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FIRST OPPORTUNITY EXAMINATION QUESTION PAPER	
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THIS QUESTION PAPER CONSISTS OF 5 PAGES

(Excluding Statistical Tables)

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Answer ALL the questions in the booklet provided.
2. Show clearly all the steps used in the calculations.
3. All written work must be done in blue or black ink.

PERMISSIBLE MATERIALS

1. Non-programmable calculator without a cover.

ATTACHMENTS

1. Statistical Tables (Z-Tables & Chi-Squared Table)
2. Graph Paper

QUESTION 1 [30]

1.1 Indicate whether each of the following variables is quantitative or qualitative, and identify the appropriate scale of measurement:

- 1.1.1) age of a child during an immunization (2)
- 1.1.2) gender of an applicant attending an interview (2)
- 1.1.3) the rank in which athletes obtained prizes (2)
- 1.1.4) the make of the cellphone which the child lost (2)
- 1.1.5) percentage of students who passed the test (2)

1.2) For each of the following random variables, indicate whether the data type is discrete or continuous

- 1.2.1) The weight of a bag of potatoes (2)
- 1.2.2) The number of cars damaged in the accident (2)
- 1.2.3) The distance a cyclist completed (2)
- 1.2.4) The number of children with disabilities (2)
- 1.2.5) The height of a ten-year old girl (2)

1.3) **[For each of these questions (1.3.1 – 1.3.5), Only provide the letter indicating your correct answer]**

1.3.1 Which of the following measures of central tendency can reliably be used when dataset has outliers?

- a) Mean b) Median c) Mode d) All the above (2)

1.3.2) A sample is

- a) An experiment in the population b) A subset of the population
- c) A variable in the population d) An outcome of the population (2)

1.3.3) A parameter refers to

- a) Calculation made from the population b) A measurement that is made from the population
- c) A value observed in the experiment d) All of the above (2)

1.3.4) Weight is a _____ variable

- a) Continuous b) Discrete c) Ordinal d) Interval (2)

1.3.5) Researchers do sampling because of all of the following reasons except

- a) Reduce cost b) Can be done in a shorter time frame c) Sampling is interesting
- d) Easy to manage due to manageable logistics requirements (2)

QUESTION 2 [30]

2.1) The Ministry of Education summarized the mathematics grades of ten thousand Grade 12 learners. The result was to categorize into the following categories *A, B, C, D* and *E* respectively. The following table shows data on mathematics results for a sample of 50 Grade 12 learners.

A	C	E	B	D	C	D	B	D	C
D	B	D	E	C	A	D	C	D	E
D	C	A	B	D	C	B	E	C	D
B	C	D	C	D	C	E	A	D	C
C	B	D	D	B	D	C	E	B	A

2.1.1) Construct the frequency distribution for the set of qualitative data in the table. (8)

2.1.2) Construct the relative frequency distribution for the data set. (2)

2.1.3) Draw the bar chart for the absolute frequency distribution for the data set. (5)

2.2) The Namibian Cycling Federation (NCF) analyzed the exercise time (in hours) spent by a sample of 530 cyclists in preparation for the popular Desert Dash.

Exercise Time (hours)	Number of cyclists
3 - < 7	104
7 - < 11	138
11 - < 15	121
15 - < 19	95
19 - < 23	72

Use the data provided to calculate the:

2.2.1) mean, (5)

2.2.2) median, (5)

2.2.3) and modal exercise time (5)

QUESTION 3 [14]

The data below shows the price (in millions) for a standard size plot in an upmarket residential suburb of Windhoek.

2012	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
3.0	4.2	4.8	3.7	3.4	4.3	5.6	4.4	3.8	4.1

3.1) Determine the least squares trend line equation, using the sequential coding method with the first period coded as 1. (8)

3.2) Use the trend line equation obtained in Question 3.1 to estimate the price for the same plot in 2010 and 2023. (6)

QUESTION 4 [10]

The quality control manager in a tyre manufacturing plant in Oshakati wants to test a belief that the nature of defects found in manufactured tyres depends upon the shift during which the defective tyre is produced. He therefore compiled the following two-way pivot table showing the number of defective tyres identified by shift and by nature of defect. Is there evidence to substantiate a claim that there is a statistical association between the nature of defective tyres and the shift on which they are produced?

