

## STUDY MATERIAL FOR M.Sc ZOOLOGY

### Semester – I

### PAPER - I

### **STRUCTURE AND FUNCTION IN INVERTEBRATES**

**Time : 3 hrs.**

**Max. Marks – 80  
Min. Marks – 29**

**Classification of invertebrates upto the orders.**

<https://www.kullabs.com/classes/subjects/units/lessons/notes/note-detail/758>

**Locomotion :**

**Types of Pseudopodia and Theories of Amoeboid locomotion, Flagella and ciliary movement in Protozoa**

<http://www.biologydiscussion.com/invertebrate-zoology/protozoa/top-10-theories-to-explain-the-locomotion-in-amoeba/28189>

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Amoeboid\\_movement](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Amoeboid_movement)

<http://www.biologydiscussion.com/animals-2/phylum-protozoa/locomotion-exhibited-by-protozoans/32569>

**Hydrostatic movement in Coelentrata and Echinodermata**

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Hydrostatic\\_skeleton](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Hydrostatic_skeleton)

**Canal system in Porifera : Ascanoid, Sycanoid, Leucanoid**

<https://www.studyandscore.com/studymaterial-detail/phylum-porifera-canal-system-in-sponges-types-of-canal-systems-in-sponges-functions-of-water-current>

**Polymorphism in Coelentrata**

<http://www.biozoomer.com/2014/06/polymorphism-in-coelenterates.html>

**Corals**

<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Coral>

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Coral\\_reef](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Coral_reef)

**Nutrition and digestion :**

**Patterns of feeding in lower metazoan**

<http://www.biologydiscussion.com/invertebrate-zoology/multicellular-animal/detailed-account-of-metazoa/28553>

<http://www.notesonzooiology.com/invertebrates/feeding-and-digestion-in-invertebrates-zoology/1981>

**Filter feeding in Polychaeta**

<https://www.slideshare.net/vikasjangir796/filter-feeding-in-higher-metazoa>

<https://studyres.com/doc/4859726/filter-feeding-in-polychaetes>

**Respiration :Organs of Respiration : Gills, Lungs, Trachea**

<https://www.britannica.com/science/respiratory-system/The-lung>

**Excretion :**

**Organ of excretion, Protonephridia, Nephridia**

<https://www.britannica.com/science/excretion/The-malpighian-tubules-of-insects>

**Coelomoducts, & Nephridia.**

<http://www.biozoomer.com/2014/10/coelom-and-coelomoducts-of-annelida.html>

**Malpighian tubules**

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Malpighian\\_tubule\\_system](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Malpighian_tubule_system)

**Water vascular canal in Echinodermata**

<http://www.biologydiscussion.com/invertebrate-zoology/phylum-echinodermata/water-vascular-system-of-echinoderms/33754>

**Nervous systems :**

**Primary Nervous system : Coelentrata and Echinodermata**

<https://www.britannica.com/science/nervous-system/Diffuse-nervous-systems>

**Advanced Nervous system : Mollusca**

<https://nervousphylums.weebly.com/echinodermata.html>

**Major Larval form of invertebrates :**

<http://www.biologydiscussion.com/invertebrate-zoology/arthropoda/larval-forms-found-in-crustacea-invertebrate-zoology/27738>

<http://www.biologydiscussion.com/invertebrate-zoology/phylum-echinodermata/larva-found-in-phylum-echinodermata/33758>

**Structure and development of Trochophore and its phylogenetic significance.**

<http://www.biologydiscussion.com/invertebrate-zoology/phylum-annelida/trochophore-larva-historical-retrospect-structure-and-affinities/33173>

