Question Paper

Exam Date & Time: 22-Sep-2022 (10:00 AM - 12:00 PM)



MANIPAL ACADEMY OF HIGHER EDUCATION

SECOND SEMESTER BASLP DEGREE EXAMINATION - SEPTEMBER 2022 SUBJECT: BST 3201 / BST 3202 - BIOSTATISTICS AND RESEARCH METHODOLOGY (2020 SCHEME)

Marks: 50 Duration: 120 mins.

Answer all the questions.

| 1) | Compute the mean, median, mode and inter-quartile range for the following data. | (10) |
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| Age(Years) |
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| 24 |
| 32 |
| 19 |
| 27 |
| 44 |
| 73 |
| 39 |
| 41 |
| 35 |
| 32 |

(2+3+2+3=10 marks)

| 2) | a) Define any two measures of dispersion. b) List the four scales of measurement. c) Elaborate on any three ways to visualize continuous variables. (5+2+3=10 marks) | (10) |
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| 3A) | Explain normal distribution and its properties with the help of a neat diagram. | (5) |
| 3B) | Write a short on correlation and give examples | (5) |
| 3C) | Define and differentiate case report and case series with an example. | (5) |
| 3D) | Write a short note on any probability and non-probability sampling methods. | (5) |
| 4A) | Define skewness and kurtosis. | (2) |
| 4B) | Give any two example for ordinal variable. | (2) |
| 4C) | What is the difference between a bar chart and a histogram? | (2) |
| 4D) | Define simple linear regression. | (2) |
| 4E) | Define prevalence and incidence. | (2) |

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