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## First Semester M.Sc. Degree Examination, May 2023 Counselling Psychology

## CP 514 : RESEARCH METHODS IN BEHAVIOURAL SCIENCE (2022 Admission)

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 75

PART – A

Answer any two questions. Each question carries 15 marks.

- 1. Discuss the application of different parametric and nonparametric statistical tests in social science research.
- 2. Enumerate various factors that can act as a threat to the validity of the research.
- 3. Explain the major stages in psychological research with suitable examples.
- 4. Describe the different traditions in qualitative research.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30 \text{ Marks})$ 

PART - B

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

- 5. Discuss the basic types of research with suitable examples.
- 6. Briefly explain the types of factor analysis.
- 7. Differentiate between true experimental design and quasi experimental design.
- 8. Discuss the significance of peer-reviewed journals.
- 9. Write a short note on descriptive research design.
- 10. Discuss the process of meta-analysis.

- 11. Differentiate between within-group and between-group experimental design.
- 12. Write a short note on thematic analysis.

 $(5 \times 5 = 25 \text{ Marks})$ 

## PART - C

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Answer any ten questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 13. Empiricism
- 14. Probability sampling
- 15. Longitudinal design
- 16. Triangulation theory
- 17. Reference management software
- 18. Standard error
- 19. Participant attrition
- 20. PRISMA guidelines
- 21. Paradigm
- 22. Case study method
- 23. Regression
- 24. FGD
- 25. Factor analysis
- 26. APA Reference style

 $(10 \times 2 = 20 \text{ Marks})$