

2019

B.Sc. (Hons.)

2nd Semester Examination

STATISTICS

Paper—GE2T

Full Marks : 40

Time : 2 Hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.
Candidates are required to give their answers
in their own words as far as practicable.*

Group-A

1. Answer any *five* out of *eight* questions : $5 \times 2 = 10$
 - (a) State Lindberg Levy Central limit Theorem.
 - (b) Give the axiomatic definition of probability.
 - (c) What is the sufficient condition for existence of the expectation of a random variable? Define expectation. 1+1
 - (d) Obtain the mean of a poisson distribution with parameter λ .
 - (e) State the chebyshe's inequality.

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- (f) Suppose $P(A) > 0$ and $P(B) > 0$. If A and B are independent, will they be mutually exclusive ?
- (g) Mention two important properties of Moment Generating Function.
- (h) What are the drawbacks of the classical definition of probability ?

Group-B

2. Answer any *four* out of *six* questions : $4 \times 5 = 20$

(a) State and prove Bayes' Theorem. 2+3

(b) A_1 and A_2 are two events related to an experiment E. Given $P(A_1) = \frac{1}{2}$, $P(A_2) = \frac{1}{3}$

and $P(A_1 \cap A_2) = \frac{1}{4}$, determine the following probabilities :

(a) $P(A_1^c \cup A_2^c)$, (b) $P(A_1^c \cap A_2^c)$,

(c) $P(A_1^c \cup A_2)$ 2+1+2

(c) Obtain mean and variance of a binomial distribution with parameters n and p. 2+3

(d) Determine the mode of a poisson distribution.

- (e) Let x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n be iid random variables with finite mean μ and finite variance σ^2 . Show that $\bar{X}_n \left(= \frac{1}{n}(x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n) \right)$ converges in probability to μ . 5
- (f) Show that all odd order central moments of normal distribution vanish. 5

Group-C

3. Answer any *one* out of *two* questions : $1 \times 10 = 10$

- (a) (i) Obtain the moment generating function of a poisson distribution with paramater θ .
- (ii) Find the mean and variance of the following continuous distribution :
- $$f(x) = \alpha \cdot e^{-\alpha x}; x \geq 0 \text{ and } \alpha > 0. \quad 5+5$$
- (b) (i) Show that the sequence of independent Binomial Random variables satisfies the De-Moivers Laplace limit theorem.
- (ii) Show that conditional probability satisfies all the axioms of probability. 5+5
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