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BA DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION, OCTOBER 2015

SEMESTER - 3 SOCIOLOGY (CORE)

COURSE: U3CRSOC3 - SOCIAL RESEARCH METHODS

Time: Three Hours Max.Marks: 75

Part A

(Answer all questions. Each question carries 1 mark)

- 1. What is research objectives?
- 2. Give an example of primary source of data collection.
- 3. What is reliability in social research?
- 4. What is objectivity?
- 5. Write two examples of concept.
- 6. Assigning numerical values to the variables is called.....
- 7. What is subjectivity in research?
- 8. What is data?
- 9. What is meant by social research?
- 10. Give an example of method of data collection.

 $(1 \times 10 = 10)$

Part-B

(Answer any eight of the following. Each question carries two marks)

- 11. Variables
- 12. Population
- 13. Pretest
- 14. Census method
- 15. Questionnaire
- 16. Sampling
- 17. Footnotes
- 18. Bibliography
- 19. Interview

20. Tabulation $(2 \times 8 = 16)$

Part-C

(Answer any **five** of the following in about 100 words. Each question carries five marks)

- 21. Differentiate between pre-test and pilot study
- 22. Explain survey method in social research.
- 23. What is importance of sampling in social research?

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- 24. Explain the steps of an interview.
- 25. Factors taken to consideration while preparing a questionnaire.
- 26. What is analysis and interpretation of data?
- 27. Write a note on field study.

 $(5 \times 5 = 25)$

Part-D

(Answer any **two** of the following in about 300 words. Each question carries twelve marks)

- 28. Differentiate types of sampling with merits and limitations.
- 29. Explain about research design in social research.
- 30. Differentiate qualitative and quantitative method of data collection.
- 31. Explain different stages in social research.

 $(12 \times 2 = 24)$
