- 6. Define first order derivative.
- 7. Define a triangular matrix

8. Find A-B if A=
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 5 & -8 & -9 \\ 1 & 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$
 and B =
$$\begin{bmatrix} -5 & 3 & -3 \\ 5 & 10 & 5 \\ -3 & -3 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

- 9. Define the subjective approach of probability
- State the addition theorem of probability.
- 11. Define binomial distribution
- 12. If 3 cards are drawn from the pack of 52, what is the probability that all the three will be queens?

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

Part B



- 13. Explain the importance of time series analysis.
- 14. Explain secular trend and seasonal variations in time series.
- 15. What are the methods for construction of Index numbers?
- 16. Calculate Fischer's index number for the data

item	base price	base quantity	current price	current quantity	
Α	20	4	24	8	
В	25	6	30	9	

- 17. Distinguish between aggregate expenditure method and family budget method.
- 18. Find A- B and B- A for the following : a. A= $\{1,2,3,4,5\}$ AND b = $\{2,4,6,8,10\}$ b. A= $\{a,b,c,d,e,f\}$ and B= $\{a,e,I,o,u\}$
- 20. Explain the term random experiments with suitable examples.
- 21. State the properties of normal distribution.

(6×5=30)

Part C

Answer any two questions.

Each question carries 15 marks.

- 22. 1) Explain the method of semi average in finding trend
 - 2) Apply the method of semi average for determining the trend

year	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
value	12	15	20	18	25	24	28

- 23. Solve the system of equation : 12 x- 16 y+20z = -24, 4x+4y-8z = -4 and 8x+12y+4z = 20
- 24. Distinguish between weighted and unweighted index numbers? Explain the methods used for their construction?
- 25. In an intelligence test administered to 1000 students the average score was 42 and SD 24. Find the number of students (a) exceeding a score 50, (b) scoring between 30 and 54. Also find (c) the value exceeded by the top 100.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30)$