

※ 考生請注意：本試題不可使用計算機。請於答案卷(卡)作答，於本試題紙上作答者，不予計分。

**Part 1: Multiple choice questions (35pts)**

1. Describe the relationship for the following pairs of observations. (5pts)

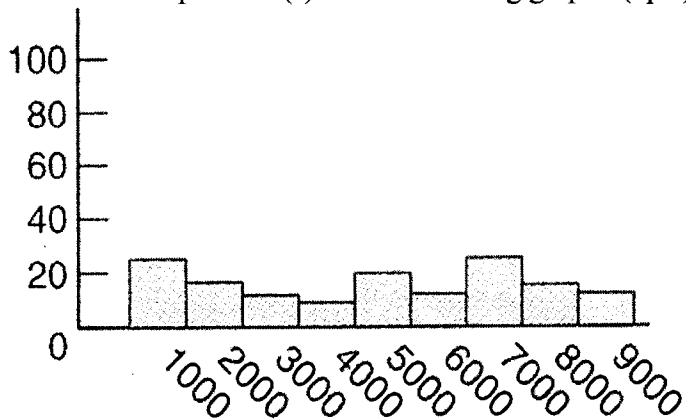
<u>X</u>	<u>Y</u>
6	118
12	109
3	144
10	111
1	142

- a) positive
  - b) negative
  - c) little or no relationship
  - d) impossible to describe
2. A positive  $r$  reflects the tendency for pairs of observations to occupy (5pts)
- a) similar locations in their respective distributions.
  - b) dissimilar and opposite locations in their respective distributions.
  - c) similar relative locations in their respective distributions.
  - d) dissimilar and opposite relative locations in their respective distributions.
3. If the null hypothesis is false because of a large effect, the probability of a correct decision (5pts)
- a) will be relatively large.
  - b) will be relatively small.
  - c) will equal one minus the level of significance.
  - d) will equal one minus the probability that the null hypothesis is false.
4. Kate has 10 socks in one drawer (3 red, 4 blue, 2 yellow, 1 white) and 10 socks in another drawer (1 red, 4 blue, 2 yellow, 3 white). If she selects one sock from each drawer without looking, what is the probability that both will be red? (5pts)
- a) 0.01
  - b) 0.03
  - c) 0.04
  - d) 0.40
5. In a statistics class, the probability of a grade of either A or B is equal to .50, and the probability of a grade of C is equal to .30. Thus, the probability of either an A, B or C is equal to (5pts)
- a) 0.2
  - b) 0.3
  - c) 0.5
  - d) 0.8
6. Which type of graph would best depict a student's scores on monthly math tests over the past two years? (5pts)
- a) Frequency polygon
  - b) Pie chart
  - c) Scatterplot
  - d) Bar chart

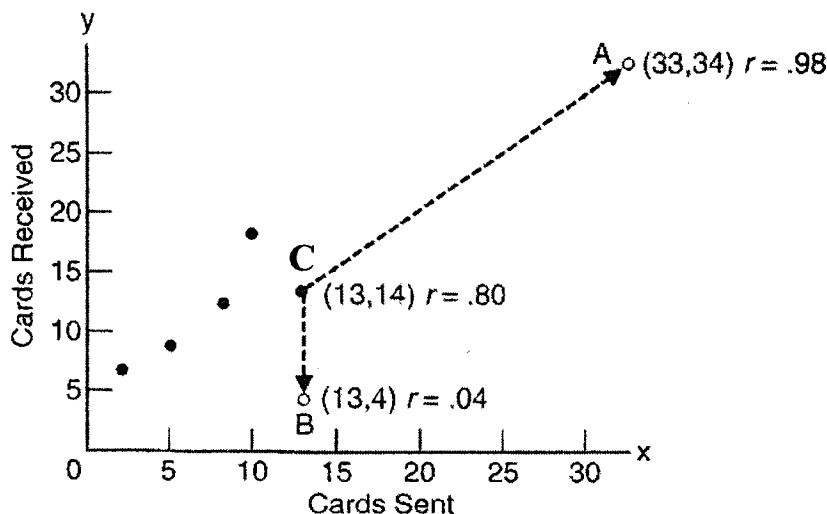
7. If the amount of variation in height that is associated with variation in weight is 49%, the correlation between these variables will be (5pts)
- a) 0.07
  - b) 0.49
  - c) 0.70
  - d) indeterminate

**Part 2: Short answer questions (65pts)**

1. Describe the difference between a random variable and a discrete random variable. (5pts)
2. Describe the purpose and the procedure of a hypothesis testing. (5pts)
3. What are the assumptions for t test of 2 independent samples? If these assumptions are violated, what needs to be concerned with? (10 pts)
4. What is/are the problem(s) of the following graph? (5pts)



5. For the following graph, explain why replacing C with B would decrease the value of  $r$ , while replacing C with A would increase the value of  $r$ ? (5pts)



6. The blood pressure of 18-year-old women is normally distributed with a mean of 120 mmHg and a standard deviation of 12mmHg. What percentage of 18-year-old women have a blood pressure that lies within 3 standard deviations to either side of the mean? (5pts)

7. John developed a new medicine. He conducted an experiment with his friends to test the effectiveness of his medicine with the placebo. He obtained the following data. Please calculate the observed t value (assuming the two population variances are equal). (10 pts)

John's medicine	Placebo
12	7
5	3
11	4
11	6
9	3
18	13

8. The following table shows the number of exercises (x) John does in relation to his weight in pounds (y).

x	1	3	5	7	9
y	143	116	100	98	90

- (1) Prepare a scatter plot for the above data. (5pts).
- (2) Calculate the correlation coefficient for the 2 variables (5pts).
- (3) Determine the least squares regression equation for these data (5pts).
- (4) Determine the average amount of predictive error,  $S_{y|x}$  (5pts).

