

2016**M. Phil.****1st Semester Examination****POLITICAL SCIENCE****PAPER—PLS-113***Full Marks : 50**Time : 2 Hours**The figures in the right-hand margin indicate full marks.**Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.**Illustrate the answers wherever necessary.***(Research Methods and Techniques)**

Answer the following questions.

1. Briefly point out the major steps in conducting survey research method. 15

Or

Characterize mean. Calculate Arithmetic Mean by Step-Deviation method of the following group data : 15

| Class Interval (C.I.) | 75 — 125 | 125 — 175 | 175 — 225 | 225 — 275 | 275 — 325 | 325 — 375 | 375 — 425 |
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| Frequency (F) | 10 | 22 | 38 | 16 | 8 | 4 | 2 |

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