

This note summarises the key areas which were discussed during the day. Student may use this list as guidance for self study if he/she was absent.

Special Notice: An extra session will be held to discuss any difficult areas of the entire syllabus on Friday, 30th July 2010 from 5.30PM to 8.30PM

<u>Date</u>	24 th July 2010	1000 to 1330
<u>Lesson</u>	6	Descriptive Statistics
<u>Areas</u>	6.9	
<u>Questions</u>	6.10 (up to Q 35)	
<u>Home Work</u>	6.10 (Q 36 onwards), 6,11	
<u>Special Instructions</u>	Students are advised to bring the answers for 6.11 in a separate sheet when they are coming for the next class. Answers should be in a two column table where the first one should be the questions number starting from 41 and second column will the answer.	

1. Discussion of all the questions given in 6.4 revisiting the theory.
2. Discussion of all the questions given in 6.8 revisiting the theory.
3. Discussion of the terms mean absolute deviation, variance, standard deviation and coefficient of variation
4. Understanding why standard deviation should be taken together with mean to provide a better understanding about the spread of data in a distribution.
5. Three step process of using the scientific calculator for finding the standard deviation.

<u>Date</u>	24 th July 2010	1000 to 1330
<u>Lesson</u>	7	Index Numbers
<u>Areas</u>	7.1,7.2	
<u>Questions</u>	7.2	
<u>Home Work</u>	None	
<u>Special Instructions</u>		

1. Introduction to index numbers showing the practical usage of the same in indices such as Colombo Consumer Price Index (CCPI), All Share Price Index (ASPI), Milanka price Index
2. Introduction of two index number formulas, fixed based index number and chain based index number.