## MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME (MP)

# Term-End Examination December, 2024

### MS-08 : QUANTITATIVE ANALYSIS FOR MANAGERIAL APPLICATIONS

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 100

Weightage: 70%

- Note: (i) Section A has six questions, each carrying 15 marks. Attempt any four questions from this Section.
  - (ii) Section B is compulsory and carries 40 marks. Attempt both questions.
  - (iii) Use of calculator is permitted.

#### Section—A

1. What is central limit theorem? Why is it called one of the most important results of Applied Statistics?

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2. Consider the following data of workers in an establishment:

| Age (years)  | No. of Workers |
|--------------|----------------|
| Below 25     | 120            |
| 25—30        | 125            |
| 30—35        | 180            |
| 35—40        | 160            |
| 40—45        | 150            |
| 45—50        | 140            |
| 50—55        | 100            |
| 55 and above | 25             |

Find the median age.

- 3. Define matrices. Give example of some special matrices. How would you represent the data of a transportation problem in the matrix form?
- 4. In a sample of 500 people from village A 280 are found to be rice eaters and the rest wheat eaters. Can we assume that both the food articles are equally popular? Test at 1% significance level.

(Given the value of test statistic at 1% = 2.58)

5. From the following data, obtain the regression of y on x:

| x  | У  |
|----|----|
| 6  | 9  |
| 2  | 11 |
| 10 | 5  |
| 4  | 8  |
| 8  | 7  |

- 6. Write short notes on any three of the following:
  - (a) Null matrix
  - (b) Poisson distribution
  - (c) Rank correlation
  - (d) Maximin criteria for decision-making
  - (e) Algebraic and transcendental functions

### Section—B

7. What is correlation coefficient? How do you test the significance of the correlation coefficient?

8. The customer accounts of a certain store have an average balance of ₹ 120 and a standard deviation of ₹ 40. Assuming the account balances are normally distributed, what proportion of the accounts is over ₹ 150?

(Given area between mean & 150, z-value = 0.2734)

