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INTEGRATED PG DEGREE EXAMINATION, DECEMBER 2023

Third Semester

INTEGRATED MSC BASIC SCIENCE-STATISTICS

CORE - IST3CR01 - PROBABILITY DISTRIBUTIONS.

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Time: 3 Hours

Part A (Short Answer Questions)

Answer any eight questions.

Weight **1** each.

- 1. Define Harmonic Mean of a random variable.
- 2. If V(X) = 2, then obtain V(3X-4).
- 3. How you fit a Binomial distribution?
- 4. The chances of a student to win a test is 0.2 and assumed remains same for all attempt. If he decides to compete until success, what is his chance to win the test by fifth attempt.
- 5. Define Hyper geometric distribution.
- 6. Define two parameter gamma distribution.
- 7. Define Laplace distribution.
- 8. Write down two advantages of Chebychev's inequality.
- 9. State the Bernoulli law of large numbers.
- 10. Write down the conditions for Linberg-Levy form of Cental Limit Theorem.

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Part B (Short Essay/Problems)

Answer any **six** questions.

Weight **2** each.

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- 11. State and prove Multiplication theorem on expectation.
- 12. State and prove additive property of cumulants.







- 13. Show that the conditional distribution of X given X+Y=z where X and Y are independent Poisson random variables is binomial.
- 14. A car hire firm has two cars which it hires out day by day. The number of demands for a car on each day is distributed as Poisson variate with mean 1.5. Calculate the probability of days on which (i) neither car is used and (ii) some demand is refused
- 15. Obtain the mean and variance of a continuous uniform distribution.
- 16. The time taken by a mechanic to repair motor bike is distributed exponentially with an average of 2 hours. Find the probabilities of repair time (i) less than 1 hour (ii) more than 4 hours given that already exceeds 2 hours
- 17. Explain fitting of normal distribution.
- 18. Define Standard normal distribution. Obtain its moment generating function.

(6×2=12 weightage)

Part C (Essay Type Questions)

Answer any two questions.

Weight 5 each.

- 19. Two random variables X and Y have joint p.d.f f(x,y) = 2-x-y; $0 \le x \le 1$, $0 \le y \le 1$ and 0 elsewhere.
 - Find, a) $f_x(x)$ b) $f_y(y)$ c) E(X/Y=y) d) Cov(X,Y)
- 20. Define the binomial distribution. Write down any 3 properties of it. Obtain its mean, variance and m.g.f.
- 21. a) Obtain the mean and variance of a beta distribution of second kind with parameter p and q. b)If X follows a beta distribution of first kind with parameters p and q, show that $Y = \frac{X}{1-X}$ follow beta distribution of the second kind.
- 22. State and prove the strong law of large numbers.

(2×5=10 weightage)