Roll No.

Subject Code—845-X

M. Com. (Part I) EXAMINATION

MC-106

BUSINESS STATISTICS

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 100

Note: Attempt Five questions. Q. No. 1 is compulsory. All questions carry equal marks.

- 1. Attempt all parts:
 - (i) Meaning of Central Tendency
 - (ii) Regression Lines
 - (iii) Choice of Base Year
 - (iv) Composite Index Numbers
 - (v) Concept of Sample Space
 - (vi) Random Number
 - (vii) Point Estimation
 - (viii) Census Enquiry
 - (ix) Consumer Risk
 - (x) Trend in a Time Series.

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- 2. What do you mean by dispersion? Discuss different measures of dispersion. Also discuss the merits and demerits of the measures of dispersion.
- 3. (a) What is meant by Correlation? Discuss types of correlation with the help of suitable examples.
 - (b) Find out Spearman's coefficient of rank correlation between the marks in two subjects:

Name of Student: A B C D E F G H I

Marks in Physics: 51 63 73 46 50 60 47 36 60

Marks in Maths: 49 72 74 44 58 66 50 30 35

- 4. What is time series? Discuss its components in detail. What are the commonly used models in a time series? What precautions one should take while attempting a forecast from the time series?
- 5. (a) What is probability? Discuss different approaches of probability.

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- (b) If a machine is set up correctly, it produces 90 per cent good items; if it is not correctly set up, then it produces 10 per cent good items. Chances for a setting to be correct are in the ratio of 7:3.

 After a setting is made, the first two items produced are found to be good items. What is the chance that setting was correct?
- 6. (a) What is Sampling? Discuss in detail types of probability sampling methods.
 - (b) Explain the concept of sampling distribution and discuss the utility of central limit theorem in hypothesis testing.
- 7. What is statistical quality control? What factors are responsible for variation in quality? Explain the concept of control chart and types of control charts.

- 8. (a) Write a detailed note on acceptance sampling.
 - (b) A company has introduced a new drug B to curve common cold. It is being compared against an existing drug A. The relevant data are shown below:

		Helped	Harmed	No Effect	Total
	Drug A	44	10	26	80
	Drug B	52	10	18	80
	Total	96	20	44	160

Is the new drug more effective in curing cold? (Critical value of chi-square is 5.991)