Shift	Nature of tyre defect		
	technical	mechanical	material
Morning	15	42	11
Afternoon	26	40	20
Night	29	25	14

Is there evidence to substantiate a claim that there is a statistical association between the nature of defective tyres and the shift on which they are produced? Use $\alpha = 0.05$

QUESTION 5 [16]

5.1) The average cost of providing a particular service per person per day is a random variable having a normal distribution with average of N\$100 and a standard deviation of N\$22.

5.1.1) Calculate the probability that the cost of providing the service will be at least N\$120 per day per person. (5)

5.1.2) Calculate the probability that the cost of providing the service will be at least N\$60 per day per person. (3)

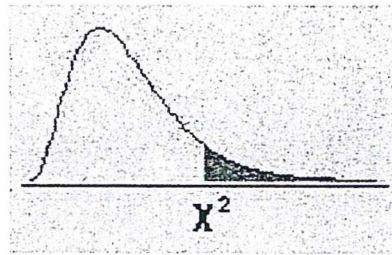
5.2) The Office of the Registrar has revealed that only 12 out of every 20 students graduate. Based upon this assumption, determine the probability that out of a

random sample of 5 students

- 5.2.1) None will graduate (3)
- 5.2.2) All will graduate. (2)
- 5.2.3) At most one student will graduate (3)

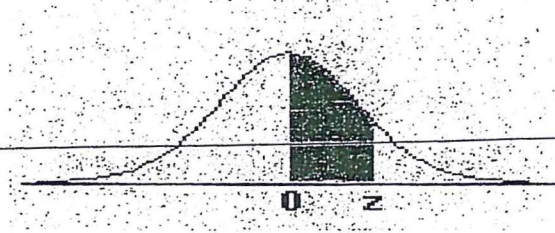
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The Chi-Square Distribution



df/p	.995	.990	.975	.950	.900	.750	.500	.250	.100	.050	.025	.010	.005
1	0.00004	0.00016	0.00098	0.00393	0.01579	0.10153	0.45494	1.32330	2.70554	3.84146	5.02389	6.63490	7.87944
2	0.01003	0.02010	0.05064	0.10259	0.21072	0.57536	1.38629	2.77259	4.60517	5.99146	7.37776	9.21034	10.59663
3	0.07172	0.11483	0.21580	0.35185	0.58437	1.21253	2.36597	4.10834	6.25139	7.81473	9.34840	11.34487	12.83816
4	0.20699	0.29711	0.48442	0.71072	1.06362	1.92256	3.35669	5.38527	7.77944	9.48773	11.14329	13.27670	14.86026
5	0.41174	0.55430	0.83121	1.14548	1.61031	2.67460	4.35146	6.62568	9.23636	11.07050	12.83250	15.08627	16.74960
6	0.67573	0.87209	1.23734	1.63538	2.20413	3.45460	5.34812	7.84080	10.64464	12.59159	14.44938	16.81189	18.54758
7	0.98926	1.23904	1.68987	2.16735	2.83311	4.25485	6.34581	9.03715	12.01704	14.06714	16.01276	18.47531	20.27774
8	1.34441	1.64650	2.17973	2.73264	3.48954	5.07064	7.34412	10.21885	13.36157	15.50731	17.53455	20.09024	21.95495
9	1.73493	2.08790	2.70039	3.32511	4.16816	5.89883	8.34283	11.38875	14.68366	16.91898	19.02277	21.66599	23.58935
10	2.15586	2.55821	3.24697	3.94030	4.86518	6.73720	9.34182	12.54886	15.98718	18.30704	20.48318	23.20925	25.18818
