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UPES End Semester Examination, May 2023			
Course: Biostatistics Program: B.Tech Biotechnology Course Code: HSCC2022		Semester : IV Duration : 3 Hours Max. Marks: 100	
Instructions: Attempt all the questions.			
S. No.	Section A Short answer questions/ MCQ/T&F/Fill in the blanks (20Qx1.5M= 30 Marks)	Marks	COs
Q 1	Explain “Etiological factors – risk factors in the population”.	1.5	CO1
Q 2	What do you understand by “Natural history of diseases”?	1.5	CO1
Q 3	Define: I. Attack rates II. Morbidity rates III. Prevalence	1.5	CO1
Q 4	In an outbreak of gastroenteritis among attendees of a corporate picnic, 99 persons ate potato salad, 30 of whom developed gastroenteritis. Calculate the risk of illness among persons who ate potato salad.	1.5	CO1
Q 5	Explain the “Method for calculating incidence rate”.	1.5	CO1
Q 6	Explain spectrum of disease in a specific geographical area?	1.5	CO2
Q 7	What is “Wheel theory”?	1.5	CO2
Q 8	Explain the process and importance of “descriptive epidemiology”.	1.5	CO2
Q 9	What is the difference between Population (mass) strategy & High risk strategy?	1.5	CO2
Q 10	Explain Disability Limitation and Rehabilitation.	1.5	CO2
Q 11	If a constant value 5 is subtracted from each observations of a set, the mean of the set will (a) increase by 5 (b) decrease by 5 (c) remains same (d) None of these	1.5	CO3

Q 12	Correlation coefficient always lies between _____ and _____.	1.5	CO3
Q 13	A bar diagram indicates the type of correlation between two variables. (a) True (b) False	1.5	CO3
Q 14	Dispersion means (a) The scatteredness of a set of observations (b) The concentration of a set of observations (c) Both a and b (d) None of these	1.5	CO3
Q 15	If x and y satisfy the relationship $x = 6 + 12y$, the value of r is (a) 0 (b) -1 (c) 1 (d) None	1.5	CO3
Q 16	The regression coefficients b_{xy} and b_{yx} are zeros, if the correlation coefficient $r =$ _____.	1.5	CO4
Q 17	If a random variable has a Poisson distribution such that $P(1) = P(2)$, then the mean of distribution is _____.	1.5	CO4
Q 18	Define population and sample.	1.5	CO4
Q 19	If 10% of the bolts produced by a machine are defective, determine the probability that out of 10 bolts chosen at random, none of them is defective.	1.5	CO4
Q 20	Explain the significance of the Chi-Square test.	1.5	CO4
Section B (4Qx5M=20 Marks)			
Q 1	Explain the incubation periods of selected exposures and diseases also mention their clinical effect: I. Organophosphorus ingestion II. <i>Salmonella</i> III. SARS-associated corona virus IV. Varicella-zoster virus V. Hepatitis A virus	5	CO1

Q 2	Explain chain of infections epidemic disease occurrence epidemic patterns and its prevention.	5	CO2												
Q 3	Draw a “less than” cumulative frequency curve (also called Ogive) for the frequency distribution.	5	CO3												
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	80-90			12											
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Q 4	The following table gives age (x) in years of cars and annual maintenance cost (y) in hundred rupees.	5	CO4												
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Estimate the maintenance cost for a 4 year old car by obtaining the regression equation.															
Section C (2Qx15M=30 Marks)															
Q 1	Explain with the schematic diagram and flow chart “The Natural history of disease in a patient”.	15	CO2												
Q 2	The income of a group of 10,000 persons was found to be normally distributed with mean Rs. 750 per month and standard deviation of Rs. 50. Show that, of this group, about 95% had income exceeding Rs. 668 and only 5% had income exceeding Rs. 832. (Given $P(0 < z < 1.64) = 0.4495$ from the table).	15	CO4												
Section D (2Qx10M=20 Marks)															
Q 1	(A) Explain in detail “Census and Sample Surveys”. [5 M]	10	CO1												
	(B) Explain various study designs with “Descriptive and analytical epidemiology”. [5 M]														
Q 2	Using Non-linear Regression, fit a second degree parabola (polynomial) to the following data.	10	CO3												
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