A number calculated with complete population data and quantifies a characteristic of the population is called as ____________.

- Datum
- Parameter
- Population
- Statistic

Any deception involved in the experiment is explained to participants:-

- before they agree to participate in the experiment
- in the informed consent
- during the experimental session
- in the debriefing session

Motive for manipulation is a:-

- Secondary motive
- Primary motive
- Tertiary
- General motive

Bogus Pipeline is used for measuring:-

- Cognitive Dissonance
- Attitude
- Persuasion
- Personality

Maximum resources are used at which stage of the General Adaptation Syndrome model?

- Exhaustion stage
- Resistance stage
- Preliminary stage
Among the following, which can be considered as a categorical variable?
- annual income
- age
- Gender
- grade point average

___________ refers to research in which the observer becomes part of the group being studied.
- Participant observation
- correlational research
- Naturalistic observation
- archival research

Which of the following method is the most quantitative method of Job Evaluation?
- Factor Comparison
- Ranking
- Point Ranking
- Classification Method

The strongest evidence for causality comes from which of the following research methods?
- Correlational
- Ethnography
- Experimental
- Causal-comparative

Central Executive which is hypothesised to focus attention during information processing is a part of:
- Sensory memory
- Short term Memory
- Long Term Memory
Which of the following method of Performance Appraisal is based upon the principle of normal distribution?

- Critical Incident Method
- 360 Degree feedback method
- Checklist Method
- Forced Distribution Method

Individuals who are good at understanding and communicating with others are higher at which type of intelligence?

- Naturalistic
- Intrapersonal
- Interpersonal
- Linguistic

Humanistic perspective of psychology focuses upon:

- Inherited tendencies
- Unconscious process
- Cultural factors
- Personal growth

Which of the following is the first step in a research process?

- coming up with the hypothesis
- conducting the experiment
- data analysis
- conducting the literature review

The number that shows a score's deviation from the mean in standard deviation units is called:

- U score
- T score
Need for self-understanding, as per the expanded model of Maslow's need hierarchy, is part of ____________.

- Cognitive need
- Aesthetic need
- Self-Actualization need
- Esteem need

Which Personality Disorder show dramatic, emotional and erratic personality?

- Paranoid PD
- Borderline PD
- Dependent PD
- OCPD

Which among the following sampling technique will give a more accurate representation of the population?

- A small sample based on simple random sampling
- A large sample based on the convenience sampling technique
- A large sample based on simple random sampling
- A small cluster sample

Variables that invalidate a study are called:-

- Contingent variables
- Contaminating variable
- Categorical variables
- Independent variable

Among the following, which technique would yield a simple random sample?
Numbering all the elements of a sampling frame and then using a random number table to pick cases from the table
Choosing students from a particular classroom to participate
Listing the individuals by department wise and choosing a proportion from within each department at random
Randomly selecting classes, and then sampling everyone within the class

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Which of the following is a parametric test?
- Sign test
- U test
- T test
- Chi-square

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F ratio is a part of which of the following statistics?
- T-test
- Pearson correlation coefficient
- Chi-square
- ANOVA

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The Minnesota Multiphasic Personality Inventory – 2 was developed using a method called:-
- factor analysis
- empirical keying
- multiple regression
- structural equation modelling

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Subset of a population is called:-
- Parameter
- Sample
- Populace
- Statistic

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Open-ended questions generally provide ______ data.
- Quantitative
- Confirmatory
- Correlational
- Qualitative

Self-Determination theory was propounded by ____________.
- Carruthers and Hood
- Fromm
- Ryff and Singer
- Ryan and Decci

Which of the following psychologist advocated Nurturant-Task theory for leadership?
- JBP Sinhna
- Iswar Dayal
- RC Tripathi
- Uday Pareek

A problem solving strategy where individuals produce numerous ideas and evaluate them only after all ideas have been collected is:-
- Functional analysis
- Brainstorming
- Convergent thinking
- Deductive thinking

In which of the following group decision making method there is no face-to-face interaction at all among the group members?
- Brainstorming
- Nominal Group Technique
- Delphi Technique
- Interactive Group Technique
An ABAB design is also known as:
- Reversal design
- Backward design
- Forward design
- Experimental design

Which is not a cause of Memory Distortion?
- Motives
- Schemas
- Source monitoring
- Reality monitoring

Rotter's social learning theory emphasizes the following:
- Behavioral potential
- motivation
- A reinterpretation of Freud's theory
- expectancy

Quantitative research is more concerned with ________ and qualitative research is more concerned with ________.
- details and emotions; generalities
- generalities; interobserver reliability
- generalities; details and emotions
- grounded theory; logic

Which of the following monitor blood and oxygen flow in the brain to identify areas of high activity?
- FMRI
- EEG
- CAT
How many dependent variables are used in multiple regression?

