# STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI - 600086. (For candidates admitted during the academic year 2019-2020 and thereafter) SUBJECT CODE: 19CO/AC/QT15 <br> B.COM DEGREE EXAMINATION DECEMBER 2020 CORPORATE SECRETARYSHIP <br> FIRST SEMESTER 

## COURSE : ALLIED CORE

PAPER : QUANTITATIVE TECHNIQUES FOR BUSINESS
TIME : 90 MINUTES
MAX. MARKS: 50

## SECTION- A

## Answer All the Questions

$(3 X 2=6)$

1. What is meant by Time Series Analysis?
2. On the basis of the following information, calculate $\mathrm{r}_{23.1}$ $r_{12}=0.70 ; r_{13}=0.61 ; r_{23}=0.40$
3. Enumerate the basic assumptions in Analysis of Variance.

## SECTION-B

Answer any three Questions
(3x8 = 24)
4. Fit a Straight line trend to the data given below by the method of least squares. Calculate trend values and estimate the Gross Ex-Factory value of output for the year 2020

| Year | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Gross Ex-Factory <br> value of Output (Rs.Crores) | 672 | 824 | 968 | 1205 | 1464 | 1758 | 2058 |

5. The following table gives the number of good and bad parts produced by each of three shifts in a factory:

| Shift | Good | Bad | Total |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Day | 900 | 130 | 1030 |
| Evening | 700 | 170 | 870 |
| Night | 400 | 200 | 600 |
| Total | 2000 | 500 | 2500 |

Is there any association between the shift and the quality of parts produced?
6. Ten Specimens of Copper wires from a large lot have the following breaking strength (in kg.wt)

| 5.6 | 4.4 | 4.3 | 3.9 | 3.8 | 5.2 | 4.1 | 3.9 | 4.6 | 4.2 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

Test whether the mean breaking strength of the lot may be taken to be $3.4 \mathrm{~kg}, \mathrm{wt}$ at $1 \%$ level of significance.
7. The following table gives the age of cars of certain make and annual Maintenance cost. Obtain the regression equation of Y on X .

| Age of Cars in years : | 2 | 4 | 6 | 8 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maintenance cost in Rs.hundreds: | 10 | 20 | 25 | 30 |

## Section - C

Answer any one Question
( $1 \times 20=20$ )
8. Calculate Seasonal Indices from the following data with the help of the method of link relatives:

| Quarter | $\mathbf{2 0 1 5}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 6}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 7}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 8}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 9}$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| I | 31 | 42 | 49 | 47 | 51 |
| II | 39 | 44 | 53 | 51 | 54 |
| III | 45 | 57 | 65 | 62 | 66 |
| IV | 36 | 45 | 55 | 50 | 58 |

9. Three varieties of drug were analyzed by four Scientist and the ash content in the varieties was found to be under

| Varieties | Scientist- I | Scientist- II | Scientist- III | Scientist- IV |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| A | 8 | 5 | 5 | 7 |
| B | 7 | 6 | 4 | 4 |
| C | 3 | 6 | 5 | 4 |

Do the varieties differ significantly in their ash content? Perform two-way ANOVA on the data.

