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B. E / B. TECH.DEGREE EXAMINATIONS, MAY 2023

Fourth Semester

MA18455-PROBABILITY AND STATISTICS

(Biotechnology)

(Regulation 2018 & 2018A)

(Statistical Tables are permitted)

TIME: 3 HOURS

MAX.MARKS: 100

- CO1 Gain knowledge in one dimensional random variables and standard distribution.
- CO2 Gain knowledge in two dimensional random variables and functions of random variables.
- CO3 Gain knowledge in managerial problems especially in quality control problems.
- CO4 Exposure to statistical methods designed to contribute to the process of making scientific judgments in the face of uncertainty and variation
- CO5 Know the concepts of statistical Quality control theory and their applications on real time problems

PART- A (10x2=20 Marks)
(Answer all Questions)

- | | CO | RBT LEVEL | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---------|------------|------------|-----------|----|----|-------------|----|----|--|--|
| 1 A discrete random variable X has MGF $M_X(t) = \left(\frac{1}{4} + \frac{3}{4}e^t\right)^5$. Find E(X). | 1 | 2 | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 A continuous random variable X has the probability density function $f(x) = k(1+x)$, $2 < x < 5$. Find k. | 1 | 2 | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 Find the value of k if $f(x, y) = k(1-x)(1-y)$, $0 < x < 1, 0 < y < 1$ is to be a joint density function. | 2 | 2 | | | | | | | | | |
| 4 If X has variance 21 and Y has variance 7, and X, Y are uncorrelated, find $Var(X + 3Y - 15)$. | 2 | 2 | | | | | | | | | |
| 5 Two independent samples of observations were collected. For the first sample of 60 elements, the mean was 86 and the standard deviation 6. The second sample of 75 elements had a mean of 82 and a standard deviation of 9. Compute the estimated standard error of the difference between the two means. | 3 | 2 | | | | | | | | | |
| 6 Find the value of χ^2 for the following data: | 3 | 2 | | | | | | | | | |
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| 7 Analysis of Variance is a statistical method of comparing the ----- of several populations.
(a) standard deviations (b) variance (c) means (d) proportions | 4 | 2 | | | | | | | | | |
| 8 To determine whether the test statistic of ANOVA is statistically significant, it can be compared to a critical value. What two pieces of information are needed to determine the critical value? | 4 | 2 | | | | | | | | | |

- (a) sample size, number of groups (b) mean, sample standard deviation
(c) expected frequency, obtained frequency (d) MSE, MSC
- 9 Find the lower and upper control limits for \bar{X} and R chart when each sample is of size 4 and $\bar{\bar{X}} = 10.8$ and $\bar{R} = 0.46$. 5 2
- 10 If the average fraction defective of a large sample of products is 0.1537, calculate the control limits. (Given that sub-group size is 2,000). 5 2

PART- B (5x 14=70 Marks)

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|--|-------|----|-----------|----|-----|----|---|------|-----|---|-----|----|-----|----|--|--|--|
| 11(a) (i) A discrete random variable X has the following probability distribution: | (7) | 1 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Find (i) the value of k (ii) $P(X < 2)$ (iii) $P(-2 < X < 2)$ and (iv) $P(X > 1)$. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (ii) The probability of an infinite discrete distribution is given by $P(X = x) = \frac{1}{2^x}$, $x = 1, 2, \dots$. Find the MGF, mean and variance of the distribution. | (7) | 1 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (OR) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 11(b) (i) In a certain city, the daily consumption of electric power in millions of kilowatt-hours can be treated as a random variable following Gamma distribution with parameters $\lambda = \frac{1}{2}$ and $\alpha = 3$.
If the power plant of this city has a daily capacity of 12 million kilowatt-hours, what is the probability that this power supply will be adequate on any given day? | (8) | 1 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (ii) Suppose that the number of miles that a car can run before its battery wears out is exponentially distributed with an average value of 10,000 miles. If a person desires to take a 5000-mile trip, what is the probability that he/she will be able to complete the trip without having to replace the car battery? | (6) | 1 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 12(a) (i) Given the joint pdf of (X, Y) as $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} 8xy; & 0 < x < y < 1 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$. Find the marginal and conditional probability density functions of X and Y. Are X and Y independent? | (7) | 2 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (ii) Let X and Y be two discrete random variables with joint p.m.f $P(X = x, Y = y) = \begin{cases} \frac{x+y}{21}, & x = 1, 2, 3, y = 1, 2 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$ | (7) | 2 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Find the correlation coefficient between them. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (OR) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

