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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 Question

1x10=10

1. What is field work in social science research?
2. What is difference between nominal and interval scale?
3. Differentiate between theoretical and conceptual framework.
4. Write any three major objectives of social science research.
5. Differentiate between correlation and regression.
6. Differentiate between inductive and deductive research method.
7. What is research proposal?
8. What is coding and editing of data?
9. Differentiate between statement of the problem and research objective.
10. Define ethical consideration in social science research.

Attempt any THREE of the Following Short Questions.

3x8=24

11. Describe the importance of report writing in any research.
12. Briefly describe the process of conducting key informant interview (KII) to collect data and information in research.
13. Explain the importance of sampling in a research work.
14. Briefly describe the importance of participatory rural appraisal (PRA) in rural development study.

Attempt any TWO of the Following Long Questions.

2x13=26

15. Explain the importance of literature review in social science research.
16. What is research proposal? Describe its major steps.
17. Explain the importance of case study design in research.
