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V Semester B.A. Degree (CBCSS – Reg./Sup./Imp.) Examination,  
November 2017  
(2014 Admn. Onwards)

Core Course in Economics/Development Economics  
5B09ECO : RESEARCH METHODS AND TECHNIQUES FOR ECONOMIC  
ANALYSIS

Time : 2 Hours

Max. Marks : 30

PART – A

(Very short answer type questions). Answer **all** questions.

1. What is data analysis ?
2. Distinguish between positive science and normative science ?
3. What is Plagiarism ? (3×1=3)

PART – B

(Short answer type questions). Answer **any five** questions.

4. What is neo-classical economics ?
5. What are classical school of thoughts ?
6. Compare census and sampling.
7. Distinguish between deductive and inductive method.
8. What is the meaning of research ?
9. Distinguish between sample point and sample space.
10. What are the criteria of good research ? (5×2=10)

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## PART - C

(Short answer type questions). Answer **any four** questions.

11. What are the assumption controversy in economics ?
12. Explain the basic elements of research.
13. Explain Marxian economics.
14. Distinguish institutional economics and behavioral economics.
15. Explain the importance of review of literature.
16. What are the forms and consequences of plagiarism ? (4×3=12)

## PART - D

(Essay type questions). Answer **any one** question.

17. Explain data collection and presentation of data.
18. Explain the nature and significance of economics as a science. (1×5=5)

PART - B