



K23P 1253

Reg. No. : .....

Name : .....

I Semester M.Sc. Degree (CBSS – Regular) Examination, October 2022  
(2022 Admission)

**STATISTICS WITH DATA ANALYTICS**  
**MST1C03 : Distribution Theory**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

**PART – A**

Answer **all** questions. **Each** question carries 2 marks.

1. For the p.m.f  $P[X = j] = \frac{a_j \theta^j}{f(\theta)}$ ,  $j = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ ,  $\theta > 0$ , where  $a_j \geq 0$  and  $f(\theta) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} a_j \theta^j$ , find the p.g. f of X.

2. Let  $X \sim P(\lambda_1)$  and  $Y \sim P(\lambda_2)$ . Is  $X - Y$  a Poisson random variable with parameter  $\lambda_1 - \lambda_2$ . Justify your answer.

3. Define Cauchy distribution. If X has a Cauchy distribution  $C(1, 0)$ , what is the distribution of  $X^2$ .

4. Define a Bivariate distribution function.

5. If  $X_i$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$  follow  $\text{Exp}(\lambda_i)$ , what is the distribution of  $\text{Min}(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n)$ .

6. The p.d.f. of a random variable X is given by  $f(x) = ke^{-|x|}$ ,  $-\infty < x < \infty$ . Find k. Also obtain the characteristic function associated with X.

7. Define Central and Non-central F distribution.

8. What do you understand by “standard error”? Give the expression for the standard error of the sample mean while sampling from the normal population

$N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ .

(8×2=16)

P.T.O.



## PART – B

Answer **any four** questions. **Each** question carries **4** marks.

9. Obtain the Poisson distribution as a limiting case of Negative Binomial distribution.
10. Derive the moment generating function of Normal distribution.
11. If  $X$  and  $Y$  are independent and distributed as  $G(\alpha_1, \beta)$  and  $G(\alpha_2, \beta)$ . Derive the distribution of  $X+Y$ .
12. Derive the distribution of the range of a random sample of size  $n$  from  $U(0,1)$  distribution.
13. State and prove the lack of memory property of Exponential distribution.
14. Show that  $(X,Y)$  possesses a bivariate normal distribution if and only if every linear combination of  $X$  and  $Y$ , i.e.,  $aX + bY$ ,  $a \neq 0$ ,  $b \neq 0$ , is a normal variate. (4×4=16)

## PART – C

Answer **any four** questions. **Each** question carries **12** marks.

15. Define Power series distribution. Identify the members of the family. Also establish a recurrence relation satisfied by the cumulants of this family.
16. a) Define Geometric distribution. Find its moment generating function and hence find its mean and variance.  
b) If  $X_1, X_2$  are i.i.d Geometric random variables, then show that the conditional distribution of  $X_1$  given  $X_1 + X_2$  is uniform.
17. If  $X_1, X_2$  are independent rectangular variates on  $[0,1]$ , find the distribution of
  - i)  $X_1/X_2$
  - ii)  $X_1X_2$
  - iii)  $X_1 + X_2$
  - iv)  $X_1 - X_2$



18. Define the non-central Chi-Square statistic and derive its p.d.f. Deduce the p.d.f of the central Chi-Square. State the additive property of then non-central Chi-Square.

19. Let  $X_{(1)}, X_{(2)}, X_{(3)}$  be the order statistics of iid random variables  $X_1, X_2, X_3$  having Exponential distribution with parameter  $\beta$ .

i) Find the distribution of Let  $X_{(1)}$  and  $X_{(3)}$ .

ii) Show that  $Y_1 = X_{(3)} - X_{(2)}$  and that  $Y_2 = X_{(2)}$  are independent.

20. Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample of size  $n$  from  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ . Show that the sample mean  $\bar{X}$  and sample mean  $S^2$  are independently distributed. Deduce their distributions. (4×12=48)