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CORE COURSE IN ECONOMICS/DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS

5B09 ECO : Research Methods and Techniques for Economic Analysis

Time : 2 Hours

Max. Marks : 30

PART – A

Answer **all** questions. (Each question carries 1 mark) :

1. What do you mean by Research ?

2. What is Hypothesis ?

3. What is Scientific integrity ?

(3×1=3)

PART – B

Answer **any five** questions. (Each question carries 2 marks) :

4. Distinguish between primary and secondary data.

5. What is Mainstream Economics ?

6. What is Neoclassical school of economic thought ?

7. Distinguish between positive and normative science.

8. What is a research problem ?

9. Explain bibliography.

10. Explain the terms sample and population.

(5×2=10)

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PART - C

Answer **any 4** questions. (Each question carries **3** marks) :

11. Briefly describe Marxian Economics.
12. Explain the method of deduction and induction.
13. Distinguish between institutional economics and behavioral economics.
14. Discuss the purposes of the Survey of Literature.
15. Explain the Interview method used for data collection.
16. Write a note on research ethics. (4×3=12)

PART - D

Answer **any one** question. (Each question carries **5** marks) :

17. Briefly describe the Neoclassical and Keynesian schools of economic thought.
18. Explain the different steps in research report writing. (1×5=5)

PART - B

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