**Semester – I**  
**PAPER - II**  
**BIOSYSTEMATICS & TAXONOMY**

**Time : 3 hrs.**

**Max. Marks – 80**  
**Min. Marks – 29**

- **Definition and concepts of Biosystematics and Taxonomy -**
  - **Historical resume of biosystematics in biology**
  - **Importance and applications of biosystematics in biology**  
<https://ipmworld.umn.edu/pinto>  
<https://sites.google.com/site/lutfurrahmansaikia/a-note-on-iczn/home/animal-taxonomy>
- **Trends in biosystematics - Concepts of different conventional and newer aspects -**
  - **Chemotaxonomy**  
<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chemotaxonomy>  
<http://www.biologydiscussion.com/plant-taxonomy/chemotaxonomy-meaning-stages-and-significance/30483>
  - **Cytotaxonomy**  
<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cytotaxonomy>
- **Dimensions of speciation and taxonomic characters -**
  - **Species category, Different species concepts, sub-species and other infra-specific categories.**  
<http://www.ufscar.br/~evolucao/TGE/Lect01.pdf>  
[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Species\\_concept](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Species_concept)
  - **Theories of Zoological classification, Hierarchy of categories.**  
<https://byjus.com/biology/taxonomic-hierarchy/>  
[http://ashvital.freeservers.com/biological\\_classification.htm](http://ashvital.freeservers.com/biological_classification.htm)  
<https://ore.exeter.ac.uk/repository/bitstream/handle/10036/3825/BTLeonnelliSubmissionFinal.pdf?sequence=11>
  - **Taxonomic characters :- Different kinds, origin of reproductive isolation.**  
<http://www.biologydiscussion.com/angiosperm/taxonomy-angiosperm/species-concept-history-types-and-categories-taxonomy/34704>  
[https://www.jstor.org/stable/2418754?seq=1#page\\_scan\\_tab\\_contents](https://www.jstor.org/stable/2418754?seq=1#page_scan_tab_contents)  
<https://www.askitians.com/biology/diversity-in-the-living-world/taxonomic-categories.html>  
<http://bio.slu.edu/mayden/systematics/bsc420520lect7.html>
- **Procedure Keys in Taxonomy -**

- **Taxonomic collections, preservation, curetting process of identification.**

<https://pdfs.semanticscholar.org/03d0/b788148e200c67b216f7de4ff03848b07843.pdf>

[http://hydrodictyon.eeb.uconn.edu/eebedia/images/9/94/Lecture\\_1\\_07-Insects,\\_Taxonomy,\\_and\\_Classification.pdf](http://hydrodictyon.eeb.uconn.edu/eebedia/images/9/94/Lecture_1_07-Insects,_Taxonomy,_and_Classification.pdf)

<https://www.slideshare.net/badshah77/taxonomic-collection-and-identification>

<http://webcache.googleusercontent.com/search?q=cache:http://darwin.wcupa.edu/faculty/boettger/uploads/main/preservation.pdf>
- **Process of typification and different Zoological types.**

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki>Type\\_\(biology\)](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki>Type_(biology))

[https://www.google.com/search?rlz=1C1SQJL\\_enIN848IN848&q=process+of+typification+in+zoology&sa=X&ved=2ahUKEwj4\\_oCSjNLjAhWK6nMBHSYxCQEQ1QIoAHoECAoQAQ&biw=1536&bih=754](https://www.google.com/search?rlz=1C1SQJL_enIN848IN848&q=process+of+typification+in+zoology&sa=X&ved=2ahUKEwj4_oCSjNLjAhWK6nMBHSYxCQEQ1QIoAHoECAoQAQ&biw=1536&bih=754)

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Principle\\_of\\_Typification](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Principle_of_Typification)
- **Outline idea of International Code of Zoological Nomenclature**

<http://www.biologydiscussion.com/animals-2/international-code-of-zoological-nomenclature/32399>

<http://www.vliz.be/imisdocs/publications/271138.pdf>

<https://www.biotaxa.org/Bionomina/article/download/163/254>
- **(ICZN) - its operative principles, interpretation and application.**

## Semester – I

### PAPER - III

#### **GENERAL AND COMPARATIVE ENDOCRINOLOGY**

**Time : 3 hrs.**

**Max. Marks – 80**

**Min. Marks – 29**

**Aims and scope of endocrinology :**

**Hormones as messengers**

<http://www.ikonet.com/en/visualdictionary/static/us/hormones>

<http://www.biologydiscussion.com/chemical-coordination/hormone-hormone-as-messenger-and-regulator/5067>

<http://www.umich.edu/~kcourses/w99/mvs442/chapter1.pdf>

**Classification of Hormones**

<http://www.biologydiscussion.com/hormones/classification-hormones/classification-of-hormones-5-categories/18429>