12(b) (i) If the joint pdf of (X, Y) is given by
 $f_{XY}(x, y) = e^{-(x+y)}$; $x \geq 0, y \geq 0$, find the pdf of $U = \frac{X+Y}{2}$. (7) 2 3

(ii) The life time of a certain brand of an electric light may be considered as a random variable with mean 1200h and standard deviation 250h. Find the probability, using, CLT, that the average lifetime of 60 lights exceeds 1250h. (7) 2 3

13(a) (i) Before an increase in excise duty on tea, 800 people out of a sample of 1000 were consumers of tea. After an increase in excise duty, 800 people were consumers of tea in a sample of 1200 persons. Determine whether there is a significant decrease in the consumption of tea after an increase in excise duty. Test at 5% level of significance. (7) 3 3

(ii) Test the significance of the difference between the means of the samples drawn from 2 normal populations with the same standard deviation from the following data: (7) 3 3

Sample	Size	Mean	Standard deviation
Sample I	100	61	4
Sample II	200	63	6

Test at 1% level of significance.

OR

13(b) (i) Tests made on the breaking strength of 10 pieces of a metal wire gave the following results: 578, 572, 570, 568, 572, 570, 570, 572, 596 and 584 kg. Test if the mean breaking strength of the wire can be assumed as 577 kg. (7) 3 3

(ii) The following table gives the number of aircraft accidents that occurred during the various days of a week. Test whether the accidents are uniformly distributed over the week: (7) 3 3

Day	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
No. of Accidents	15	19	13	12	16	15

14(a) Three varieties A,B, C of a crop are tested in a RBD with 4 replications. The plot yields in units are as follows: (14) 4 3

A6	C5	A8	B9
C8	A4	B6	C9
B7	B6	C10	A6

Test whether the yields differ significantly with respect to (a) blocks (b) treatments

OR

14(b) Analyse the following results of a Latin Square Design (14) 4 3

	1	2	3	4
1	A(12)	D(20)	C(16)	B(10)
2	D(18)	A(14)	B(11)	C(14)
3	B(12)	C(15)	D(19)	A(13)
4	C(16)	B(11)	A(15)	D(10)

15(a) Given below are the values of sample mean \bar{X} and sample range R for 10 samples, each of size 5. Draw the appropriate mean and range charts and comment on the state of control of the process. (14) 5 3

Sample No.	1	2	3	4	5	6
Mean	43	49	37	44	45	37
Range	5	6	5	7	7	4

Sample No.	7	8	9	10
Mean	51	46	43	47
Range	8	6	4	6

OR

15(b) (i) In a factory producing spark plugs, the number of defectives found in the inspection of 15 lots of 100 each is given below: (7) 5 3

Sample No.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
No. of defective	5	10	12	8	6	4	6	3
Sample No.	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
No. of defective	4	5	4	7	9	3	4	

Draw the control chart for the number of defectives and comment on the state of control.

(ii) 15 tape – recorders were examined for quality control test. The number of defects in each tap – recorder is recorded below. Draw the appropriate control chart and comment on the state of control. (7) 5 3

Unit No.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
No. of defects	2	4	3	1	1	2	5	3
Unit No.	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
No. of defects	6	7	3	1	4	2	1	

PART- C (1x 10=10Marks)

(Q.No.16 is compulsory)

Marks CO RBT LEVEL

16 Two random samples gave the following data:

Sample	Size	Mean	Variance
Sample I	8	9.6	1.2
Sample II	11	16.5	2.5

Test whether the two samples have been drawn from the same normal population.

(10) 3 3