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M.E. / M.Tech. - DEGREE EXAMINATIONS, NOV / DEC 2024 (JAN - 2025)

First Semester

M.E - COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

(Common to M.E. - Computer Science and Engineering (with Specialization in Networks))

20PCSMA104 / 24PCSMA104 - APPLIED PROBABILITY AND STATISTICS

Regulations – 2020 / 2024

(Use of *Statistical Table* is permitted)

Duration: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 100

PART - A (10 × 2 = 20 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions

Marks ^{K-} Level CO

1. If $P(X = x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{15}, & x=1,2,3,4,5 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$. Determine $P\left\{\frac{1}{2} < X < \frac{5}{2} / X > 1\right\}$. 2 K2 CO1
2. Write the probability mass function of geometric distribution. 2 K1 CO1
3. Calculate the value of k if $f(x, y) = k(1 - x)(1 - y)$; $0 < x < y < 1$ to be the joint density function of (x, y) . 2 K2 CO2
4. Given the joint pdf of (X, Y) is $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} e^{-(x+y)}, & x > 0, y > 0 \\ 0, & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$. Check whether X and Y are independent random variables? 2 K2 CO2
5. Mention the properties of good estimator. 2 K1 CO3
6. State the normal equations for fitting a straight line $y = a + bx$. 2 K1 CO3
7. Define Type I and Type II error. 2 K1 CO4
8. List out any two applications of F test. 2 K1 CO4
9. If $X = \begin{bmatrix} 42 & 4 \\ 52 & 5 \\ 48 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ Calculate \bar{X} . 2 K2 CO5
10. If $\Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 9 & -3 \\ 2 & -3 & 25 \end{bmatrix}$ Compute the standard deviation matrix $V^{\frac{1}{2}}$. 2 K2 CO5

PART - B (5 × 16 = 80 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions

11. a) i) A discrete random variable X has the probability function given below: 8 K3 CO1

X	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
P(x)	0	k	2k	2k	3k	K ²	2k ²	7k ² +k

Determine

- (i) The value of k.
(ii) $P(x < 6), P(x \geq 6)$.

- ii) In a company the monthly break down of a machine is a random variable with Poisson distribution, with an average 1.8. Compute the probability that the machine for a month (i) without break down (ii) With exactly one break down. 8 K3 CO1

OR

- b) i) In a test of 2000 electric bulbs it was found that the life of a particular make was normally distributed with an average life of 2040 hours and S.D of 60 hours. Estimate the number of bulbs likely to burn for (i) More than 2150 hours. (ii) Less than 1950 hours. 8 K3 CO1

- ii) Buses arrive at a specified stop at 15 minute intervals starting at 7 a.m. That is they arrive at 7, 7.15, 7.30 and so on. If a passenger arrives at the stop at a random time that is uniformly distributed between 7 and 7.30 a.m., Determine the probability that he waits (i) Less than 5 minutes for a bus. (ii) At least 12 minutes for a bus. 8 K3 CO1

12. a) The joint probability function (x, y) is given 16 K3 CO2
 $P(x, y) = k(2x + 3y); x = 0, 1, 2; y = 1, 2, 3.$

Compute

- (i) The marginal distributions.
(ii) the probability distribution of (x + y)
(iii) All conditional probability distributions.

OR

- b) The joint pdf of the two dimensional random variable(x, y) is 16 K3 CO2

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} 2 - x - y; & 0 \leq x \leq 1; 0 \leq y \leq 1 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Determine the correlation coefficient between x and y.

13. a) Let x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n be a random sample from the Poisson distribution with parameter λ . Obtain the maximum likelihood estimator of λ . 16 K3 CO3

OR

- b) Fit a parabola, by the method of least squares, to the following data. 16 K3 CO3

X	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
Y	352	356	357	358	360	361	361

14. a) i) Before an increase in excise duty on tea, 800 persons out of a sample of 1000 persons were found to be drinkers. After an increase in duty, 800 people were tea drinkers in a sample of 1200 people. Determine whether there is a significant decrease in the consumption of tea after the increase in excise duty. 8 K3 CO4
- ii) A simple sample of heights of 6400 English men has a mean of 170 cm and a S.D of 6.4 cm. While a simple sample of heights of 1600 Americans has a mean of 172 cm and a S.D of 6.3 cm. Determine whether the data indicate that Americans are on the average taller than English men. 8 K3 CO4

OR

- b) Two researchers A and B adopted different techniques while rating the student's level. Using chi-square test, can you say that the techniques adopted by them are significant? 16 K3 CO4

Researchers	Below average	Average	Above average	Genius	Total
A	40	33	25	2	100
B	86	60	44	10	200
Total	126	93	69	12	300

15. a) Let x be $N_3(\mu, \Sigma)$ with $\mu' = (2, -3, 1)$ and $\Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$. 16 K3 CO5

Compute the distribution of $3x_1 - 2x_2 + x_3$.

OR

- b) Compute the principal component of the following matrix 16 K3 CO5
- $$\Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & -6 & 2 \\ -6 & 7 & -4 \\ 2 & -4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$