<https://www.slideshare.net/hephz/classification-of-35705749>

<https://www.thoughtco.com/hormones-373559>

**Discovery of Hormones**

<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC1369102/>

**Experimental methods of Hormone research**

**Phylogeny of Endocrine glands (Pituitary, Pancreas, Adrenal, Thyroid)**

[https://embryology.med.unsw.edu.au/embryology/index.php/Endocrine\\_System\\_Development](https://embryology.med.unsw.edu.au/embryology/index.php/Endocrine_System_Development)

### **Neuroendocrine system and Neurosecretion.**

<https://www.encyclopedia.com/medicine/anatomy-and-physiology/anatomy-and-physiology/neuroendocrine-system>

### **General principles of Hormone action –**

[https://www.utsouthwestern.edu/edumedia/edufiles/education\\_training/programs/stars/li-endocrine-glands.pdf](https://www.utsouthwestern.edu/edumedia/edufiles/education_training/programs/stars/li-endocrine-glands.pdf)

### **Nature of Hormone action**

<https://www.toppr.com/guides/biology/chemical-coordination-and-integration/mechanism-of-hormone-action/>

### **Hormone receptor**

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Hormone\\_receptor](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Hormone_receptor)

### **Signal transduction mechanisms**

<https://www.mun.ca/biology/desmid/brian/BIOL2060/BIOL2060-14/CB14.html>

<https://www.khanacademy.org/science/biology/cell-signaling/mechanisms-of-cell-signaling/a/intracellular-signal-transduction>

### **Hormones and Homeostasis**

<https://www.bbc.com/bitesize/guides/zgqcmgs/revision/1>

### **Hormonal regulation of carbohydrate, nitrogen and lipid metabolism**

<http://watcut.uwaterloo.ca/webnotes/Metabolism/Hormones.html>

### **Biosynthesis and secretion of Hormones -**

#### **Biosynthesis of steroid hormone**

<https://www.rose-hulman.edu/~brandt/Chem430/Steroids.pdf>

#### **Biosynthesis of amino acid derived small size hormone**

(T<sub>4</sub>, Epinephrine)

<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/books/NBK285550/>

<https://www.cvpharmacology.com/norepinephrine>

### **Hormone and Behaviour**

<https://nobaproject.com/modules/hormones-behavior>

### **Hormones and Reproduction**

#### **Seasonal breeder & Continuous breeder**

<http://people.upei.ca/bate/html/endocrinologyofreproduction.html>

#### **Hormones and Growth**

<https://www.britannica.com/science/human-development/Hormones-and-growth>

## **Semester – I** **PAPER - IV** **MOLECULAR CELL BIOLOGY**

**Time : 3 hrs.**

**Max. Marks – 80**

**Min. Marks – 29**

- Biomembranes : Structure, Molecular composition and function, of Plasma Membrane, Specialisation of Plasma Membrane, Transport across cell membrane, Diffusion, Facilitated Diffusion, Ion channel, Active transport and pumps, Uniports, Symports and Antiports.

[https://www.pmf.unizg.hr/\\_download/repository/5\\_Biomembranes.pdf](https://www.pmf.unizg.hr/_download/repository/5_Biomembranes.pdf)

<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/books/NBK21583/>  
<https://www.khanacademy.org/science/high-school-biology/hs-cells/hs-the-cell-membrane/a/structure-of-the-plasma-membrane>

- **Cytoskeleton**
  - Microfilaments and microtubules -structure and dynamics
  - Cell movements - intracellular transport
    - <https://www.khanacademy.org/science/biology/structure-of-a-cell/tour-of-organelles/a/the-cytoskeleton>
    - <https://biologydictionary.net/cytoskeleton/>
- **Cilia and flagella**

<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/books/NBK21698/>  
<http://www.biologydictionary.com/cell/flagella-and-cilia-structure-and-functions-with-diagram/70522>
- **Cell-Cell adhesion and communication -**
  - Ca<sup>++</sup> dependent homophilic cell-cell adhesion
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<https://www.slideshare.net/AllergyChula/cellular-adhesion-molecules>
- **Cell Organelles :**
  - Mitochondria, Ribosome, Golgi bodies, Endoplasmic Reticulum
    - <https://biologydictionary.net/mitochondria/>
    - <https://www.britannica.com/science/mitochondrion>
    - <https://www.microscopemaster.com/ribosomes.html>
    - <https://www.britannica.com/science/Golgi-apparatus>
    - <https://www.thoughtco.com/endoplasmic-reticulum-373365>
- **Morphological and functional elements of Eukaryotic chromosome**
  - Morphology of Giant chromosome
  - DNA – Structure, Replication & Genetic Code, Repetitive DNA
  - RNA – Structure, Transcription, Tranposon

