Shivaji University, Kolhapur Syllabus of B. Com. (SEM – III) (To be introduced from June, 2019)

BUSINESS STATISTICS (PAPER-I)

Credits-4

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Course Outcomes

After completion of this course, the student will be able to

- 1. Explain the scope of statistics in business, perform classification and tabulation, and represent the data by means of simple diagrams and graphs.
- 2. Explain and apply sampling techniques in real life.
- 3. Summarize data by means of measures of central tendency and dispersion.
- 4. Explain the merits and demerits of various measures of central tendency and dispersion.
- 5. Perform analysis of bivariate data using simple correlation and simple linear regression.

Unit 1: Introduction to Statistics

- 1.1 Meaning of Statistics, Scope of Statistics in business.
- 1.2 Primary and secondary data, Discrete and continuous variables, Classification and its basis, Frequency and frequency distribution, Tabulation.
- 1.3 Diagrammatic representation: pie-chart, simple bar diagram, Graphical representation: histogram, ogive curves, Numerical problems.
- 1.4 Sampling: Definitions of population, sample, sampling, and census, Principle steps in sample survey, Advantages of sampling over census, Methods of sampling: simple random sampling (with and without replacement), stratified random sampling.

Unit 2: Measures of Central Tendency

- 2.1 Concept of central tendency, Requirements of a good average.
- 2.2 Arithmetic mean (A. M.): Definition, Properties of A. M. (without proof), Combined A. M., Merits and demerits, Numerical problems.
- 2.3 Median and quartiles: Definitions, Merits and demerits of median, Numerical problems.
- 2.4 Mode: Definition, Merits and demerits, Empirical relation among mean, median, and mode, Numerical problems.

Unit 3: Measures of Dispersion

- 3.1 Concept of dispersion, Requirements of a good measure of dispersion, Absolute and relative measures of dispersion.
- 3.2 Range, Coefficient of range, Merits and demerits of range, Numerical problems.
- 3.3 Quartile deviation (Q. D.), Coefficient of Q. D., Merits and demerits of Q. D., Numerical problems.
- 3.4 Standard deviation (S. D), Coefficient of S. D., Coefficient of variation, Variance, Merits and demerits of S. D., Numerical problems.

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Unit-4: Analysis of Bivariate Data: Correlation and Regression

- 4.1 Concept of correlation, Types of correlation.
- 4.2 Methods of studying correlation: Scatter plot, Karl Pearson's correlation coefficient (r), Interpretation of r (with special cases r = -1, 0, and 1), Spearman's Rank correlation coefficient (R), Numerical problems on computation of r and R (with and without ties) for ungrouped data.
- 4.3 Concept of regression.
- 4.4 Lines of regression, regression coefficients, relation between correlation coefficients and regression coefficient, Numerical problems on ungrouped data.

Reference Books:

- 1. Gupta S. P. (2018) Statistical methods, Sultan Chand and Sons.
- 2. Gupta C. B. and Gupta Vijay (2004) *An Introduction to Statistical Methods*, Vikas Publishing House Pvt Limited.
- 3. Desai S. S.(2017) Business Statistics, Jay-Gauri.
- 4. Kumbhojkar G. V. (2017) Business Statistics, Phadke Prakashan.
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BUSINESS STATISTICS (PAPER-II)

Credits-4

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Course Outcomes

After completion of this course, the student will be able to

- 1. Compute unconditional and conditional probabilities and apply laws of probabilities.
- 2. Identify the applications of Binomial and normal distributions.
- 3. Measure trend and seasonal variations in time series data.
- 4. Compute and interpret simple and weighted index numbers.
- 5. Construct and apply variable and attribute control charts.

Unit 1: Probability and Probability Distributions

- 1.1 Definitions of random experiment, sample space, event, equally likely events, mutually exclusive events, independent events, Classical definition of probability.
- 1.2 Definition of conditional probability, Addition and multiplication laws of probability (without proof), Numerical problems (without use of permutation and combination).
- 1.3 Binomial distribution: Probability mass function, Mean and variance (without proof), Simple numerical problems to find probability and parameters.
- 1.4 Normal distribution: Probability density function, Mean and variance (without proof), Properties of normal curve, Standard normal distribution, numerical problems to find probabilities for given area under standard normal curve.

Unit 2: Time Series Analysis

- 2.1 Definition and uses of time series.
- 2.2 Components of time series.
- 2.3 Methods of measuring trend: method of semi-averages, method of moving averages, and method of least squares, Numerical problems.
- 2.4 Measurement of seasonal variations using simple average method, Numerical problems.

Unit 3: Index Numbers

- 3.1 Need, meaning, and uses of index numbers, Applications of index numbers in share market, Price, quantity, and value index numbers.
- 3.2 Simple index numbers by simple aggregate method and simple average of relatives method (using A. M.), Numerical problems.
- 3.3 Weighted index numbers by Laspeyre's, Paasche's, and Fisher's formulae, Numerical problems.
- 3.4 Problems involved in construction of index numbers.

Unit 4: Statistical Quality Control

- 4.1 Concept of statistical quality control (SQC), Advantages of SQC, Types of variability: chance cause variability and assignable cause variability.
- 4.2 Shewhart control chart and its construction.
- 4.3 Variable control charts: mean (\overline{X}) and range (R) charts, Numerical problems.
- 4.4 Attributes control charts: control chart for number of defectives (*np*-chart) for fixed sample size and control chart for number of defects per unit (*c*-chart), Numerical problems.

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