Mathabhanga College Class Test-2019 Semester-2nd Economics-Honours

CC-4

Time -one hour Marks -25

Group-A

Answer any two 10X2=20

- 1. b) Show that the value of correlation coefficient 'r 'lies between -1 and +1.
- b) Prove that the Standard Deviation calculated from two values x_1 and x_2 of a variable x is equal to half of their difference. 6+4=10
- 2. a) Find the mean and the S.D of the first n natural numbers.
 - b) Show that S.D does not depend on change of origin but depends on change of scale.

5 + 5

- 3. a) If three uncorrelated variables X_1, X_2 and X_3 have the same SD, then find the coefficient of correlation between $(X_1 + X_2)$ and $(X_2 + X_3)$.
- b) If two variables are independent, then their correlation coefficient will be zero, but zero correlation does not imply the independency between variables—Explain.

6+4

Group-B

4. Answer the following questions.

1X5=5

- a) What should be the relation among mean, median and mode in a negatively skewed distribution.
- b)If the mean and median of a frequency distribution are 20 and 17 respectively then find the mode.
- c) What is scatter diagram?
- d)How is SD affected if all the variate values are changed by the same amount.
- e)What do you mean by Kurtosis?