11	2.60322	3.05348	3.81575	4.57481	5.57778	7.58414	10.34100	13.70069	17.27501	19.67514	21.92005	24.72497	26.75685
12	3.07382	3.57057	4.40379	5.22603	6.30380	8.43842	11.34032	14.84540	18.54935	21.02607	23.33666	26.21697	28.29952
13	3.56503	4.10692	5.00875	5.89186	7.04150	9.29907	12.33976	15.98391	19.81193	22.36203	24.73560	27.68825	29.81947
14	4.07467	4.66043	5.62873	6.57063	7.78953	10.16531	13.33927	17.11693	21.06414	23.68479	26.11895	29.14124	31.31935
15	4.60092	5.22935	6.26214	7.26094	8.54676	11.03654	14.33886	18.24509	22.30713	24.99579	27.48839	30.57791	32.80132
16	5.14221	5.81221	6.90766	7.96165	9.31224	11.91222	15.33850	19.36886	23.54183	26.29623	28.84535	31.99993	34.26719
17	5.69722	6.40776	7.56419	8.67176	10.08519	12.79193	16.33818	20.48868	24.76904	27.58711	30.19101	33.40866	35.71847
18	6.26480	7.01491	8.23075	9.39046	10.86494	13.67529	17.33790	21.60489	25.98942	28.86930	31.52638	34.80531	37.15645
19	6.84397	7.63273	8.90652	10.11701	11.65091	14.56200	18.33765	22.71781	27.20357	30.14353	32.85233	36.19087	38.58226
20	7.43384	8.26040	9.59078	10.85081	12.44261	15.45177	19.33743	23.82769	28.41198	31.41043	34.16961	37.56623	39.99685
21	8.03365	8.89720	10.28290	11.59131	13.23960	16.34438	20.33723	24.93478	29.61509	32.67057	35.47888	38.93217	41.40106
22	8.64272	9.54249	10.98232	12.33801	14.04149	17.23962	21.33704	26.03927	30.81328	33.92444	36.78071	40.28936	42.79565
23	9.26042	10.19572	11.68855	13.09051	14.84796	18.13730	22.33688	27.14134	32.00690	35.17246	38.07563	41.63840	44.18128
24	9.88623	10.85636	12.40115	13.84843	15.65868	19.03725	23.33673	28.24115	33.19624	36.41503	39.36408	42.97982	45.55851
25	10.51965	11.52398	13.11972	14.61141	16.47341	19.93934	24.33659	29.33885	34.38159	37.65248	40.64647	44.31410	46.92789
26	11.16024	12.19815	13.84390	15.37916	17.29188	20.84343	25.33646	30.43457	35.56317	38.88514	41.92317	45.64168	48.28988
27	11.80759	12.87850	14.57338	16.15140	18.11390	21.74940	26.33634	31.52841	36.74122	40.11327	43.19451	46.96294	49.64492
28	12.46134	13.56471	15.30786	16.92788	18.93924	22.65716	27.33623	32.62049	37.91592	41.33714	44.46079	48.27824	50.99338
29	13.12115	14.25645	16.04707	17.70837	19.76774	23.56659	28.33613	33.71091	39.08747	42.55697	45.72229	49.58788	52.33562
30	13.78672	14.95346	16.79077	18.49266	20.59923	24.47761	29.33603	34.79974	40.25602	43.77297	46.97924	50.89218	53.67196

