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SEMESTER - I

20PAMET1001 - Probability and Distributions

Total Duration : 3 Hrs.

Total Marks : 60

**Section A**

Answer any **SIX** questions ( $6 \times 5 = 30$  Marks)

1. Let  $X$  be a nonnegative integer-valued RV satisfying  $P\{X > m+1 | X > m\} = P\{X > m\}$  for any nonnegative integer  $m$ . Identify  $X$  must have a geometric distribution
2. Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be independent RVs and  $f$  and  $g$  be Borel-measurable functions. Predict  $f(X)$  and  $g(Y)$  are also independent.
3. Interpret  $\text{Cov}(X, Y) = \rho\sigma_1\sigma_2$ .
4. Let  $X \sim F(m, n)$ . Show, for  $k > 0$ , integral,  $EX^k = \left(\frac{n}{m}\right)^k \frac{\Gamma[k + (m/2)]\Gamma[(n/2) - k]}{\Gamma(\frac{m}{2})\Gamma(\frac{n}{2})}$  for  $n > 2k$  and  $EX = n / (n - 2)$ ,  $n > 2$ .
5. Let  $X_n \xrightarrow{P} X$ , and  $g$  be a continuous function defined on  $\mathcal{R}$ . Apply  $g(X_n) \xrightarrow{P} g(X)$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .
6. Solve the RV  $X_{(k)}$  has a beta distribution with parameters  $\alpha = k$  and  $\beta = n - k + 1$ .
7. Compute  $X$  and  $Y$  are independent RVs if and only if  $M(t_1, t_2) = M(t_1, 0)M(0, t_2)$  for all  $t_1, t_2$  in  $\mathcal{R}$ .
8. Let  $\{X_n, Y_n\}$ ,  $n = 1, 2, \dots$ , be sequence of RVs. Determine  $|X_n - Y_n| \xrightarrow{P} 0$  and  $Y_n \xrightarrow{L} Y \Rightarrow X_n \xrightarrow{L} Y$ .

**Section B**

**Part A**

Answer any **TWO** questions ( $2 \times 10 = 20$  Marks)

9. Let  $F$  be any DF, and let  $X$  be a  $U[0, 1]$  RV. Describe there exists function  $h$  such that  $h(X)$  has DF, that is  $P\{h(X) \leq x\} = F(x)$  for all  $x \in (-\infty, \infty)$ .
10. Let  $(X, Y)$  be jointly distributed with density function
$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} x + y & 0 < x < 1, 0 < y < 1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$
Examine the correlation coefficient  $\rho$  of  $X$  and  $Y$ .

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11. Let  $(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n)$  be an  $n$ -dimensional RV with a normal distribution. Let  $Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_k$ ,  $k \leq n$ , be linear functions of  $X_j$  ( $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$ ). Classify  $(Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_k)$  also has a multivariate normal distribution.
12. Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be i.i.d  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$  RVs. Deduce  $X_1 - \bar{X}, X_2 - \bar{X}, \dots, X_n - \bar{X}$  are independent.

### Part B

Compulsory question ( $1 \times 10 = 10$  Marks)

13. Justify Lindeberg-Levy Central Limit Theorem.

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