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## M.Sc. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION- NOVEMBER 2025 SEMESTER 1 : ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

COURSE: 24P1EVST02: RESEARCH METHODOLOGY I

(For Regular - 2025 Admission and Improvement/Supplementary 2024 Admission)

Time	: Three Hours	Max. Weights: 30
	PART A	
	Answer any 8 questions	Weight: 1
1.	What are microcomputers? How are they classified?	(U)
2.	Define DBMS. Give examples.	(U)
3.	What do you mean by Operating System?	(A)
4.	Define ANOVA and draw ANOVA table for one variable	()
5.	Define 'Non-probability sampling'.	(U)
6.	Define regression analysis.	()
7.	Define Scatter diagram?	()
8.	Explain the concept of central tendency.	(U)
9.	Define the following: 1. Router 2. Switch 3. Hub 4. Bridge 5. Modem	(A)
10.	Define Normal distribution.	() (1 x 8 = 8)
	PART B	(1 x 0 - 0)
	Answer any 6 questions	Weights: 2
11.	What are different methods of collecting primary data?	(U)
12.	State empirical relation between various measures of dispersion and the Importance of standard deviation,	()
13.	Define Karl Pearson's coeffcient of correlation. What is it intended to measure?	()
14.	Explain the features of MS-Excel. (a) "Best Fit Method"(b) AutoFill	(A)
15.	Define the following:	
	1. Antivirus 2. Firewall	(U)
16.	Explain the construction and structure of a life table.	()
17.	Define ERP. Name some industries using ERP	(U)
18.	Define (1) Test statistics (2) significance level (3) critical region (4) test	
	criterion	() (2 x 6 = 12)
	PART C	(2 A 0 - 12)
	Answer any 2 questions	Weights: 5
19.	What are the common output devices. Give examples and explain each.	(A)
20.	Among 50 rural children 20 were malnourished and among 50 urban children 10 were malnourished. Test whether malnutrition and area of residence are associated?(table value for 5% level of significance is 3.841)	()

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21. Explain various models of population growth .Emphasize on the Lotka-Voltera Model.

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22. Elaborate on different graphical methods used for the presentation and analysis of data.

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**OBE: Questions to Course Outcome Mapping** 

CO	Course Outcome Description	CL	Questions	Total Wt.
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Cognitive Level (CL): Cr - CREATE; E - EVALUATE; An - ANALYZE; A - APPLY; U - UNDERSTAND; R - REMEMBER;

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