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EXAMINATION QUESTIONS
2024_2 EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: CSS 331

COURSE TITLE: METHODS IN SOCIAL RESEARCH

CREDIT UNIT: 3

TIME ALLOWED: 3 HOURS

MARK ALLOCATION: 70%

Instruction: Answer Any Four Questions. Each question carries 17.5 marks

1. Explain the term “logic” in social research.
2. Carefully explain what you understand by deductive reasoning in social research.
3. Discuss the relevance of inductive reasoning in social research.
4. What is the meaning and relevance of hypothesis in social research method?
5. Discuss the usefulness of “concept” in social research method