

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS)
BSc DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2018
(Fourth Semester)

Branch – MATHEMATICS

MATHEMATICAL STATISTICS - II

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

SECTION-A (20 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks (10 x 2 = 20)

- 1 Define stratified random sampling.
- 2 Write the normal equation, for fitting a exponential curve.
- 3 Define consistency.
- 4 State Rao Blackwell theorem.
- 5 State the invariance property of MLE.
- 6 What are the methods of estimation?
- 7 Define simple and composite hypothesis.
- 8 Define level of significance.
- 9 Define contingency Table.
- 10 What are the applications of chi-square test?

SECTION - B (25 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions

ALL Questions Carry EQUAL Marks (5 x 5 = 25)

- 11 a Explain the method of selecting a simple random sample.
OR
b Derive the normal equations for fitting a quadratic polynomial.
- 12 a Prove that in sampling from a $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ population , the sample mean is a consistent estimator of μ .
OR
b Let x_1, x_2, \dots, X_n be a random sample from $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ population. Find sufficient estimators for μ and σ^2 .
- 13 a Find the maximum likelihood estimate for the parameter λ of a poisson distribution on the basis of a sample size n.
OR
b Explain the method of moments of estimating the parameter.
- 14 a Explain in details two types of errors.
OR
b If $x \geq 0$ is the critical region for testing $H_0 : \theta = 2$ against the alternative $\theta = 1$, on the basis of the single observation from the population $f(x, \theta) = \theta \exp(-\theta x)$, $0 < x < \infty$, obtain the values of type I and type II errors.

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- 15 a Find the least value of 'r' in a sample of 18 pairs of observation from a bi-variate normal population, significant at 5% level of significance.

OR

- b Explain the chi-square test for goodness of fit.

SECTION - C (30 Marks)

Answer any **THREE** Questions

ALL Questions Carry **EQUAL** Marks (3 x 10 = 30)

- 16 The sales of a company for the last eight years are given below.
- | Year: | 1980 | 1981 | 1982 | 1983 | 1984 | 1985 | 1986 | 1987 |
|---------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Sales ('000): | 52 | 45 | 98 | 92 | 110 | 185 | 175 | 220 |
- Estimate sales for 1988 using an equation of the form $y = ab^x$.
- 17 State and prove crammer Rao inequality.
- 18 Given one observation from a population with pdf:
 $f(x, \theta) = \frac{2}{\theta^2}(\theta - x); 0 \leq x < \theta$, obtain 100(1- α)% confidence interval for θ .
- 19 In random sampling from $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$, find the MLE for (i) μ when σ^2 is known
(ii) σ^2 when μ is known.
- 20 The heights of six randomly chosen sailors are (in inches) : 63, 65, 68, 69, 71 and 72. Those of 10 randomly chosen soldiers are 61, 62, 65, 66, 69, 69, 70, 71, 72 and 73. Discuss the light that these data throw on the suggestion that sailors are on the average taller than soldiers.

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