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**RESEARCH METHODOLOGY/
ELEMENTS OF RESEARCH**

Paper : 6.4

Full Marks : 80

Time : Three hours

**The figures in the margin indicate
full marks for the questions.**

1. Fill in the blanks with appropriate answer :
1×10=10
- (i) Legal research is study of _____
problems. (personal/legal)
- (ii) An enactment is made by _____.
(Legislature/Executive)
- (iii) A hypothesis is _____ about relations
between variables. (an assumption/
decision)

Contd.

- (iv) In research process, the first step is to select a _____. (research problem/hypothesis)
- (v) Research paper is a brief work based on _____ data. (primary/secondary/both primary and secondary)
- (vi) The scope of non-doctrinal research is _____. (narrow/wide)
- (vii) _____ data is a requirement for case study method. (Qualitative/Quantitative)
- (viii) A publish book available in a Law library is a _____ (primary/secondary) source of data.
- (ix) Stratified Sampling is a type of _____. (Probability/Non-probability)
- (x) The selected respondents constitute, what is technically called _____. (survey/sample)

2. Answer the following : 2x5=10

- (i) What is research?
- (ii) Write note on Sampling.

- (iii) Define procedural law.
 - (iv) Write short note on Research Problem.
 - (v) Write down on use of law library for legal research.
3. Explain in detail the various types of law. Distinguish between civil and criminal law. 12

Or

Write an elaborate note on case law technique. What are the importance of a good case law technique for a legal research? 12

4. What is legal material? How do you find legal materials? 12

Or

Write short notes on : **(any two)** 6+6=12

- (i) Enactment
- (ii) Judgement
- (iii) Reports of Commissions.

5. What is interpretation of statutes? Discuss in detail the rules of interpretation of statutes. 12

Or

Explain about the Mischief Rule of interpretation of statute. Discuss its necessity for legal research. 6+6=12

6. What is Hypothesis? Discuss the various steps of Legal Research. 12

Or

What is Research Design? Discuss its significance in research. Explain the characteristics of good research design. 12

7. Write an elaborate note on Interview and Observation method as tools of research. 12

Or

What is report-writing? What are the different steps in writing report? Discuss the significance and precautions for writing research reports. 12