<https://courses.lumenlearning.com/suny-microbiology/chapter/structure-and-function-of-dna/>  
<http://eagri.org/eagri50/GBPR111/lec16.pdf>  
<https://www.ccrc.uga.edu/~rcarlson/bcmb3100/Chap39.pdf>  
[http://genetik.wzw.tum.de/fileadmin/scripts/Chapter\\_13.pdf](http://genetik.wzw.tum.de/fileadmin/scripts/Chapter_13.pdf)
- **Intracellular Protein traffic**
  - Protein synthesis on free and bound polysomes
  - Uptake into E.R.
  - Uptake into Mitochondria

<https://www.slideshare.net/cheluvaraya20/protein-sorting-and-targeting>
- **Biology of Cancer**

[http://sphweb.bumc.bu.edu/otlt MPH-Modules/PH/PH709\\_Cancer/A10-Cancer.pdf](http://sphweb.bumc.bu.edu/otlt MPH-Modules/PH/PH709_Cancer/A10-Cancer.pdf)
- **Biology of ageing**

[https://www.cell.com/fulltext/S0092-8674\(00\)80567-X](https://www.cell.com/fulltext/S0092-8674(00)80567-X)
- **Apoptosis-Definition, mechanism and significance**

<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/books/NBK26873/>

**Semester - III**  
**PAPER - I**  
**COMPARATIVE ANATOMY OF VERTEBRATES**

**Time : 3 hrs.**

**Max. Marks – 80  
Min. Marks – 29**

**Classification of vertebrates up to orders with examples.**

<https://www.britannica.com/animal/vertebrate>

<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Vertebrate>

**Vertebrate integument and its derivatives.**

[https://www.zoology.ubc.ca/~millen/vertebrate/Bio204\\_Labs/Lab\\_2\\_Integument.html](https://www.zoology.ubc.ca/~millen/vertebrate/Bio204_Labs/Lab_2_Integument.html)

**Development and general structure and function of skin and its derivatives. Glands, Scales, Horns, Claws, Nails, Hoofs, Feathers and Hairs.**

[http://wikieducator.org/The Anatomy and Physiology of Animals/Learning Design/ Sample-Skin](http://wikieducator.org/The_Anatomy_and_Physiology_of_Animals/Learning_Design/Sample-Skin)

**Evolution of Heart**

<https://inside.ucumberlands.edu/academics/biology/faculty/kuss/courses/CirculatorySystem/ComparativeHearts.htm>

<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC5744704/>

**Evolution of aortic arches.**

[https://www.researchgate.net/publication/265689748 Evolutionary and Developmental Origins of the Cardiac Neural Crest Building a Divided Outflow Tract/figures?lo=1](https://www.researchgate.net/publication/265689748_Evolutionary_and_Developmental_Origins_of_the_Cardiac_Neural_Crest_Building_a_Divided_Outflow_Tract/figures?lo=1)

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Aortic\\_arches](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Aortic_arches)

**Respiratory system : Comparative account of respiratory organs.**

<https://inside.ucumberlands.edu/academics/biology/faculty/kuss/courses/Respiratory%20system/Gills.htm>

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Respiratory\\_system](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Respiratory_system)

<http://people.eku.edu/ritchisong/342notes8.html>

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Swim\\_bladder](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Swim_bladder)

**Skeletal system : Comparative account of Jaw Suspensorium**

<http://people.eku.edu/ritchisong/342notes4.htm>

**Vertebral column**

<https://skeletalsystemdev.weebly.com/vertebral-column.html>

**Limbs and Girdles.**

<http://people.eku.edu/ritchisong/342notes5.htm>

<http://www.notesonzoology.com/vertebrates/comparison-of-pectoral-girdles-in-various-vertebrates/3238>

<https://www.bioscience.com.pk/topics/zoology/item/765-comparative-anatomy-pelvic-girdle-of-bird-reptile-and-mammal>

