

## Statistics - ICS Part 2 Statistics English Medium Chapter 3 Short Questions Preparation

Q1. What is name given to the factor  $(N - 1) / (N - n)$ .

**Ans 1:** It is known as finite population correction factor (f.p.c).

Q2. What is difference between the estimator and estimate ?

**Ans 1:** An estimator is a formula or function, which can assume different possible values for different samples where as an estimate is one of the possible numerical value of an estimator for a certain simple.

Q3. What is meant by "Confidence coefficient" ?

**Ans 1:** It is the probability that a random interval encloses the population parameter.

Q4. Is it true that width of confidence interval depends upon the estimator ?

**Ans 1:** No. The width of C.I depends upon standard error and confidence coefficient.

Q5. Is it true that failure to reject the  $H_0$  means the acceptance of  $H_A$  ?

**Ans 1:**

Q6. Why correction for continuity is in above transformation

**Ans 1:** To make discrete Binomial variable X as continuous Normal variable.

Q7. It is true that an increase in the sample size will result an increase in the value of standard error ?

**Ans 1:** An increase in the sample size would result a decrease in the value of standard error and therefore as result width of the confidence interval will be decreased.

Q8. What is mean by "Level of Confidence" ?

**Ans 1:** It is the confidence coefficient expressed in percentage form.

Q9.

**Ans 1:**

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Q10. What does interval estimator (or confidence interval) mean ?

**Ans 1:** It is a random interval of the sample data that is expected to include the unknown parameter in its range with a certain degree of confidence.

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