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2023_2 EXAMINATIONS__

COURSE CODE: INR 451
COURSE TITLE: Introduction to Research Method in INR
CREDIT UNIT: 3
TIME ALLOWED: 3 HOURS

Instructions: Answer 3 questions in all.

1. Identify three types of research you know and discuss any two.
2. Examine the motivations for research you know? (23 Marks)
- 3a. Identify factors aiding the selection of a research topic (12 Marks)
- 3b. Examine the sources of selecting a research topic (11 Marks)
- 4a. What is a hypothesis? (9 Marks)
- 4b. What are characteristics of hypothesis? (14 Marks)
5. Examine Three methods of data collection and discuss any two? (23 Marks)