

**B. A. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.) EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2022**  
**2020 ADMISSIONS REGULAR AND 2019, 2018 ADMISSIONS SUPPLEMENTARY**  
**SEMESTER V - CORE COURSE (ECONOMICS)**  
**EC5B08B18 - QUANTITATIVE TECHNIQUES FOR ECONOMIC ANALYSIS**

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 80

**Part A****I. Answer any Ten questions. Each question carries 2 marks****(10x2=20)**

1. Define prime numbers.
2. Define dependent variable.
3. What is an exponential function?
4. Define square matrix.
5. What is a unit matrix?

6. Find  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} (4x^2 - 4x + 3)$

7. Find  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} (8x^2 - 4 + 5)$

8. Draw a frequency curve to the following frequency distribution.

Marks	10-20	20-30	30-40	40-50	50-60	60-70
No. of Students	5	8	15	20	12	7

9. Represent the following frequency table by histogram

Marks	10-15	15-20	20-25	25-30	30-35
No. of Students	5	20	47	38	10

10. Define Median.
11. Define Average.
12. Define Geometric mean.

**Part B****II. Answer any Six questions. Each question carries 5 marks****(6x5=30)**

13. Find the present value of Rs 32,000 in 4 months at 9 % interest?
14. Explain the properties of rational number.
15. By means of Venn diagram prove that  $A \cap (B \cap C) = (A \cap B) \cap C$ .
16. By means of Venn diagram prove that  $(A \cap B)^c = A^c \cup B^c$
17. Find out the derivative of i)  $x^6$  ii)  $x^{-4}$

18. What are the properties of Limit?

19. Following table gives the birth rate per thousand of different countries over a period

Country	Birth rate
India	33
Germany	16
U.K	20
China	40
Newzealand	30
Sweden	12

Represent the above data by a simple bar diagram

20. Give the essential properties of a good average.

21. For the following data calculate Standard Deviation

Marks	2	4	6	8	10
No.of students	8	10	16	9	7

### Part C

III. Answer any Two questions. Each question carries 15 marks

(2x15=30)

22. If  $A = \{1,3,5,7,9\}$   $B = \{2,4,6,8,10\}$   $C = \{3, 4,7, 8,11,12\}$

Show that i)  $(A \cup B) \cap C = A \cap (B \cup C)$

ii)  $(A \cap B) \cap C = A \cap (B \cap C)$

iii)  $A \cup (B \cap C) = (A \cup B) \cap (A \cup C)$

23. Differentiate with respect to  $x$  (i)  $x^2 - 3x + 2$  (ii)  $4x^2 - 9x - 3$

24. Explain the sources of collecting secondary data.

25. Draw 'less than' and 'more than' ogive curves from the following data:

Marks	0-5	5-10	10-15	15-20	20-25	25-30	30-35	35-40
Number of Students	7	10	20	13	12	19	14	9