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Sardar Patel University**MSW- 1st semester Examination****Subject: PA01CMSW25 Social Research Methods****Day, Date & Time: Monday, 13/11/2017, 10.00 am to 1.00 pm: Total 70 marks**

Q.1	Multiple Choice questions. Attempt all the questions. Choose correct answer from the options given below the questions.	10 marks
1	Which type of studies describe as accurately as possible the characteristics of a group of people or a community? a. Exploratory study b. Descriptive study c. Experimental study d. None above	
2	What is known as the blue print of research? a. Research design b. Hypotheses c. Construct d. None above	
3	Which among the following is a source of hypotheses? a. Personal experiences b. Available literature c. Existing theories d. All above	
4	The hypothesis which is derived from theory is known as ----- a. Null hypothesis b. Research hypothesis c. Empirical hypothesis d. None above	
5	A piece of information is said to possess ----- when it is described in terms of some public standard rather than a private or subjective one. a. Inter subjective reliability b. Subjectivity c. objectivity d. None above	
6	----- is the application of research methods to the production of knowledge that social workers need to solve problems they confront in the practice of social work. a. Social research b. Social work research c. Social welfare research d. None above	
7	In which type of sampling each element of the population has a known and equal probability of selection in the sample? a. Probability sampling b. Non probability sampling c. Snowball sampling	

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	d. None above	
8	Assigning of number to each response of the question is known as ----- a. Tabulation b. Coding c. Data analysis d. None above	
9	Which among the following is the highest level of measurement? a. Nominal b. Ordinal c. Ratio d. Interval	
10	The process of taking any portion of a universe as representative of that universe is called ----- a. Matching b. Controlling c. Randomising d. Sampling	
Long Questions. Answer the following questions in detail.		
Q.2	What do you mean by scientific method? Explain the characteristics of scientific method.	15 marks
Or		
Q.2	Write an essay on concept, meaning and importance of research design.	15 marks
Q.3	List out the steps in research process. Discuss the steps "problem formulation" and "writing of report" in detail.	15 marks
Or		
Q.3	Define hypothesis. Explain the concept and relevance of hypotheses formulation.	15 marks
Q.4	Define social research. Explain the nature, scope and importance of social research.	15 marks
Or		
Q.4	Write an essay on types of research.	15 marks
Q.5	Write Short Notes (Any 2 out of 4)	15 marks
a.	Science-meaning and concept	
b.	Differentiate -social research and social work research	
c.	Non Experimental research designs	
d.	Variable -Definition and types	