

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS)
BSc DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2019
(Third Semester)

Branch – STATISTICS

PROBABILITY DISTRIBUTIONS

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

SECTION-A (20 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

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

- 1 Define moment generating function.
- 2 State the central limit theorem for i.i.d random variables.
- 3 State the independence of two random variable.
- 4 Define conditional expectation.
- 5 State the additive property of poisson distribution.
- 6 Define multinomial distribution.
- 7 Define exponential distribution.
- 8 Define normal distribution.
- 9 Define F-distribution.
- 10 Write any two applications of chi-square distribution.

SECTION - B (25 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions

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

- 11 a Define characteristic function and state its properties.
OR
b A symmetric die is thrown 600 times. Find the lower bound for the probability of getting 80 to 120 sixes.
- 12 a A two dimensional random variable (x, y) have a bivariate distribution given by, $P(X = x, Y = y) = \frac{x^2 + y}{32}$ for $x = 0, 1, 2, 3$ and $y = 0, 1$. Find the marginal distributions of x on y .
OR
b If x and y are two random variables having joint density function:
$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{8}(6 - x - y); & 0 \leq x \leq 2, 2 \leq y \leq 4 \\ 0; & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$
find (i) $P(x < 1 \text{ and } y < 3)$, (ii) $P(x + y < 3)$ and (iii) $P(x < 1 / y < 3)$.
- 13 a Obtain the m.g.f of binomial distribution and hence find its mean and variable.
OR
b Obtain the mean and variance of geometric distribution.
- 14 a Obtain the median of normal distribution.
OR
b Obtain the limiting form of Gamma distribution.

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- 15 a What are the applications of 't' – distribution?
OR
b Define chi-square distribution.

SECTION - C (30 Marks)

Answer any **THREE** Questions

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

- 16 State and prove Tchebycher's inequality.
- 17 A two dimensional random variable (x, y) have a joint probability mass function: $p(x, y) = \frac{1}{27}(2x + y)$ where x and y assume only the integer values 0, 1 and 2. Find the conditional distribution of y for x = x.
- 18 Obtain the recurrence relation for the moments of poisson distribution.
- 19 Find the mean and variance of beta distribution of first kind.
- 20 Establish the relationship between F and chi-square distributions.

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