

2019

(January)

Time : 3 hours

Full Marks : 80

Answer from both the Sections as per direction

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks

*Candidates are required to answer in their own words
as far as practicable*

(MATHEMATICAL STATISTICS - II)

SECTION – A

1. Answer any four questions : 4 × 4

(a) What is χ^2 -distribution with n -degrees of freedom. What is its p.d.f.

(b) Show that the sequence of characteristic

functions $\psi_n(t) = \left(\frac{\sin nt}{nt} \right)$ converges to a
limit function $\psi(t)$.

(2)

- (c) (X, Y) have joint p.d.f. $f(x, y)$ show that for the p.d.f. $f(x, y) = 6xy^2, 0 < x, y < 1, X, Y$ are stochastically independent.
- (d) X has a uniform distribution over $(0, 1)$. Find the distribution of $\frac{1}{x}$.
- (e) X is uniformly distributed over $(-a, a)$. Find the distribution of $Y = \cos x$.
- (f) Show that $\rho_{123} \geq \rho_{12}$.

Or

2. Answer all questions : 2 × 8
- (a) What do you mean by multivariate distribution.
- (b) Define Gamma distribution.
- (c) What is Gauss' multiplication formula ?
- (d) What is Beta function ?
- (e) Define extreme value distribution ?
- (f) Define Weibull distribution.

(3)

- (g) What is conditional p.d.f. ?
- (h) What is conditional density ?

SECTION – B

Answer all questions : 16 × 4

3. (a) (i) \bar{X} is mean of n independent $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ variables. Show that for any $\epsilon > 0$,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P(|\bar{x} - \mu| \geq \epsilon) = 0.$$

- (ii) Let N be a non-negative random integer with geometric distribution,

$$P(N = n) = (1 - e^{-\mu})e^{-n\mu}, n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

Let M be a positive integer with p.m.f.

$$P(M = m) = \frac{e^{-\mu} \mu^m}{m(1 - e^{-\mu})}, m = 1, 2, \dots$$

Let (X_1, \dots, X_M) be M independent variables, each uniform over $(0, 1)$. Show that

(4)

$$Y = \mu \{N + mn(X_1, \dots, X_N)\}$$

has the standard exponential distribution.

Or

- (b) (i) Show that for the power function distribution

$$f(x) = Cx^{c-1}, 0 \leq x \leq 1, \mu_r^1 = \frac{c}{c+r},$$

$$\mu_2 = \frac{c}{(c+2)(c+1)^2}$$

mode = 1 for $c > 1$, 0 for $c < 1$

$$\text{median} = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\frac{1}{c}}.$$

- (ii) Show that for Erlang distribution

$$f(x) = \frac{\left(\frac{x}{b}\right)^{c-1} e^{-x/b}}{b[(c-1)!]}, 0 \leq x \leq \infty, b > 0, c(\text{integer}) > 0$$

(5)

m.g.f. is $(hbt)^{-c}$, $t > \frac{1}{b}$, $\mu^1 = bc$, $\mu_2 = b^2c$,

$$\sqrt{\beta_1} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{c}}, \beta_2 = 3 + \frac{6}{c}, \text{ mode is } b(c-1).$$

4. (a) (i) For a given λ , X follows Poisson with parameter λ , λ follows a gamma distribution

$$f_\lambda(\lambda) = \frac{r^p}{\sqrt{(p)}} e^{-r\lambda} \lambda^{p-1}, \lambda > 0, r > 0, p(\text{integer}) > 0$$

Find the overall distribution of X , its mean and variance.

(ii) $f_{X,Y}(x,y) = \frac{3x+y}{4} e^{-x-y}, x > 0, y > 0.$

Find the marginal densities, conditional densities and $\rho(X, Y)$

Or

- (b) (i) (X, Y) have joint p.d.f.

$$f(x,y) = \frac{3}{2\sqrt{x}}, 0 < y < x < 1.$$

Find $f_{Y|X}\left(y|x=\frac{1}{2}\right), f_{X|Y}\left(x|y=\frac{1}{2}\right)$.

- (ii) (X, Y) follows a bivariate normal distribution with $(0, 0, \sigma_X^2, \sigma_Y^2, \rho)$. Show that

$$U = \frac{X}{\sigma_X} - \rho \frac{Y}{\sigma_Y}$$

and $V = \left(\sqrt{1-\rho^2} Y / \sigma_Y\right)$ are independent variates.

5. (a) (i) Let $\{X_n\}$ be a sequence of independent r.v.'s and p.m.f. of X_n is

$$P(X_n = -n-4) = \frac{1}{n+4},$$

$$P(X_n = -1) = 1 - \frac{4}{n+4},$$

$$P(X_n = n+4) = \frac{3}{n+4},$$

show that $p \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} X_n = -1$.

- (ii) Let $\{F_n\}$ be a sequence of d.f.'s such that

$$F_n(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & x < \theta + \frac{1}{n} \\ 1, & x \geq \theta + \frac{1}{n} \end{cases}$$

Show that the corresponding sequence of random variables $X_n \xrightarrow{L} X$ where X is a r.v. degenerate at $X = \theta$.

Or

- (b) (i) Let $F_n(x)$ be a sequence of negative binomial distributions with parameters (r_n, q_n) with $r_n \rightarrow \infty, q_n \rightarrow 0$ in such a way that $r_n q_n \rightarrow \lambda$. Show that $F_n(x)$ converges in distribution to Poisson distribution.

- (ii) Let $g(y)$ be a continuous function and let $\{X_n\}$ be a sequence of r.v.'s such that $X_n \xrightarrow{P} X$. Show that $g(X_n) \xrightarrow{P} g(X)$.

6. (a) (i) Prove that the necessary and sufficient conditions for the coincidence of three regression planes for a bivariate distribution is

$$\rho_{12}^2 + \rho_{13}^2 + \rho_{23}^2 - 2\rho_{12}\rho_{13}\rho_{23} = 1.$$

- (ii) If the random vector $X = (X_1, \dots, X_4)'$ have covariance matrix :

$$\Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma^2 & \sigma_{12} & \sigma_{13} & \sigma_{14} \\ \sigma_{12} & \sigma^2 & \sigma_{14} & \sigma_{13} \\ \sigma_{13} & \sigma_{14} & \sigma^2 & \sigma_{12} \\ \sigma_{14} & \sigma_{13} & \sigma_{12} & \sigma^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

show that the four multiple correlation coefficients between one variable and the other three are equal.

Or

- (b) (i) Show that if in a p -variate distribution

all the correlations $\rho_{ij} (i \neq j)$ are equal to ρ ,

$$\rho \geq -\frac{1}{p-1}.$$

- (ii) Show that if $\rho_{1,2,3,\dots,p}$ is zero, all partial correlation coefficients of all orders vanish.
