

STATISTICS MINOR

STAT-H-MC1-3-Th

(Descriptive Statistics-I&-Probability-I)

3 Credits

THEORY

Statistics: Definition and scope. Concepts of statistical population and sample.

Data: quantitative and qualitative, cross-sectional and time-series, discrete and continuous.

Scales of measurement: nominal, ordinal, interval and ratio.

Presentation of data: tabular and graphical. Frequency distributions, cumulative frequency distributions and their graphical representations. Stem and leaf displays. (10)

Measures of Central Tendency: Mean, Median, Mode.

Measures of Dispersion: Range, Mean deviation, Standard deviation, Coefficient of variation, Gini's Coefficient, Lorenz Curve. Moments, skewness and kurtosis. Quantiles and measures based on them. Box Plot. Outliers. (15)

Probability: Introduction, random experiments, sample space, events and algebra of events. Definitions of Probability: classical, statistical, and axiomatic. Conditional Probability, laws of addition and multiplication, independent events, theorem of total probability, Bayes' theorem and its applications. (20)

STAT-H-MC1-3-P

(Descriptive Statistics I & Probability I)

1 Credit

PRACTICAL

List of Suggested Practical

- Diagrammatic representation of data.
- Problems based on construction of frequency distributions, cumulative frequency distributions and their graphical representations, stem and leaf plot.
- Problems based on measures of central tendency.
- Problems based on measures of dispersion.
- Problems based on combined mean and variance and coefficient of variation.
- Problems based on moments, skewness and kurtosis.
- Problems related to quantiles and measures based on them, construction of boxplot.
- Application problems based on Classical Definition of Probability.
- Application problems based on Bayes' Theorem.

Reference Books:

- Goon, A.M., Gupta, M.K. and Dasgupta, B.: Fundamentals of Statistics, Vol. I, World Press, Kolkata.
- Goon, A.M., Gupta, M.K. & Dasgupta, B.: An Outline of Statistical Theory (Vol-1), World Press.
- Miller, Irwin and Miller, Marylees: John E. Freunds Mathematical Statistics with Applications, Pearson Education, Asia.
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- Tukey, J.W.: Exploratory Data Analysis, Addison-Wesley Publishing Co.
- Freedman, D., Pisani, R. and Purves, R.: Statistics, W.W. Norton & Company.
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- Feller, W.: An Introduction to Probability Theory & its Applications, John Wiley.
- Parzen, E.: Modern Probability Theory and its Applications, John Wiley.
- Uspensky, J.V.: Introduction to Mathematical Probability, McGraw Hill.
- Cacoullos, T.: Exercises in Probability, Narosa.
- Rahman, N.A.: Practical Exercises in Probability and Statistics, Griffin.
- Ross, S.: A First Course in Probability, Prentice Hall.
- Roychowdhury, S., Bhattacharya, D.: Statistics Theory and Practice, U.N. Dhur & Sons. Pvt. Ltd.