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Second Semester M.S.W. Degree (C.B.C.S.S. – O.B.E. – Reg./Supple./Imp.)  
Examination, April 2026  
(2023 Admissions Onwards)

**MWMSW02C10 : SOCIAL WORK RESEARCH AND STATISTICAL  
APPLICATIONS**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

PART – A

Answer **any five** questions. **Each** question carries **2** marks.

1. Explain the theoretical frame work for research.
2. What are the key characteristics of practice based research ?
3. Write on the Focus Group Discussion (FGD) guide.
4. Why graphical presentation used in research analysis ?
5. Write about ethnography.
6. Define Social Work Research.

(5×2=10)

PART – B

Answer **any three** questions in **not less than 200** words. **Each** question carries **4** marks.

7. Explain dependent and independent variables with examples.
8. Write a note on ethics in Social Work Research.
9. What is experimental research and explain its types.
10. What is the importance of action research in Social Work Research ?
11. What is hypothesis and explain the types of hypothesis.

(3×4=12)

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PART – C

Answer **any three** questions in less than **500** words. **Each** question carries **6** marks.

12. Explain the structure of research report.
13. Explain the concept of measurement in social research and discuss the four levels of measurement : nominal, ordinal, interval and ratio with suitable examples.
14. Explain the concept of need assessment and situational analysis in social work research with suitable examples.
15. Write an essay on sampling and its types.
16. Discuss the various qualitative research methods such as in-depth interview, observation, focus group discussion and case study. (3×6=18)

