

Statistical Consultancy Service (SCS) Postgraduate Institute of Agriculture (PGIA) University of Peradeniya

Objective



Statistical Consultancy Service (SCS) provides guidance and assistance to its clients with respect to designing experiments and survey questionnaires, data collection, data analyses and interpretation. Moreover, SCS will organize training programs and short courses upon request by the clients with respect to any of the above aspects.

To whom

Anybody who requires statistical advice in research methodology, experimental designs and data analyses

How to get the service:

Clients can contact the Coordinator of the SCS directly, Secretary of the Board of Study Biostatistics or the Office at the PGIA (see information given below), and inform the need. Based on the need (e.g. advisory service, data analyses, summarization, and interpretation of data from any scientific area) the coordinator of the SCS will form a team of SCS members who can provide the services and inform the clients. An initial discussion is required to understand the workload based on the clients requirements.

Payment procedure:

Payment will be based on the time and effort expected to be spent on the client's project. There will be one or more SCS members and post graduate students appointed based on the scale of the agreement by the SCS for the consultancy service for a given client.

- **For statistical advises: Rs: 2000/= per hour**
- **For data analysis and interpretation:** payment will be based on the volume of the data and will be decided by the SCS. An initial payment of Rs. 2000/= has to be made. The final payment will have to be made once the task is accomplished
- Concessionary rates will be granted for the Staff of the State Universities and Research Institutes



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