

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

Branch - **STATISTICSX**

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

**SECTION-A (20 Marks)**

Answer **ALL** questions

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

- 1 What are the different phases of OR?
- 2 What is the scope of OR?
- 3 Define Objective function.
- 4 Define Optimal Solution.
- 5 Define Primal Problem.
- 6 What is symmetric form and unsymmetric form in terms of vector?
- 7 What do you mean by unbalanced transportation problem?
- 8 Define degenerate basic feasible solution of a transportation problem.
- 9 Write down the mathematical formulation of assignment problem?
- 10 Difference between Transportation and Assignment problem?

**SECTION - B (25 Marks)**

Answer **ALL** Questions

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

- 11 a Explain the limitations of the graphical method of solving a LPP,  
OR  
b Explain the principles of modelling.
- 12 a Explain the terms Slack variables. Surplus variable. Feasible Solution.  
OR  
b Explain the use of Artificial variables in LPP.
- 13 a Explain the importance of integer programming problems and their applications.  
OR  
b Explain the relationship of the dual and primal problems.
- 14 a Describe a transportation problem and give a method of finding an initial feasible solution.  
OR  
b Explain in brief with examples for North West Corner rule.
- 15 a Distinguish between transportation and assignment model.  
OR  
b Explain processing of n jobs to three machines in a sequencing problem.

**SECTION - C (30 Marks)**

Answer any **THREE** Questions

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

- 16 Solve the following LPP by the graphical method  

$$\text{Max } z = 3x_1 + 2x_2$$

$$\text{stc.}, -2x_1 + x_2 < 1$$

$$x_1 < 2$$

$$x_1 + x_2 < 3$$

$$\text{and } x_1, x_2 > 0$$

17 Use two-phase Simplex method to solve

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Max } z &= 5x_1 + 8x_2 \\ \text{stc., } 3x_1 + 2x_2 &> 3 \\ x_1 + 4x_2 &> 4 \\ x_1 + x_2 &< 5 \\ \text{and } x_1, x_2 &> 0 \end{aligned}$$

18 Discuss the procedure of Gomory's constraint of solving integer programming problem.

19 Solve the following transportation problem to maximize profit

		Profit (unit)				
		Destination				
		A	B	C	D	Supply
Source	1	40	25	22	33	100
	2	44	35	30	30	30
	3	38	38	28	30	70
Demand		40	20	60	30	

20 Solve the assignment problem

		Machines			
		M <sub>1</sub>	M <sub>2</sub>	M <sub>3</sub>	M <sub>4</sub>
Jobs	<i>h</i>	5	7	11	6
	<i>h</i>	8	5	9	6
	<i>h</i>	4	7	10	7
	<i>h</i>	10	4	8	3

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