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First Semester M.Com. Degree Examination, February 2019
Paper – III : CO 213 : RESEARCH METHODOLOGY
(2014 to 2017 Admission)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75

SECTION – A

Answer **all** questions. **Each** question carries **2** marks.

1. What is diagnostic research ?
2. Describe survey Vs case study.
3. What is meant by research gap ?
4. When we can use experimental research ?
5. In which situation probability sampling is used ?
6. What do you mean by replicated sampling ?
7. What is meant by hypothesis ?
8. What is meant by APA style ?
9. Which type of data can be collected by using rating scale ?
10. What is empirical research ?

(10×2=20 Marks)

SECTION – B

Answer **any five** questions. **Each** question carries **5** marks.

11. How does research aid planning ?
12. What are the uses of theory to research ?
13. What are the uses of field studies ?



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14. Define survey and explain its features.
15. Examine the criteria of evaluation research.
16. What are the sources of hypothesis ?
17. Explain errors in hypothesis testing.
18. Explain parametric and non-parametric tests.

(5×5=25 Marks)

SECTION – C

Answer **any two** questions. **Each** question carries **15** marks.

19. Explain reference management in research reports.
20. What are the steps involved in research process ?
21. How will you collect data for research ?
22. “Identification of variable is a cumbersome process”. Explain. **(2×15=30 Marks)**

