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Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 60

The candidates shall limit their answers precisely within the answerbook (40 pages) issued to them and no supplementary/continuation sheet will be issued.

Note: The question paper consist of THREE sections A, B & C.

- Section A contains TEN short note type questions carrying 2 marks each. In this section all the questions are COMPULSORY.
- (ii) Section B contains SIX short answer type questions carrying 5 marks each, out of which FOUR are to be attempted.
- (iii) Section C contains FOUR essay type questions carrying 10 marks each, out of which TWO are to be attempted.

SECTION - A

Briefly explain the following:

- Census data.
- 2. Bivariate data analysis.
- Motivation research.
- 4. Sampling errors.
- Stratified sampling.
- 6. Market potential analysis.
- Marketing Information System.

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- Observation method of data collection.
- 9. Casual research.

10. Attitude measurement.

 $(2 \times 10 = 20)$

SECTION - B

- Give reasons for the growing importance of marketing research in India.
- 12. What are the advantages of using online databases from the viewpoint of a professional marketing research firm?
- 13. Briefly discuss 'problem definition'. Why it is one of the important task in the marketing research project?
- State the factors that should be considered while determining the sample size.
- 15. With the help of suitable example, explain in brief the criteria that may be used for sales analysis.

16. What are parametric tests?

 $(4 \times 5 = 20)$

SECTION - C

- 17. If a company wants to start life insurance business in India and hires you to support their decisions as a marketing researcher, what information you will be seeking through primary or secondary research?
- 18. If you are a promotion manager of a telecom company and are asked to prepare a research design for competing with a successful market leading players, how you will proceed?
- 19. What is marketing research report? Discuss the qualities of good marketing research report with suitable example.
- 20. Why is it important to measure advertising effectiveness? If you were an advertiser, would you spend your money in pre-testing or post-testing methods? Why? (2×10=20)