

Faculty of Humanities & Social Science Master of Arts - Psychology (W. E. F.: 2023-24)

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Name of Faculty	:	Faculty of Humanities & Social Science	
Name of Program	:	Master of Arts - Psychology	
Course Code	:	2MAP02	
Course Title	:	Applied Statistics in Psychology	
Type of Course	:	Professional Core (PC)	
Year of Introduction	:	2023-24	

Course Objective	:	Understanding basic statistical concepts and their theoretical
		foundations important for their appropriate use in data analyses.
		Know key terms and major contributors pertaining to
		psychological statistics.
		Understand the difference between descriptive and inferential
		statistics
		Be able to do calculations for descriptive and inferential statistics.
		and test hypotheses using the appropriate inferential
		distributions and formulae
		Developing skills important for using statistical analyses in
		organizing and preparing data for psychological research and
		interpretation
Course Outcomes		At the and of this source, students will be able to:
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	COI	Demonstrate their understanding of descriptive statistics by
		practical application of quantitative reasoning and data
		visualization
	CO2	Demonstrate their knowledge of the basics of inferential statistics
		by making valid generalizationsfrom sample data
	CO3	Explain the logic and appropriate applications of statistical
		analyses for univariate or bivariateresearch designs, problems, or
		hypotheses
	CO4	Calculate the statistics necessary to solve problems (both
		manually and via computer)
	CO4	Communicate the meaning of statistical analyses in everyday
		language and professional formats

Teaching and Examination Scheme

Teachin	g Scheme	(Contact	Credits	Examination Marks				
	Hours)			Theory Marks		ks Practical Marks		Total
L	Т	Р	C	SEE	CIA	SEE	CIA	Marks
4	0	0	4	70	30	0	0	100

Legends: L-Lecture; T-Tutorial/Teacher Guided Theory Practice; P – Practical, C – Credit, SEE – Semester End Examination, CIA - Continuous Internal Assessment (It consists of Assignments/Seminars/Presentations/MCQ Tests, etc.))



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Course Content

Unit No.	Topics	Teaching Hours	Weightage %	Mapping with COs
	Introduction to Statistics:			
1	Why do psychologists need to know about			
	statistics? Types of Statistical Techniques,			
	Measurement Scales in Statistics and its			
	importance, Different concepts and terms used	20	CO1	
	in Statistics - Null Hypothesis, Alternate			
	Hypothesis, Levels of Significance, Sample Size,			
	Types of Errors, Degrees of Freedom, One			
	Tailed Tests, Two Tailed Tests.			
	Chi Square - Equal Probability, Normal			
	Probability, 2 x 2 Contingency Table, Chi-		20	CO1 CO2
	Square for Independence, Contingency Co-			
2	efficient; T-Test for two samples of	10		
2	correlated/related/paired scores (one group	12		
	design), T-Test for two samples of			
	unrelated/uncorrelated scores (two group			
	design)			
	Correlation - Raw Score Method, Product			
	Moment Method, Pearson's Correlation		20	CO3
	Coefficient, Spearman Rank Order Correlation			
3	Coefficient, Assumed Mean Method; Special	12		
0	Correlation Methods – Correlation Ratio (ETA			
	Correlation), Biserial Correlation, Point Biserial			
	Correlation, Tetrachoric Correlation, Partial			
	and Multiple Correlation			
	Analysis of Variance, One Way, Two Way,			
4	Three Way, ANCOVA; Regression and	12	20	CO3
	Prediction			
5	Non-Parametric Tests – Mann-Whitney U Test,			
	Wilcoxon Signed Rank Test, Kruskal Wallis		20	CO3 CO4
	Test, Friedman's ANOVA; SPSS – Introduction,	12		
	Data entry, Calculation, Interpretation of			
	Results			



Suggested Distribution of Theory Marks Using Bloom's Taxonomy						
Level	Remembrance	Understanding	Application	Analyse	Evaluate	Create
Weightage	25	-	-	50	25	-

NOTE: This specification table shall be treated as a general guideline for the students and the teachers. The actual distribution of marks in the question paper may vary slightly from above table.

Reference Books

Sr. No.	Name of Reference Books
1	Mayers, Andrew, Introduction to statistics and SPSS in psychology, Pearson (2013)
2	Cramer, Duncan Howitt, Dennis, Introduction to statistics in psychology[with SPSS], Pearson (2014)
3	Arthur Aron, Elaine Aron, Elliot Coups, Statistics for psychology, Pearson Education, 2013
4	Hugh Coolican, Research Methods and Statistics in Psychology, Psychology Press (2014)
5	C.R. Kothari, Research Methodology – Methods and Techniques, 2 nd Revised Edition, New AgeInternational Publishers, 2004