



III Semester M.A. Examination, April/May 2022  
(CBCS Scheme)  
ECONOMICS

Paper – 3.2 : Basic Computer Applications in Economic Analysis

Time : 2 Hours

Max. Marks : 50

- Instructions :** 1) Read instructions **carefully**.  
2) Answer **all** Sections.

PART – A

SECTION – I

Answer **any five** questions.

(5×1=5)

1. a) What is RDBMS ?
- b) State the purpose of a hard disk and a floppy disk.
- c) What is appending of data ?
- d) Give example for geometric progression.
- e) What is a trend in data ? Explain with example.
- f) What is specification error ?
- g) What is the function of a plotter ?
- h) What is a CPU ?

SECTION – II

Answer **any two** of the following.

(2×5=10)

2. List out various data operations and explain their importance.
3. Write a note on the components of a time series data.
4. Describe the purpose of a mouse and scanner of a computer.
5. List out various sources of data.

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PART - B

SECTION - I

6. Answer **any five** of the following. (5x1=5)
- a) What is forecasting ?
  - b) What is firmware ?
  - c) List out various descriptive statistics.
  - d) Draw a diagram of divergent and convergent time series.
  - e) List out Input-output devices of a computer.
  - f) Define Variables.
  - g) What is an Algorithm ?
  - h) What is bifurcation of data ?

SECTION - II

- Answer **any two** of the following. (2x5=10)
- 7. Explain the importance of data validation.
  - 8. Describe various data storage and retrieval components of a computer.
  - 9. Write a note on various data structures.
  - 10. Explain the difference between merging and joining of data.

SECTION - III

- Answer **any two** of the following. (2x10=20)
- 11. Explain the role of software in the functioning of a computer.
  - 12. Write a detailed note on how regression analysis can help in analysing economic growth and planning.
  - 13. Write a detailed note on various types of computer networks and their uses.

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