PHARM. 'D' AND PHARM. 'D' (POST BACCALAUREATE) DEGREE EXAMINATION

(2009-2010 Regulation) FOURTH YEAR

PAPER IV - BIOSTATISTICS AND RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

Q.P. Code: 383822

Time: Three hours Maximum: 70 marks

I. Elaborate on : $(4 \times 10 = 40)$

1. Explain the use of computers in a community pharmacy.

- 2. What is standard deviation and standard error mean? State its significance. How they are calculated?
- 3. What is hypothesis? How is can be tested? Explain with suitable example.
- 4. How data are represented? Explain.

II. Write notes on: $(6 \times 5 = 30)$

- 1. How power of the study is calculated?
- 2. Explain case control studies.
- 3. Briefly write on the commercially available statistical software.
- 4. What is Student't' test? How it has been calculated?
- 5. Write short notes on Confidence interval.
- 6. How patient medication profile is recorded in the Pharmacy? Stat its importance.
