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Subject: RD 531- Social Science Research Methodology

FM:60

Level/program: Master (M.A) Semester: III Time: 3 Hours

PM: 30

Candidates are required to answer the questions in their own words as far as practicable.

Attempt ALL of the following Very Short Answer Questions.

10x1=10

1. What is literature review?
2. Write the concept of conceptual framework.
3. Differentiate between dependent and independent variable.
4. Distinguish between reliability and validity.
5. Shortly define the term RRA and PRA.
6. What is observation method in social science research?
7. Write the name of statistical tools used in the research.
8. Name the measuring scales used in the social science research.
9. What is Key Informant Interview (KII)?
10. Write any two importance of hypothesis in a research?

Attempt any THREE of the Following Short Questions.

3x8=24

11. What is Focus Group Discussion (FGD)? Briefly describe its conducting process in the research work.
12. Differentiate between deduction and induction method in research.
13. What is sampling? Briefly describe the types of non-probability sampling.
14. What is research proposal? Briefly explain its importance.

Attempt any TWO of the Following Long Questions.

2x13 =26

15. Define the social science research and explain its objectives.
16. What is research report? Describe its major steps.
17. Explain the importance of research design in the research work.