APPENDIX C: The Standard Normal Distribution

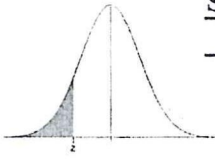


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0.1	0.0398	0.0438	0.0478	0.0517	0.0557	0.0596	0.0636	0.0675	0.0714	0.0753
0.2	0.0793	0.0832	0.0871	0.0910	0.0948	0.0987	0.1026	0.1064	0.1103	0.1141
0.3	0.1179	0.1217	0.1255	0.1293	0.1331	0.1368	0.1406	0.1443	0.1480	0.1517
0.4	0.1554	0.1591	0.1628	0.1664	0.1700	0.1736	0.1772	0.1808	0.1844	0.1879
0.5	0.1915	0.1950	0.1985	0.2019	0.2054	0.2088	0.2123	0.2157	0.2190	0.2224
0.6	0.2257	0.2291	0.2324	0.2357	0.2389	0.2422	0.2454	0.2486	0.2517	0.2549
0.7	0.2580	0.2611	0.2642	0.2673	0.2704	0.2734	0.2764	0.2794	0.2823	0.2852
0.8	0.2881	0.2910	0.2939	0.2967	0.2995	0.3023	0.3051	0.3078	0.3106	0.3133
0.9	0.3159	0.3186	0.3212	0.3238	0.3264	0.3289	0.3315	0.3340	0.3365	0.3389
1.0	0.3413	0.3438	0.3461	0.3485	0.3508	0.3531	0.3554	0.3577	0.3599	0.3621
1.1	0.3643	0.3665	0.3686	0.3708	0.3729	0.3749	0.3770	0.3790	0.3810	0.3830
1.2	0.3849	0.3869	0.3888	0.3907	0.3925	0.3944	0.3962	0.3980	0.3997	0.4015
1.3	0.4032	0.4049	0.4066	0.4082	0.4099	0.4115	0.4131	0.4147	0.4162	0.4177
1.4	0.4192	0.4207	0.4222	0.4236	0.4251	0.4265	0.4279	0.4292	0.4306	0.4319
1.5	0.4332	0.4345	0.4357	0.4370	0.4382	0.4394	0.4406	0.4418	0.4429	0.4441
1.6	0.4452	0.4463	0.4474	0.4484	0.4495	0.4505	0.4515	0.4525	0.4535	0.4545
1.7	0.4554	0.4564	0.4573	0.4582	0.4591	0.4599	0.4608	0.4616	0.4625	0.4633
1.8	0.4641	0.4649	0.4656	0.4664	0.4671	0.4678	0.4686	0.4693	0.4699	0.4706
1.9	0.4713	0.4719	0.4726	0.4732	0.4738	0.4744	0.4750	0.4756	0.4761	0.4767
2.0	0.4772	0.4778	0.4783	0.4788	0.4793	0.4798	0.4803	0.4808	0.4812	0.4817
2.1	0.4821	0.4826	0.4830	0.4834	0.4838	0.4842	0.4846	0.4850	0.4854	0.4857
2.2	0.4861	0.4864	0.4868	0.4871	0.4875	0.4878	0.4881	0.4884	0.4887	0.4890
2.3	0.4893	0.4896	0.4898	0.4901	0.4904	0.4906	0.4909	0.4911	0.4913	0.4916
2.4	0.4918	0.4920	0.4922	0.4925	0.4927	0.4929	0.4931	0.4932	0.4934	0.4936
2.5	0.4938	0.4940	0.4941	0.4943	0.4945	0.4946	0.4948	0.4949	0.4951	0.4952
2.6	0.4953	0.4955	0.4956	0.4957	0.4959	0.4960	0.4961	0.4962	0.4963	0.4964
2.7	0.4965	0.4966	0.4967	0.4968	0.4969	0.4970	0.4971	0.4972	0.4973	0.4974
2.8	0.4974	0.4975	0.4976	0.4977	0.4977	0.4978	0.4979	0.4979	0.4980	0.4981
2.9	0.4981	0.4982	0.4982	0.4983	0.4984	0.4984	0.4985	0.4985	0.4986	0.4986
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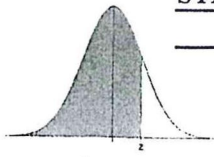


Standard Normal Distribution Tables

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-3.7	.00011	.00010	.00010	.00010	.00009	.00009	.00008	.00008	.00008	.00008
-3.6	.00016	.00015	.00015	.00014	.00014	.00013	.00013	.00012	.00012	.00011
-3.5	.00023	.00022	.00022	.00021	.00020	.00019	.00019	.00018	.00017	.00017
-3.4	.00034	.00032	.00031	.00030	.00029	.00028	.00027	.00026	.00025	.00024
-3.3	.00048	.00047	.00045	.00043	.00042	.00040	.00039	.00038	.00036	.00035
-3.2	.00069	.00066	.00064	.00062	.00060	.00058	.00056	.00054	.00052	.00050
-3.1	.00097	.00094	.00090	.00087	.00084	.00082	.00079	.00076	.00074	.00071
-3.0	.00135	.00131	.00126	.00122	.00118	.00114	.00111	.00107	.00104	.00100
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-2.5	.00621	.00604	.00587	.00570	.00554	.00539	.00523	.00508	.00494	.00480
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-1.0	.15866	.15625	.15386	.15151	.14917	.14686	.14457	.14231	.14007	.13786
-0.9	.18406	.18141	.17879	.17619	.17361	.17106	.16853	.16602	.16354	.16109
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-0.7	.24196	.23885	.23576	.23270	.22965	.22663	.22363	.22065	.21770	.21476
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-0.5	.30854	.30503	.30153	.29806	.29460	.29116	.28774	.28434	.28096	.27760
-0.4	.34458	.34090	.33724	.33360	.32997	.32636	.32276	.31918	.31561	.31207
-0.3	.38209	.37828	.37448	.37070	.36693	.36317	.35942	.35569	.35197	.34827
-0.2	.42074	.41683	.41294	.40905	.40517	.40129	.39743	.39358	.38974	.38591
-0.1	.46017	.45620	.45224	.44828	.44433	.44038	.43644	.43251	.42858	.42465
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