M. Sc. 4th Semester Examination, 2024 ANTHROPOLOGY

PAPER - ANT-405

Full Marks: 50

Time: 2 hours

Answer all questions

The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable

GROUP-A

Answer any **four** questions from the following: 2×4

- 1. Define median and mode.
- 2. Differentiate between Chi-square and t-test.
- 3. Define rank correlation.

- 4. What is sex-ratio?
- 5. Define a stable population.
- 6. What is infant mortality rate?

GROUP-B

- Answer any four questions from the following:
- 7. Briefly discuss the importance of statistics in health research.
- 8. Write a short note on different types of variables.
- 9. The mean (± standard deviation) of a variable (as per your choice) in two equal sample sized (as per your choice) populations are 143.4 (± 3.8) and 120.2 (± 18.3), respectively. Perform a test of difference by showing all the calculations.

- 10. Write a short note on age-sex composition of population.
- 11. Briefly discuss Caldwell's wealth flows theory.
- 12. What is dependency ratio and labour force participation rate?

GROUP-C

Answer any **two** questions from the following: 8×2

- 13. Discuss any four types of sampling methods with their suitability in health research.
- 14. It has been hypothesized that higher body fat in terms of waist circumference (WC) is associated with high blood sugar. By creating a suitable data set of 15 individuals, accept/reject the hypothesis by showing their relationship.
- 15. Briefly discuss the Malthusian theory of population explosion with its criticism.

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16. Discuss different sources of demographic data.

[Internal Assessment - 10 Marks]