## M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION,ODD SEMESTER 2020 II Year III Semester Sample Survey Designs

## Max.marks :25

Answer any **FIVE** questions  $(5 \times 5 = 25)$  Marks

- 1. Explain the general selection procedure of selecting pps sample.
- 2. Prove that the systematic sampling is more precise than simple random sampling without replacement if the variation within the systematic sample is larger than the population variance as a whole.
- 3. Describe the methods of allocating a sample to different strata.
- 4. Obtain the bias of regression estimator.
- 5. Obtain the upper bound to the ratio of the bias to its standard error.
- 6. Mention the advantages of cluster sampling.
- 7. Explain non-sampling errors.