

M. Phil Syllabus for Psychology

Paper I :- ADVANCED RESEARCH METHODOLOGY Marks - 100 **(Vacational and Regular)**

Objectives :-

- 1) To acquainted students and researchers understand the fundamental nature of the scientific approach to problem solution
- 2) To associate researcher with preparation for proper research design
- 3) To Implement research work with originality, soundness and applicability.

Chapter 1 : SCIENCE AND SCIENTIFIC APPROACH		Periods	
		Vacational	Regular
1.1	Science and common science		
1.2	Science and its functions	12	12
1.3	The aims of science, scientific explanation & theory.		
1.4	Scientific research - a definition		
1.5	The scientific approach.		
Chapter 2 : PROBLEMS AND HYPOTHESIS		13	13
2.1	Problem, hypothesis and definition		
2.2	Generality and specificity of problems & hypothesis		
2.3	The importance of problems and hypothesis		
2.4	The multivariate nature of behavioural research and problems		
Chapter 3 : CONSTRUCTS, VARIABLES AND DEFINATIONS		14	14
3.1	Concepts & constructs. Variables		
3.2	Constitue and operational definitions of constructs & variables.		
3.3	Types of variable		
3.4	Constructs, observables & intervening variables.		
Chapter 4 : PRINCIPLES OF ANALYSIS AND INTERPRETATION		15	15
4.1	Frequencies and continuous majors.		
4.2	Kinds of statistical analysis		
4.3	Statistics purpose, approach & methods		
4.4	Testing hypothesis & the standard error.		

Chapter 5	: ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE	14	14
5.1	The t-ratio and analysis of variance approach.		
5.2	Factorial analysis of variance.		
5.3	Analysis of variance correlated groups.		
5.4	Non parametric analysis of variance		
Chapter 6	: DESIGN OF RESEARCH	12	12
6.1	Meaning, Purpose & Principles.		
6.2	Ex Post Facto Research, Laboratory experiment, Field experiment, Field studies & Survey Research		
6.3	Methods of observation & data collection		
	A) Interviews B) Objective Test & scales		
	C) Projective methods D) Sociometry E) Questionair		

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- 2) Mc Barri - Research Methodology in Psychology.
- 3) Dr. Khire Ushatal, Dr. Joshi S.T., - Glimpses of Indian Psychology -
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Note : Method of examination

University Test (Exam) - 60 Marks, 4 Questions, 2 hours duration Passing : 30 marks

Internal Test (Exam) - 2 seminars - 10 Marks	I & II Term End	} 50% marks of passing
Assignment - 10 Marks	I & II Term End	
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Paper II :- ADVANCED STATISTICAL METHODS IN PSYCHOLOGICAL RESEARCH

Marks - 100

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Objectives :-

- 1) To acquainted students with concepts & methods of statistics in research
- 2) To developed the approach of students for use of statistics in research.
- 3) To impart statistical skill for applying different techniques.

Chapter 1 : INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICS		Periods	
		Vacational	Regular
1.1	Concept of Statistics (Central tendency, SD & Quarile deviation)	12	12
1.2	Percentile and Percental Rank		
1.3	Standard score and T-score		
1.4	Graphical representation on various types		
1.5	Application of statistics.		
Chapter 2 : PROBABILITY - STATISTICAL ESTIMATION & INFERANCES		13	13
2.1	Probability - Concept & defination.		
2.2	Principles of Probability (with research approach)		
2.3	Application of normal distribution		
2.4	Test of significance of difference between X (t test)		
Chapter 3 : CORRELATION		14	14
3.1	Meaning & Types of corerlation (Linear, Non linear, simple, Partial, Multiple)		
3.2	Product moment correlation, (Kar Pearson Co-efficient, Rank order)		
3.3	Scatter diagram method		
3.4	Regression		
3.5	Application in research		

Chapter 4 : ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE	15	15
4.1 ANOVA - in a one way classification problem		
4.2 ANOVA - in a two way classification problem		
4.3 ANOVA - in a three way classification factorial design		
4.4 Some special Analysis of variance of method		
4.5 General utility of ANOVA and Co-variance		
Chapter 5 : CHI SQUARE AND NON PARAMETRIC	14	14
STATISTICS IN RESEARCH		
5.1 General features of chi square.		
5.2 Chi Square for three simultaneous comparison.		
5.3 Chi Square when frequencies are small.		
5.4 Computing expected cell frequencies and 2 x 2 table.		
5.5 Sign test, Rank sum test, kruski wallis or H Test.		
Chapter 6 : INTRODUCTION - SOFTWARE IN STATISTICS	12	12
6.1 SPSS 10, 11, 12, 13		

