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Ques. Explain double sampling.

Ans. Double sampling is a method of sampling in which the sample size is increased if the first sample is not representative.

Ques. What is the purpose of local control?

Ans. The purpose of local control is to detect and correct any variation in the process as it occurs.

Ques. Write the model for two-way classification.

Ans. The model for two-way classification is $y_{ijk} = \mu + \alpha_i + \beta_j + \gamma_{ij} + \epsilon_{ijk}$.

Ques. Define experimental error. How can it be reduced?

Ans. Experimental error is the difference between the observed value and the true value. It can be reduced by using a larger sample size and by controlling the experimental conditions.

Ques. Which of the basic principles are satisfied in R.B.D.?

Ans. The basic principles of R.B.D. are randomization, replication, and blocking.

Ques. Distinguish between precision and efficiency.

Ans. Precision is the degree of agreement between individual measurements. Efficiency is the ratio of the variance of the estimator to the variance of the best unbiased estimator.

Ques. Distinguish between simple random sampling with and without replacement.

Ans. In simple random sampling with replacement, the sample is drawn from the population and then replaced. In simple random sampling without replacement, the sample is drawn from the population and is not replaced.

Ques. Obtain an unbiased estimator for population mean and find the sampling variance in both the cases.

Ans. The unbiased estimator for population mean is $\bar{y} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n y_i$. The sampling variance is $\frac{\sigma^2}{n}$.

Ques. Discuss the conditions under which stratified sampling is more suitable than simple random sampling.

Ans. Stratified sampling is more suitable than simple random sampling when the population is heterogeneous and the strata are homogeneous.

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Ques. Discuss the conditions under which stratified sampling is more suitable than simple random sampling. Obtain the variances under proportional, optimum and random allocations.

Ans. The conditions for stratified sampling are: (1) The population is heterogeneous. (2) The strata are homogeneous. (3) The sample size is large. (4) The strata are mutually exclusive. (5) The strata are collectively exhaustive.

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Ques. Explain the method of cluster sampling and its usefulness. When the clusters are of equal size, find an unbiased estimate of the population mean. Compare this estimate with the one obtained from an equivalent simple random sample.

Ans. Cluster sampling is a method of sampling in which the population is divided into clusters and a sample of clusters is selected. The clusters are of equal size. The unbiased estimate of the population mean is $\bar{y} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \bar{y}_i$. The sampling variance is $\frac{\sigma^2}{n} (1 + \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (\bar{y}_i - \bar{y})^2)$.

Ques. Explain the procedure of systematic sampling and explain the situations where it is appropriate. A systematic sample of size n is drawn from a population of size N. If $N = nk$, where k is an integer, show that sample mean is an unbiased estimator of population mean. Also find out its variance.