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## M.TECH 3<sup>rd</sup> SEMESTER REGULAR EXAMINATIONS, DECEMBER 2018 RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

Branch: EC, Subject Code:MEC0E3012 (Regulations 2017)

Time: 3 Hours Max Marks: 70 Question Code: RD18002018

PART-A (10 X 2=20 Marks)

- 1. Answer the following questions.
- a) What do you mean by coding? Give an example.
- b) Define Type-I, and Type-II error in testing hypothesis.
- c) Distinguish between t-distribution and z-distribution?
- d) What do you mean by multiple regression analysis?
- e) Highlight the differences between Nominal and Ordinal Scale with example.
- f) Under what circumstances you would use stratified scale?
- g) What do you mean by open-ended and close-ended questionnaire?
- h) Write different methods of collecting data?
- i) What are the characteristics of a good research report?
- j) What is regression analysis and mention its application?

## PART-B (5 X 10=50 Marks)

Answer any five questions from the following.  2. a) What do you mean by research process? Explain the different types of research.  b) What is a research problem? State the components of a research problem.	[5] [5]
<ul><li>3. a) Explain Research Design Process in detail.</li><li>b) Define hypothesis and discuss the need for hypothesis in social research?</li></ul>	[5] [5]
<ul><li>4. a) What guidelines you have to follow in design of questionnaire. Describe different states of questionnaire.</li><li>b) Briefly discuss about the steps involved in literature review.</li></ul>	[5] [5]
<ul><li>5. a) Write down the characteristics of secondary data collection?</li><li>b) What are the various operations involved in processing the collected data?</li></ul>	[5] [5]
<ul><li>6. a) Write down the procedure for hypothesis testing.</li><li>b) Compare the merits and demerits of primary and secondary sources of data?</li></ul>	[5] [5]
<ul><li>7. a) Describe the procedures for preparing a thesis report?</li><li>b) What is plagiarism? How to avoid it?</li></ul>	[5] [5]
<ul><li>8. Write short notes on</li><li>a) Stratified sampling</li><li>b) Non Parametric test</li></ul>	[5] [5]