

SHRIMATHI DEVKUNVAR NANALAL BHATT VAISHNAV COLLEGE FOR WOMEN
(AUTONOMOUS)

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B.Sc.(Statistics) - END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS APRIL-2023

SEMESTER - VI

20USTCT6015 - Demography

Total Duration : 2 Hrs 30 Mins.

Total Marks : 60

Section B

Answer any **SIX** questions ($6 \times 5 = 30$ Marks)

- Describe the geometric growth curve.
- Explain force of mortality and show that $\mu_{x+\frac{1}{2}} = m_x$.
- Compute (i) the general fertility rate
(ii) the total fertility rate from the data given below:

Age group of childbearing females	15 -19	20 - 24	25 - 29	30 - 34	35 - 39	40 - 44	45 - 49
Number of women ('000)	16.0	16.4	15.8	15.2	14.8	15.0	14.5
Total births	260	2244	1894	1320	916	280	145

- List out the uses of the life table.
- Explain the neonatal mortality rate.
- The number of deaths recorded in various age groups in two areas, viz., Area I and Area II, and the population size in each age group are given in the following table:

Age Group (years)	I		II	
	Population	No. of Deaths	Population	No. of Deaths
0 -10	3000	55	7500	300
10 -25	4500	30	6000	50
25 – 45	6000	40	8000	40
45 and over	1000	15	2000	64

Compute age-specific death rates of Area I and Area II.

- Describe cohort fertility.
- Distinguish between intercensal estimates and postcensal estimates.

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Section C

Answer any **THREE** questions ($3 \times 10 = 30$ Marks)

9. Explain the population pyramid.
10. Compute the crude and standardized death rates of the two populations A and B, regarding A as the standard population, from the following data:

Age Group (years)	A		B	
	Population	Deaths	Population	Deaths
Under 10	20000	600	12000	372
10 – 20	12000	240	30000	660
20 – 40	50000	1250	62000	1612
40 – 60	30000	1050	15000	525
Above 60	10000	500	3000	180

11. Fill up the question marks in a portion of the life table given below:

Age in years	l_x	d_x	p_x	q_x	L_x	T_x	e_x^0
4	95,000	500	?	?	?	4,850,300	?
5	?	400	?	?	?	?	?

12. Compute the gross reproduction rate and net reproduction rate from the following data:

Age-group	Number of children born to 1,000 women passing through the age group	Mortality rate (per 1000)
16 – 20	150	120
21 – 25	1500	180
26 – 30	2000	150
31 – 35	800	200
36 – 40	500	220
41 – 45	200	230
46 – 50	100	250

The sex ratio is males: females::52:48.

13. Compare the logistic curve and Gompertz curve.