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- 1) Gifford J P - Fruchter B (1995) - Fundamental statistics in psychology 9th edition
McGraw Hill, Delhi.
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- 3) S P S S Software - No. 5 to 13
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Paper III :- **ADVANCED STUDY IN PSYCHOLOGICAL MEASUREMENTS**

Marks - 100

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- Objectives :-**
- 1) To be acquisition the researcher with various psychological test construction
 - 2) To be acquisition the research with test standardisation.
 - 3) To be acquisition the researcher with test, uses & applications.

		Periods	
		Vacational	Regular
Chapter 1 : NATURE OF PSYCHOLOGICAL TESTING			
1.1	Characteristic of psychological test		
1.2	Item Analysis	13	13
1.3	Test construction		
1.4	Norms & types		
1.5	Hypothesis formulation & types		
1.6	Variables		
1.7	Applications of psychological test		
Chapter 2 : RELIABILITY		14	14
2.1	Types of reliability		
2.2	Uses of reliability		
2.3	Applications of reliability		
Chapter 3 : VALIDITY : BASIC CONCEPT		12	12
3.1	Nature of validity		
3.2	Types of validity		
3.3	Uses of validity		
3.4	Applications of validity		
Chapter 4 : INTELLIGENCE AND ABILITY TEST		15	15
4.1	Individual group test		
4.2	Multiple Aptitude test		
4.3	Special Aptitude test		

4.4	Educational Test		
4.5	Clinical Test		
4.6	Application of Intelligent Test		
Chapter 5 : PERSONALITY TESTING		14	14
5.1	Importance - Applications		
5.2	Self report Personality Inventories.		
5.3	Measuring Interest & attitudes		
5.4	Other Assessment Techniques.		
5.5	Projective techniques.		
Chapter 6 : ISSUES IN PSYCHOLOGICAL MEASUREMENT		12	12
6.1	Concept bias, Fairness in psychological measurement		
6.2	Types of Test bias.		
6.3	Detect the bias in measurement.		
6.4	Deleting bias in measurement		

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- 2) Croubach L J. (1998) - Essentials of psychological testing, 7th edition
Harpor & Row Publication
- 3) Anastasi UrbIn (1997) - Psychological testing, New Jersey - Simon Pub.
- 4) Freeman (2001) - Psychological testing (Revised Edition), Wiley Pub.

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Paper IV :- **DESSERTATION**

Marks - 200

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Dissertation is compulsory for the partial fulfillment for M.Phil Degree in Psychology. The nature of Dissertation is as under.

Dissertation is divided as following chapter

Chapter 1 : INTRODUCTION

Periods

- 1.1 Introduction (Prologue)
- 1.2 Significance of the study
- 1.3 Definition of the concept in study
- 1.4 Other relevant with problem

CHAPTER 2 : REVIEWS OF PREVIOUS STUDIES / LITERATURE

Studies related with the problem

CHAPTER 3 : RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

- 3.1 Aims
- 3.2 Statement of the problem
- 3.3 Objectives
- 3.4 variables
- 3.5 Selection of the sample
- 3.6 Selection of the research tool
- 3.7 Method of analysis / statistical treatment / procedure

CHAPTER 4 : RESULTS AND INTERPRETATION

- 4.1 Results
- 4.2 Interpretation
- 4.3 Discussion

**CHAPTER 5 : SUMMARY, CONCLUSION, LIMITATION
AND SUGGESTION (EPILOGUE)**

- 5.1 Summary
- 5.2 Conclusion
- 5.3 Limitations
- 5.4 Suggestion
- Appendixes
- References / Bibliography
- List of Tools
- Other

Division of Marks for dissertation

1.	External Refree	-	75 marks
2.	Internal Refree	-	75 marks
3.	Viva Voce Exam	-	50 marks
(25 External + 25 Internal Examiner)			
<u>Total</u>			<u>200 marks</u>

Out of two hundred (200) marks, hundred (100) marks are essential for passing ion dissertation

For the Degree of M.Phil :-

	Total marks	Passing
Theory: Paper I st	100 (60 + 40)	50
Paper II nd	100 (60 + 40)	50
Paper III rd	100 (60 + 40)	50
Paper IV th	100	50
(Dissertation)	(75 + 75 + 50)	
<u>Total</u>	<u>600</u>	<u>250</u>