Two
One
Three
Above four

________ is the standard deviation of a sampling distribution.

Sample standard deviation
Replication error
Standard error
Meta error

Which one of the following choices gives a correct example of a poly-genetic trait with the correct reason?

A zygote; created by the union of a sperm and egg, both of which have 23 chromosomes each
Skin color; inherited down generations
A carrier of a disease; the person received one gene from one parent, and a different one from the other, making the two genes in a specific pair different.
Eye color; affected by numerous genes

Among the following, which correlation has the strongest value?

-1.00
-.93
+.94
+.20

The phrase “know thyself” reflects which type of knowledge?

Intrapersonal
Interpersonal
Among the following sampling techniques, in which, does the researcher might ask the research participants to identify other potential participants?

- Quota
- Snowball
- Purposive
- Convenience

Partial correlation analysis involves:-

- Matching participants on potential confounding variables
- Examining the relationship between two or more variables controlling for additional variables statistically
- Including only one group in a correlational analysis
- Limiting the sample to individuals at a constant level of an extraneous variable

Which among the following is a form of research typically conducted by teachers, counselors, and other professionals to answer questions they have and to specifically help them solve local problems?

- Action research
- Pure research
- Basic research
- Predictive research

Among the following, which can be described as data that were originally collected at an earlier time by a different person for a different purpose?

- Field notes
- Secondary data
- Experimental data
- Primary data

Whorf's hypothesis that language determines the way we think is called:-
The basic conflict during adolescence according to Erikson's theory is:-
- Initiative vs guilt
- Identity vs role confusion
- Trust vs mistrust
- Intimacy vs isolation

Which of the following is called poor man's stratified sampling?
- Purposive sampling
- Cluster sampling
- Quota sampling
- Simple random sampling

Which of the following is a non parametric test?
- ANOVA
- Chi-square test
- T test
- Pearson correlation

Among the following which analysis is more suitable when the dependent variable is measured as categories?
- Factor analysis
- Regression analysis
- Discriminant analysis
- Structural analysis
The development of a solid foundation of reliable knowledge typically is built from which type of research?

- Action research
- Basic research
- Orientational research
- Evaluation research

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Dichotic listening has been used extensively as an experimental technique in the study of:

- Selective attention
- Ponzo illusion
- Memory
- Transposition

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Neurotransmitters drift away after being released into the synaptic cleft and some are inactivated by enzymes. Some are reabsorbed into the pre-synaptic neuron. This process is called:

- Reionize
- Reuptake
- Recycle
- Reabsorb

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________ validity refers to the degree to which the score on a test corresponds with another measure of the designated trait.

- content
- concurrent
- criterion
- split-half

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GLM refers to which of the following?

- General Logit Model
- General Lab Model
- General Linear Model
- General Limited Model
Law of effect in the context of learning was given by:-
- Tolman
- Skinner
- Pavlov
- Thorndike

Reasoning that proceeds from specific cases to general theories is referred to as:-
- the principle of falsifiability
- serendipity
- inductive logic
- deductive logic

A post hoc test is ____________.
- A test to determine regression to the mean
- A follow-up test to the analysis of variance when there are three or more groups
- A follow-up test to the independent t-test
- A test to compare two or more means

The neural impulse is fired in the pre-synaptic neuron:-
- When a lot of excitatory PSP builds up
- When the charge of the neuron reaches -70 mill volts
- When a lot of inhibitory PSP builds up
- When sodium ions rush in at stimulation and create an action potential

Which of the following communication networks permit all group members to actively communicate with each other?
- Wheel
- All-Channel
- Grapevine
- Chain
Among the following, identify the research paradigm which is least concerned about generalizing its findings?

- Quantitative research
- Mixed research
- Experiments
- Qualitative research

What is the key characteristic feature of experimental research?

- extraneous variables are never present
- a negative correlation among variables
- a positive correlation among variables
- manipulation of the independent variable

A fundamental assumption of chi square test is that no more than ________ % of cells can have an expected frequency of less than ________.

- 5; n
- 4; 1
- 75; 95
- 25; 5

Split brain surgery is performed to prevent which of the following?

- Impaired motor skills
- Epileptic seizures
- Autism
- Strokes

In experimental research, the primary goal is to isolate and identify the effect produced by the ________.

- Extraneous variable
- Dependent variable
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Removal or destruction of brain tissue in a surgical procedure is called:-
- Lobotomy
- Ablation
- Dissection
- Excoriation

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According to Piaget, the inability of a child to take other's perspectives into consideration is called:-
- Selfish thought
- Eccentric Thought
- Intuitive thought
- Egocentric Thought

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Deep sleep, slow delta waves, bedwetting & sleepwalking occur at which stage of sleep?
- Stage 2
- Stage 3
- Stage 1
- Stage 4

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Two factor theory of Emotion was given by:-
- Zajonc –Lazarus
- Scachter-Singer
- Canon-Bard
- James-Lange

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History effects are associated with:-
- criterion validity
- split-half reliability
test-retest reliability
content validity

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If a test consists of very difficult items, then the scores from a sample will have _________ distribution.

