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**THIRD SEMESTER (CUCBCSS-UG) DEGREE EXAMINATION
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Common Course
A11—BASIC NUMERICAL SKILLS
(2014 Admissions)

Maximum : 80 Marks

Time : Three Hours

Part I

*Answer all questions.
Each question carries 1 mark.*

Choose the correct answer :

1. An association of an unique real number with a square matrix is known as :
(a) Determinant. (b) Transpose.
(c) Inverse. (d) Index.
2. Laspeyer's index formula use the weights of the _____.
(a) Base year. (b) Current year.
(c) Previous year. (d) None of these.
3. Which one of the following is not uniquely defined ?
(a) Mean. (b) Median.
(c) Mode. (d) All of these.
4. Compound interest of Rs. 25,000 at the rate of interest 12% p.a for 5 years is
(a) 12000. (b) 44058.
(c) 15000. (d) 19058.
5. Geometric mean of 8, 4, 2 is :
(a) 8. (b) 2.
(c) 4. (d) None.

Fill in the blanks :

6. Histogram is a _____.
7. _____ is the value of the variable corresponding to the highest frequency.
8. When $A = \{a, b\}$, its power set has _____ elements.

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9. A time series is a set of values arranged in _____ order.
10. If mean is 100 and standard deviation is 15 then co-efficient of variation is _____.
(10 × 1 = 10 marks)

Part II

*Answer any eight questions.
Each question carries 2 marks.*

11. Solve $\frac{15}{x+4} = \frac{19}{x-3}$.
12. Find the 15th and 20th terms in the series 2, 8, 14, 20 _____.
13. Calculate the amount invested when it gives a simple interest Rs. 15,000 for a period of 2.5 years at 12 % interest per annum.
14. What is an element ?
15. Find the transpose of the matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 6 & 4 \\ 5 & 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 9 & 7 \end{pmatrix}$.
16. What is secular trend ?
17. Find the co-efficient of range for the following values :
25, 32, 85, 32, 42, 10, 20, 18, 28.
18. Find the Harmonic mean from the following data :
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|------|---|----|----|----|----|
| Size | : | 6 | 10 | 14 | 18 |
| f | : | 20 | 40 | 30 | 10 |
19. Find the median for the following values :
4, 45, 60, 20, 83, 19, 26, 11, 27, 12, 52.
20. What is common ratio ?

(8 × 2 = 16 marks)

Part III

*Answer any six questions.
Each question carries 4 marks.*

21. What is Statistics and explain the features ?
22. Find the product of matrices :

$$(i) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 5 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 & 2 \\ 4 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$(ii) \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 & 4 \\ -1 & 2 & -5 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & -4 \\ -5 & 6 \end{pmatrix}.$$

23. If $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$, $B = \{3, 4, 5\}$, $C = \{1, 3, 5\}$, prove that $A - (B \cup C) = (A - B) \cap (A - C)$.
24. Calculate the total interest on Rs. 500 for 73 days, Rs. 720 for 14 weeks and on Rs. 900 for 3 months, all at 6% per annum.
25. Find the Geometric mean from the following data :

Size	:	5	8	10	12
Frequency	:	2	3	4	1

26. Solve $xy + x + y = 27$, $\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{y} = \frac{1}{2}$.
27. Find the sum of all natural numbers between 500 and 600 which are divisible by 9.
28. What are the different types of index numbers ?

(6 × 4 = 24 marks)

Part IV (Essay Questions)

*Answer any two questions.
Each question carries 15 marks.*

29. The savings of X increases each month by Rs. 50 more than the previous month. If his total savings for 2 years amounted to Rs. 25,800. Find out his savings for the first month.
30. Find the missing frequency if arithmetic mean is 28. Also find the median :

Marks	:	0-10	10-20	20-30	30-40	40-50	50-60
No of students	:	12	18	27	?	17	6

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