

**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN  
APPLIED STATISTICS (PGDAST)  
Term-End Practical Examination  
June, 2025**

**MSTL-002(Set-I) : INDUSTRIAL STATISTICS  
LAB**

*Time : 3 Hours* *Maximum Marks : 50*

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*Note : (i) Attempt any **two** questions.*

*(ii) Solve the questions in Microsoft Excel.*

*(iii) Use of Formulae and Statistical Tables Booklet for PGDAST is allowed.*

*(iv) Mention necessary steps, hypotheses, interpretations etc.*

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1. A study was conducted to examine those variables which are thought to be related to the job satisfaction of employees of a non-professional organization. A random sample

of 15 employees was selected and the result obtained are given in the table : 25

| Score on Job Satisfaction Test | Coded Intelligence Score | Index of Personal Adjustment |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| 53                             | 15                       | 08                           |
| 36                             | 13                       | 01                           |
| 29                             | 15                       | 01                           |
| 47                             | 15                       | 07                           |
| 36                             | 10                       | 04                           |
| 36                             | 14                       | 02                           |
| 30                             | 12                       | 03                           |
| 48                             | 01                       | 07                           |
| 42                             | 03                       | 09                           |
| 11                             | 15                       | 01                           |
| 29                             | 14                       | 01                           |
| 36                             | 14                       | 02                           |
| 60                             | 9                        | 10                           |
| 30                             | 8                        | 01                           |
| 30                             | 4                        | 05                           |

(a) Prepare a matrix plot to get an idea about the relationship among the variables.

(b) Develop a regression model and perform its analysis at 5% level of significance.

(c) Check linearity and normality assumptions for the fitted regression model.

2. (a) The following data gives the average quarterly prices of a commodity for five years : 15

| Year<br>Quarter | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 |
|-----------------|------|------|------|------|------|
| I               | 130  | 135  | 131  | 131  | 134  |
| II              | 126  | 128  | 129  | 131  | 136  |
| III             | 122  | 122  | 128  | 125  | 126  |
| IV              | 131  | 136  | 132  | 135  | 133  |

(i) Compute the seasonal indices using ratio to moving average method.

(ii) Obtain deseasonalized values and then fit a linear trend line to the annual prices using method of least squares.

(iii) Plot the original data, deseasonalized data and trend values.

(b) A company produces bond papers and random samples of size 50 are inspected at regular intervals of time. Data on defective number of papers in 20 such random samples are given in the table : 10

| Sample | No. of Defectives | Sample | No. of Defectives |
|--------|-------------------|--------|-------------------|
| 1      | 4                 | 11     | 6                 |
| 2      | 5                 | 12     | 2                 |
| 3      | 2                 | 13     | 4                 |
| 4      | 6                 | 14     | 8                 |
| 5      | 10                | 15     | 4                 |
| 6      | 3                 | 16     | 2                 |
| 7      | 4                 | 17     | 1                 |
| 8      | 2                 | 18     | 2                 |
| 9      | 4                 | 19     | 1                 |
| 10     | 2                 | 20     | 2                 |

Construct a suitable chart for given data and check whether the process is under statistical control. If not, draw the revised chart.

3. A meteorologist has taken the data of annual rainfall (in cm) in the region of Delhi state 1980 to 2020. The data is given in the following table :

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| Year | Rainfall | Year | Rainfall | Year | Rainfall |
|------|----------|------|----------|------|----------|
| 1980 | 664      | 1994 | 590      | 2008 | 798      |
| 1981 | 728      | 1995 | 556      | 2009 | 334      |
| 1982 | 447      | 1996 | 292      | 2010 | 465      |
| 1983 | 663      | 1997 | 327      | 2011 | 468      |
| 1984 | 630      | 1998 | 494      | 2012 | 554      |
| 1985 | 451      | 1999 | 448      | 2013 | 744      |
| 1986 | 617      | 2000 | 704      | 2014 | 943      |
| 1987 | 734      | 2001 | 624      | 2015 | 582      |
| 1988 | 491      | 2002 | 473      | 2016 | 581      |

|      |     |      |     |      |     |
|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|
| 1989 | 520 | 2003 | 750 | 2017 | 437 |
| 1990 | 280 | 2004 | 343 | 2018 | 417 |
| 1991 | 548 | 2005 | 484 | 2019 | 617 |
| 1992 | 417 | 2006 | 545 | 2020 | 571 |
| 1993 | 387 | 2007 | 419 |      |     |

- (a) Use of exponential smoothing method with  $\alpha = 0.5$  and obtain the smoothed series of observations.
- (b) Plot the original and smoothed values in the chart.
- (c) Compute the seasonal indices using 4-yearly ratio to moving average method.

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