**Comparative account of Urinogenital system in vertebrate series.**

<http://www.egyankosh.ac.in/bitstream/123456789/16528/1/Unit-9.pdf>

<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Kidney>

**Comparative account of Brain and Spinal cord in vertebrate series.**

<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Brain>

**Semester - III**  
**PAPER - II**  
**PHYSIOLOGY OF VERTEBRATES**

**Time : 3 hrs.**

**Max. Marks – 80**

**Min. Marks – 29**

- **Water as solvent.**  
<https://www.suezwaterhandbook.com/water-and-generalities/water-a-fundamental-element/water-s-chemistry/water-as-a-solvent>
- **Thermodynamics, Free energy, Entropy, High energy bond & ATP synthesis**  
[https://saylordotorg.github.io/text\\_general-chemistry-principles-patterns-and-applications-v1.0/s22-08-thermodynamics-and-life.html](https://saylordotorg.github.io/text_general-chemistry-principles-patterns-and-applications-v1.0/s22-08-thermodynamics-and-life.html)  
<http://biochem4.okstate.edu/~firefly/Bioch205/Bioch205clmfolder/b205clm3/BioChem2module3.ppt>
- **Muscle contraction : Types of muscles, Light and Electron microscopic structure of skeletal muscle, Molecular basis of muscle contraction – Proteins of myofilaments, Sliding filament hypothesis, Role of calcium in contraction, Energetics and thermal aspects of muscle contraction, Twitch, Summation, Tetanus & Fatigue.**  
[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Muscle\\_contraction](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Muscle_contraction)  
<https://www.nature.com/scitable/topicpage/the-sliding-filament-theory-of-muscle-contraction-14567666>
- **Physiology of Nerve and impulse transmission : Structure of Neuron, Excitability, Conductivity, Resting membrane & action potential, Refractory period, Summation, Chronoxie, Rheobase, All or None principle, Propagation of nerve impulse transmission, Synaptic transmission, Neurotransmitters.**  
<https://www.onlinebiologynotes.com/nerve-impulse-conduction/>  
[https://byjus.com/biology/conduction-of-nerve-impulse/?utm\\_source=Google&utm\\_medium=cpc&utm\\_campaign=K12-Traffic-DynamicSearch-India&mx\\_utm\\_Term&gclid=EA1aIQobChMIPTwxNn84gIVAQ4rCh0bewCFEAAYASAAEgLmYPD\\_BwE](https://byjus.com/biology/conduction-of-nerve-impulse/?utm_source=Google&utm_medium=cpc&utm_campaign=K12-Traffic-DynamicSearch-India&mx_utm_Term&gclid=EA1aIQobChMIPTwxNn84gIVAQ4rCh0bewCFEAAYASAAEgLmYPD_BwE)
- **Blood : Structure & composition of blood, Blood cells and their origin, Haemopoiesis, Haemoglobin, Function of erythrocytes & leucocytes, Blood coagulation – theories and factors affecting blood coagulation.**

<https://www.britannica.com/science/blood-biochemistry/Laboratory-examination-of-blood>

<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Coagulation>

- **Defence Mechanism :** Reticulo-endothelial system - Macrophages, Lymphocytes, Immuno-globulines - origin, properties and functions. Humoral immunity and cell mediated immunity, Blood groups and tissue antigens.

<https://www.goodtherapy.org/blog/psychpedia/defense-mechanisms>

<https://medical-dictionary.thefreedictionary.com/reticuloendothelial+system>

<https://www.microbiologybook.org/mayer/IgStruct2000.htm>

- **Physiology of Excretion :** Structure of Mammalian Kidney, Nephron, Urine production, Counter Current multiplication, Regulation of pH by kidney.

