

**Research & P.G. Department of Economics  
Sacred Heart College, Thevara**

**Value Added Course: Basics of Data Analysis with SPSS  
Course Code: 15ECOVAC02**

Duration of the course: 30 hours

*Course coordinator: Dr. K V Raju*

**OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE**

- 01 *To introduce participants to the basic practice of statistics by using SPSS Statistics for data management and data analysis*
- 02 *To equip students to learn how to perform basic statistical analyses.*

**Module 1: Introduction to IBM SPSS Statistics**

About SPSS software, Data Preparation- Editing, Data View and Variable view; Data Processing- Data Editor, Data Defining, Data Entry; Data Editing- Go to case, Go to Variable, Insert Variable, Insert Case

**Module II: Descriptive Statistics**

Frequency Tables; Statistics for frequency tables- Mean, Mode, Median, Standard Deviation, Quartiles; Graphs and Charts; Cross tables; Statistics for Cross tables- Chi – Square, Correlations, Contingency, Coefficient, Phi and Cramer's V, Lambda Gamma

**Module III: Parametric Tests**

Tests of Difference, Tests of Correlation, Analysis of Variance, Regression analysis

**Module IV: Non Parametric tests**

The Komogorov- Smirnov test, The Sigh test, Wilcoxon Matched- Pairs, Single- Ranks Test, The Mann- Whitney U test

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