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Name of the Course	: B.A. program	Semester	: V
Name of the Paper	: Data Analysis	Maximum Marks	: 10
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Instructions:

Choose the most appropriate answer for each question.

Mark your choice by circling the corresponding letter (A, B, C, or D).

Each question carries same weight.

1. What does a negative correlation coefficient indicate?

- a) A strong relationship between variables
- b) No relationship between variables
- c) A weak positive relationship between variables
- d) A weak negative relationship between variables

2. Which correlation coefficient is used when dealing with non-linear relationships?

- a) Pearson correlation coefficient (r)
- b) Spearman rank correlation (ρ)
- c) Kendall's tau
- d) Cronbach's alpha

3. In simple random sampling, what is the primary purpose of assigning each member of the population a unique number?

- a) To ensure that outliers are included in the sample
- b) To reduce sampling bias
- c) To simplify the sampling process

d) To ensure that every individual has an equal chance of being selected

4. Which of the following is an example of non-probability sampling?

- a) Stratified sampling
- b) Convenience sampling
- c) Systematic sampling
- d) Cluster sampling

5. What does the standard deviation measure in a dataset?

- a) Central tendency
- b) Variability or dispersion
- c) Skewness
- d) Kurtosis

6. In a linear regression analysis, what does a low R-squared value indicate?

- a) A strong linear relationship between the variables
- b) A weak linear relationship between the variables
- c) A negative linear relationship between the variables
- d) A high degree of multicollinearity

7. What is the primary purpose of an ogive in data analysis?

- a) To display the cumulative frequency distribution
- b) To visualize the probability density function
- c) To measure the skewness of data
- d) To calculate the variance of a dataset

8. Which of the following is NOT a measure of central tendency?

- a) Mean
- b) Median

- c) Mode
- d) Interquartile range

9. In a box plot, what does an outlier symbol (e.g., a dot) outside the whiskers represent?

- a) An error in data entry
- b) A significant change in data distribution
- c) A mistake in data labeling
- d) An unusual data point

10. What is the primary goal of hypothesis testing in data analysis?

- a) To prove a hypothesis true
- b) To identify the most common outcome
- c) To determine if observed differences are statistically significant
- d) To calculate the effect size of an intervention

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