

**PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS)**

**BSc DEGREE EXAMINATION DECEMBER 2025
(Third Semester)**

Branch – **MATHEMATICS WITH COMPUTER APPLICATION**

ADVANCED MATHEMATICAL STATISTICS - I

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 75 Marks

SECTION-A (10 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks

(10 × 1 = 10)

Module No.	Question No.	Question	K Level	CO
1	1	The events whose outcomes have the same probability of occurrence are ____ events. a) Mutually exclusive b) Equally likely c) Dependent d) Complementary	K1	CO1
	2	In throwing two dice the probability of getting two numbers whose product is even is a) $\frac{1}{2}$ b) $\frac{3}{4}$ c) $\frac{1}{4}$ d) 0	K2	CO1
2	3	If X can take only integer values (0,1,2,...), then X is a _____ random variable. a) continuous b) discrete c) constant d) mixed	K1	CO2
	4	The probability of an event occurring given that another event has already occurred is a) conditional probability b) marginal probability c) joint probability d) independent probability	K2	CO2
3	5	Expectation of a constant 'C' is a) C b) 1 c) 0 d) Cx	K1	CO2
	6	If X is a random variable then $E[x-E(x)]$ is a) E(x) b) V(x) c) E(x)-x d) 0	K2	CO3
4	7	The moment generating function is affected by change of a) origin b) scale c) both (a) and (b) d) neither (a) nor (b)	K1	CO3
	8	The characteristic function $\phi_x(t)$ is given by a) $E(e^{tx})$ b) $E(e^{itx})$ c) $E(tx)$ d) $E(itx)$	K2	CO3
5	9	If the mean and variance of binomial distribution is 12 and 4 then the probability of success is a) $\frac{2}{3}$ b) $\frac{4}{3}$ c) $\frac{1}{3}$ d) $\frac{3}{4}$	K1	CO4
	10	The odd order moments of normal distribution are a) μ b) σ c) 0 d) 1	K2	CO4

SECTION - B (35 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks

(5 × 7 = 35)

Module No.	Question No.	Question	K Level	CO
1	11.a.	List and prove the multiplication theorem on probability, and illustrate its application with a suitable example.	K4	CO1
	(OR)			
	11.b.	Three machines A, B, and C produce 30%, 45%, and 25% of the total items, with defect rates of 1%, 2%, and 3% respectively. If a randomly selected item is found defective, find the probabilities that it was produced by machines A, B, and C.		

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2	12.a.	Define distribution function. Explain any two properties of distribution function.	K2	CO2													
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	12.b.	<p>The following table gives the joint distribution function of two discrete random variables X and Y.</p> <table><tr><td>$\begin{matrix} Y \\ X \end{matrix}$</td><td>2</td><td>4</td><td>5</td></tr><tr><td>1</td><td>1/12</td><td>1/24</td><td>1/24</td></tr><tr><td>2</td><td>1/6</td><td>1/12</td><td>1/8</td></tr><tr><td>3</td><td>1/4</td><td>1/8</td><td>1/12</td></tr></table> <p>Find (i) $P(X \leq 2, Y \leq 4)$; $P(Y \leq 5)$ (ii) Marginal probabilities of X and Y (iii) Conditional probability of $Y/X=1$.</p>			$\begin{matrix} Y \\ X \end{matrix}$	2	4	5	1	1/12	1/24	1/24	2	1/6	1/12	1/8	3
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3	13.a.	<p>The random variable X has the following probability distribution where a and b are some constants:</p> <table><tr><td>X:</td><td>1</td><td>2</td><td>3</td><td>4</td><td>5</td></tr><tr><td>$P(X=x)$</td><td>0.2</td><td>a</td><td>a</td><td>0.2</td><td>b</td></tr></table> <p>If the $E(x) = 3$, then find the values a and b.</p>	X:	1	2	3	4	5	$P(X=x)$	0.2	a	a	0.2	b	K3	CO3	
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	13.b.	<p>Let X be a continuous random variable with pdf $f(x) = k(1 - x^2)$, $-1 \leq x \leq 1$ Find k, $E(X)$, and $V(X)$.</p>															
4	14.a.	<p>Distinguish between raw moments and central moments. Also state the limitations of mgf</p>	K3	CO3													
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	14.b.	<p>Solve the following pdf and find the mgf, mean and variance.</p> $f(x) = \begin{cases} x, & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ 2 - x, & 1 \leq x \leq 2 \\ 0, & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$															
5	15.a.	Derive the mean and variance of Binomial distribution.	K4	CO4													
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	15.b.	<p>The number of cars passing through a tollgate per minute follows a Poisson distribution with a mean of 4. Analyse and find the probability that (i) exactly 6 cars and (ii) less than 3 cars pass in a minute.</p>															

SECTION -C (30 Marks)

Answer ANY THREE questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks (3 × 10 = 30)

Module No.	Question No.	Question	K Level	CO
1	16	State and prove the extension of addition theorem on probability for n events	K2	CO1
2	17	Prove that the geometric mean G of the distribution $f(x) = 6(2-x)(x-1)$, $1 \leq x \leq 2$ given by $6 \log(16G) = 19$.	K3	CO2
3	18	Prove that $V(X) = E[V(X Y)] + V[E(X Y)]$	K3	CO3
4	19	Let the random variable X assume the value r with the probability law $P(X=r) = qr^{-1}p$, $x=0,1,2,3,\dots$. Analyse and find the moment generating function of X and hence find its mean and variance.	K4	CO3
5	20	In a normal distribution, 25% of the items are below 60, and 10% are above 85. Analyse and find the mean and standard deviation of the distribution.	K4	CO4

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