

Name of Course	: CBCS (LOCF) B.Sc. (Hons) Mathematics
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Name of Paper	DSE-2: Probability Theory and Statistics
Semester	: V
Duration	: 3 hours
Maximum Marks	: 75 Marks

Attempt any four questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Suppose that the cumulative distribution function of the random variable X is given by

$$F(x) = 1 - e^{-x^2}, x > 0.$$

Evaluate $P(X > 2)$, $E(X)$ and $\text{Var}(X)$. Find the 25th percentile (pth percentile is a value ξ_p such that $P(X < \xi_p) \leq p$ and $P(X \leq \xi_p) \geq p$), the mode and the median of this distribution.

2. Let C be the set of points interior to or on the boundary of a square with side of length 1. Moreover, say that the square is in the first quadrant with one vertex at the point $(0, 0)$ and an opposite vertex at the point $(1, 1)$. Let $P(A)$ be the probability of region A contained in C . If $A = \{(x, y) : 0 < x < y < 1\}$, compute $P(A)$, and what will be $P(A)$ if $A = \{(x, y) : 0 < x = y < 1\}$. Suppose, two points are independently chosen at random in the interval $(-1, 1)$. Obtain the probability that the three parts into which the interval is divided can form the sides of a triangle.
3. State the memory-less property of the exponential distribution. Let the time (in hours) required to repair a smart mobile is exponentially distributed with mean 3. What is the probability that the repair time exceeds 3 hours? Also, find the probability that a repair takes at least 5 hours given that its duration exceeds 4 hours?

4. Let

$$f(x, y) = 24xy, 0 < x < 1, 0 < y < 1, 0 < x + y < 1, \text{ and } = 0, \text{ otherwise.}$$

Find the moment generating function of X and Y , and hence, find whether X and Y are independent? Further obtain the coefficient of correlation between X and Y .

5. Let

$$f(x, y) = 10xy^2, 0 < x < y < 1, \text{ and } = 0 \text{ elsewhere, be the joint pdf of } X \text{ and } Y.$$

Find the conditional mean and variance of X , given $Y=y$, $0 < y < 1$. Hence find the distribution of $Z = E(X|Y)$ and determine $E(Z)$ and $\text{Var}(Z)$ and compare these to $E(X)$ and $\text{Var}(X)$, respectively.

6. (i) State the Chebyshev's Theorem (or Inequality). Let the number of customer's visiting a bike showroom is a random variable with mean 12 and standard deviation 2. With what probability can we assert that there will be more than 6 but fewer than 18 customers visiting the showroom?
- (ii) Let $\{X_i\}$, $i=1, 2, \dots$ be a sequence of i.i.d. Poisson variables with $E[X_i]=1.5$. Find $P(160 < Y < 200)$, where $Y = X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_{100}$

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