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**SEMESTER – I**

**17PAMCE1001 – Probability and Distributions**

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| <b>Total Duration : 3 hrs</b> | <b>Total Mark : 75</b> |
| MCQ : 30 min                  | MCQ : 15               |
| Descriptive : 2 Hrs. 30 Mins. | Descriptive : 60       |

Section B

Answer any **SIX** questions (6 x 5 = 30)

1. Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be independent and identically distributed random variables, and let  $P\{X = k\} = p_k > 0, k = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots$ . If

$$P\{X = t / X + Y = t\} = P\{X = t - 1 / X + Y = t\} = \frac{1}{t+1}, t \geq 0$$

then Prove that  $X$  and  $Y$  are geometric random variables.

2. Let  $(X_1, X_2)$  have uniform distribution on the triangle  $\{0 \leq x_1 \leq x_2 \leq 1\}$ ; that is,  $(X_1, X_2)$  has

joint density function  $f(x_1, x_2) = \begin{cases} 2, & 0 \leq x_1 \leq x_2 \leq 1 \\ 0, & \text{elsewhere.} \end{cases}$  Find the density function of  $Y$ .

3. Prove that the bivariate binomial distribution generated by  $E_1$  has joint probability mass function.

4. Let  $X \sim F(m, n)$ . Then, for  $k > 0$ , integral, Prove that

$$(i) E[X^k] = \left(\frac{n}{m}\right)^k \frac{\Gamma[k + (m/2)]\Gamma[(n/2) - k]}{\Gamma[(m/2)]\Gamma(n/2)} \text{ for } n > 2k \quad (ii) E[X] = \frac{n}{n-2}, n > 2$$

$$(iii) \text{var}(X) = \frac{n^2(2m + 2n - 4)}{m(n-2)^2(n-4)}, n > 4$$

5. If  $X_n \xrightarrow{r} X$  then prove that  $E|X_n|^r \rightarrow E|X|^r$ .

6. State and Prove Slutsky's theorem

7. Let  $F$  be any distribution function, and let  $X$  be a  $U[0, 1]$  random variable. Then prove that there exists a function  $h$  such that  $h(X)$  has distribution function  $F$ , that is  $P\{h(X) \leq x\} = F(x) \forall x \in (-\infty, \infty)$ .

8. Prove that  $X_n \xrightarrow{a.s} X \Rightarrow X_n \xrightarrow{P} X$ .

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## Section C

### Part A

Answer any **TWO** questions (2 x 10 = 20)

9. Define Gamma distribution with parameters  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ . Also compute Marginal Generating Function, Mean, Variance and  $E[X^n]$  of the gamma distribution.
10. Let  $X_1, X_2$  be independent random variables with common density given by
- $$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } 0 < x < 1 \\ 0, & \text{Otherwise} \end{cases}$$
- Find Jacobian of the transformation, joint density of  $Y_1, Y_2$  and the marginal probability density functions of  $Y_1$  and  $Y_2$
11. Explain Bivariate Poisson distribution.
12. Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be independent and identically distributed  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$  random variables. Then prove that  $\bar{X}$  and  $(X_1 - \bar{X}, X_2 - \bar{X}, X_3 - \bar{X}, \dots, X_n - \bar{X})$  are independent. Also Prove that  $(n-1)S^2 / \sigma^2$  is  $\chi^2(n-1)$ .

### Part B

Compulsory Question (1 x 10 = 10)

13. State and Prove Lindeberg - Levy Central Limit theorem.