[https://en.wikibooks.org/wiki/Human\\_Physiology/The\\_Urinary\\_System](https://en.wikibooks.org/wiki/Human_Physiology/The_Urinary_System)

<https://courses.lumenlearning.com/boundless-ap/chapter/acid-base-balance/>

<https://opentextbc.ca/anatomyandphysiology/chapter/26-4-acid-base-balance/>

- **Sense organs :** Classification of sense organs, Photoreception, Auditory perception, Eolocation,

<https://www.scientificpsychic.com/workbook/chapter2.htm>

<https://www.coralspringscharter.org/ourpages/auto/2014/9/2/46022174/Senses%20and%20Sense%20Organs.pdf>

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Animal\\_echolocation](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Animal_echolocation)

- **Bioluminescence**

<https://ocean.si.edu/ocean-life/fish/bioluminescence>

<https://www.nationalgeographic.com/animals/reference/bioluminescence-animals-ocean-glowing/>

- **Digestion :** Physiology of digestion & absorption, Digestive glands, Gastro-intestinal hormones.

<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Digestion>

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Human\\_digestive\\_system](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Human_digestive_system)

<https://www.drbein.com/blog/hormones-of-the-gastrointestinal-tract/>

[https://byjus.com/biology/human-digestive-system/?utm\\_source=Google&utm\\_medium=cpc&utm\\_campaign=K12-Traffic-DynamicSearch-India&utm\\_Term&gclid=CjwKCAjwmNzoBRBOEiwAr2V27TbZwL84EqB1GVZ\\_7pbChQsUJ9VyTp8But50W0O1FJ\\_N7VJVpFolDxoCJroQAvDBwE](https://byjus.com/biology/human-digestive-system/?utm_source=Google&utm_medium=cpc&utm_campaign=K12-Traffic-DynamicSearch-India&mx_utm_Term&gclid=CjwKCAjwmNzoBRBOEiwAr2V27TbZwL84EqB1GVZ_7pbChQsUJ9VyTp8But50W0O1FJ_N7VJVpFolDxoCJroQAvDBwE)

- **Physiology of Respiration :** Respiratory pigments, Oxygen transport in blood, Carbon dioxide transport in blood, Regulation of body pH.

<http://people.eku.edu/ritchison/301notes6.htm>

<https://www.rsc.org/Education/Teachers/Resources/cfb/transport.htm>

<https://www.britannica.com/science/circulatory-system#ref321177>

<https://www.news-medical.net/health/pH-in-the-Human-Body.aspx>

<http://www.chemistry.wustl.edu/~edudev/LabTutorials/Buffer/Buffer.html>

**Semester - III**  
**PAPER - III**  
**QUANTITATIVE BIOLOGY**

Time : 3 hrs.

Max. Marks – 80  
Min. Marks – 29

- **Introduction to Biostatistics :**
  - Statistical application in some specific areas in Biology
    - <https://www.slideshare.net/jippyjack5/application-of-biostatistics>
    - <http://www.model.u-szeged.hu/etc/edoc/imp/KBoda/KBoda.pdf>
    - <http://www.biostathandbook.com/HandbookBioStatThird.pdf>
- **Measures of Central Tendencies –**
  - Mean (Arithmetic, Geometric, Hormonic mean).
  - Median.
  - Mode.
  - Relation between mean, median and mode.
    - <https://statistics.laerd.com/statistical-guides/measures-central-tendency-mean-mode-median.php>
    - [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Central\\_tendency](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Central_tendency)
    - <https://corporatefinanceinstitute.com/resources/knowledge/other/central-tendency/>
- **Measures of Dispersion –**
  - Range
  - Mean deviation
  - Variance, coefficient of variance
  - Standard deviation
    - <http://www.economicsdiscussion.net/dispersion/measures-of-dispersion-a-close-view/12173>
    - <https://sol.du.ac.in/mod/book/view.php?id=1317&chapterid=1066>
- **Frequency distribution :**
  - General idea about Normal, Binomial and Poisson distribution.
- **Analysis of Variance.**
  - <https://www.investopedia.com/terms/a/anova.asp>
  - <https://www.statisticshowto.datasciencecentral.com/probability-and-statistics/hypothesis-testing/anova/>
- **Correlation**
  - [http://spfweb.bumc.bu.edu/otlt/mpf/modules/bs/bs704\\_multivariable/bs704\\_multivariable5.html](http://spfweb.bumc.bu.edu/otlt/mpf/modules/bs/bs704_multivariable/bs704_multivariable5.html)
- **Regression.**
  - <https://www.statisticshowto.datasciencecentral.com/probability-and-statistics/regression-analysis/>
  - [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Regression\\_analysis](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Regression_analysis)
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**Time : 3 hrs.**

**Max. Marks – 80**  
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