- Positively skewed
- Leptokurtic
- Negatively skewed
- Platykurtic

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When an extraneous variable systematically varies with the independent variable and influences the dependent variable, it is known as:-

- Unreliable variable
- Reliable variable
- Confounding variable
- Second dependent variable

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The support that is provided to children so that they reach their maximum potential is called:-

- Servicing
- Shouting
- Scouting
- Scaffolding

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In problem solving, trial and error works best when:-

- There are many unambiguous choices
- There is unlimited number of choices
- There are many ambiguous choices
- There are only a limited number of choices

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World Mental Health Day is observed on _______.

- December 10
Thinking is a synonym for:-
- Sensation
- Learning
- Perception
- Cognition

Which of the following is NOT a type of reliability?
- Internal consistency
- Test-retest
- Split-half
- Content

Crowd behavior can be best studied through the method of ________.
- Case history,
- Survey research
- Observation
- Experimentation

What is Cramer’s V used for?
- Cramer’s V is used instead of $\chi^2$ in analysis which are bigger than 2x2
- Cramer’s V is a way of reporting the ratio between the observed and expected scores
- Cramer’s V is used when assumptions for conducting chi square are violated
- Cramer’s V is a measure of effect used for tests of association

Rating different choices on each of several criteria in decision making is known as:-
- Functional elasticity
Means-ends analysis
Non binding modeling
Compensatory modeling

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"Childhood anxiety triggers our desire for love and security" was said by:-
- Alfred Adler
- Heinz Kohut
- Karen Horney
- Anna Freud

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Sound heard in the left ear is registered:-
- Only in the right hemisphere
- Faster in the right hemisphere
- Both hemispheres at an equal pace
- Faster in the left hemisphere

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False positive errors:-
- are in inverse proportion to false negative errors
- are unlikely in most practical situations where tests are employed
- should invariably be minimized
- may be less costly in some situations than false negative errors

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Who among the following is a central figure in Family Therapy?
- Virginia Satir
- Richard Bandler
- Viktor Frankl
- Karen Horney

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Among the following which is not an Experiential Training activity?
- Role play
Sensitivity training

Internship

Audio visual learning

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In computing item discrimination indices, the best strategy from a statistical point of view is to compare:-
- upper 27% versus the lower 27%
- those above the median versus those below
- "A" students versus failing students
- those with delta scores of above 50 versus below 50

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Tacit knowledge is:-
- declarative knowledge gained through instruction
- knowledge of how to do well on tests
- knowledge of tacits
- procedural knowledge gained through experience

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Cross-cultural guidelines for how and when to express emotions are called:-
- Cultural relativity
- Emblems
- Display rules
- Cultural sensitivity

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The tendency to view outcomes as inevitable and predictable after we already know the outcome is known as:-
- Framing
- Confirmation bias
- Hindsight Bias
- Counterfactual thinking

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Different languages predispose those individuals who speak to them to think about the world in different ways is a proposition by:-
Long term potentiation refers to:
- The impact of overlearning on retention
- An automatic tendency to recall emotionally significant events
- An increased neural readiness for impulse transmission
- The relatively permanent and limitless storehouse of memory system

Which of the following is an important concept of Gestalt therapy?
- Cognizance
- Unfinished business
- Ultimate meanings
- Existential dilemma

Which of the following is not necessary for the construction of a questionnaire?
- Validity
- Reliability
- Difficulty Index
- Discrimination Index

"I'm crying, so I must be sad" best relates to theory of emotion proposed by:
- Canon-Bard
- Schacter-Singer
- James-Lange
- Lazarus

Albert Ellis was the founder of which of the following therapies:
Item-generation techniques are easy to apply to:
- figural ability items
- open-ended questions
- verbal items
- projective tests

Insisting on just the opposite of what one wants is called:
- Projection
- Paradoxing
- Relabeling
- Prescribing the symptom

The type of power which originates from the obligation of the individual to accept the leader and be influenced is _________ power.
- Legitimate
- Coercive
- Referent
- Reward

According to classical test score theory, what happens to the true score variance as error in a measure increases?
- it increases
- classical test score theory makes no statement on this point
- it decreases
- it remains constant
The process of being in contact and emotionally separate from others is known as:-

- Triangulation
- Differentiation
- Detriangulation
- Coaliations

Shame Attacking exercise is used in ________ therapy.

- Systematic Desensitisation
- Aversion Therapy
- REBT
- CBT

As per the Max-min-con principle, research design attempts to minimize _____________ variance.

- Systematic variance
- Error Variance
- Extraneous variance
- True variance