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## Q.1) Attempt all Multiple Choice Questions

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- i) Which of the following is a particular parameterization of the Beta distribution of the second kind?
- a) Exponential Distribution                      c) F-Distribution  
b) Student's t-Distribution                      d) Gamma Distribution
- ii) Which of these distributions is referred to when testing for equality of a pair of means?
- a) Chi-Squared Distribution                      b) F-Distribution  
c) Student's t-Distribution                      d) Wishart Distribution
- iii) Which of these distributions would you use to fit the flight arrival/departure rate at an airport?
- a) Poisson Distribution                      b) Exponential Distribution  
c) Normal Distribution                      d) Bernoulli Distribution
- iv) Which of these is a real-life application of the Binomial Distribution?
- a) To fit the number of road accidents in a busy road                      b) To fit the amount of money collected at a toll booth  
c) To fit the frequency of a particular sound wave                      d) To fit the number of cars parked in a particular parking space
- v) If  $\underline{X} = [X_1 \ X_2 \ X_3 \ \dots \ X_p]'$  follows a p-variate Normal Distribution with parameters  $\underline{\mu}$ , and covariance matrix  $\Sigma$ , then
- a) The marginal distributions of  $X_i$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, p$ , follow Univariate Normal Distributions                      b) Any sub-vector of  $\underline{X}$  of order  $k \times 1$  follows a k-variate Normal Distribution  
c)  $\Sigma$  is a symmetric positive semi-definite square matrix of order p.                      d) All of the above
- vi) If  $\underline{X} = [X_1 \ X_2 \ X_3 \ \dots \ X_p]'$  follows a p-variate Normal Distribution with parameters  $\underline{0}$ , and covariance matrix  $\Sigma = I$ , then  $\underline{X}'\underline{X}$  follows
- a) Wishart Distribution with p d.f.                      b) Chi-Squared Distribution with p d.f.  
c) t-Distribution with p d. f.                      d) F-Distribution with p d.f.
- vii) Which of these is NOT true for the Cauchy Distribution?
- a) It is basically a transformation taken on a  $U(-\pi, \pi)$  variate                      b) Its Moment Generating Function does not exist  
c) Its Characteristic function exists                      d) Cannot be randomly generated using Probability Integral Transformation
- viii) Another name of double exponential distribution is ....
- a) Truncated Exponential                      b) Exp. with location and scale parameter  
c) Laplace Distribution                      d) Two parameter Weibull

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Q.2) Attempt any seven.

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- i) Derive the Hazard Rate for an Exponential Variate with mean 10.
- ii) Write down the m.g.f of the three-parameter Gamma Distribution. Use it to derive its mean and variance.
- iii) Write down the p.d.f of the Beta distribution. Derive its  $r^{\text{th}}$  order moment.
- iv) Write down all the important properties of the Univariate Normal Distribution.
- v) Show that the sum of any number of Bernoulli variates gives a Binomial variate.
- vi) Generate any 3 values of a one-parameter Exponential variate with variance 16, using Probability Integral Transformation.
- vii) The p.g.f of a random variable  $X$  is given as  $P_X(t) = [(1-p) + tp]^n; t \geq 0, 0 \leq p \leq 1, n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ . Obtain the value of  $P(X \leq 2)$ , and identify the distribution of  $X$ .
- viii) Derive the m.g.f of the Geometric Distribution and hence obtain its mean and variance. Also write down its applications.
- ix) Write a short note on the Log-Normal Distribution.
- x) If a random variate  $X \sim U\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ , then find the distribution of  $Y = \tan X$ .

Q.3)a) Derive the p.d.f of the F-Distribution. Write down its applications.

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b) Derive the m.g.f of a three-parameter Weibull variate. Hence, obtain its mean, and variance. [6]

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b) Derive the Characteristic Function of the Cauchy Distribution. State its relation with t-distribution having 1 degree of freedom. [6]

Q.4)a) Derive the p.d.f. of the central Chi-squared Distribution. Also, write down its properties. [6]

b) Derive the Distribution Function of the Laplace Distribution. [6]

== OR ==

b) A r.v  $X$  has Poisson distribution with mean  $\lambda$ , while the conditional distribution of  $Y$  for given  $X = x$  ( $x = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ ) is a Poisson variate with mean  $\mu x$ . Obtain the p.g.f of  $Y$  [6]

- Q.4)a) Derive the m.g.f. of the Pareto Distribution. [6]  
b) Obtain the Hazard Rates of: [6]  
i. Pareto Distribution  
ii. Weibull Distribution (3-parameter)  
iii. Logistic Distribution

==OR==

- b) A R.V.  $X$  has a lognormal distribution with mean  $e^{\mu + \frac{\sigma^2}{2}}$ . Derive its  $r^{\text{th}}$  order moment and, [6]  
hence, derive Skewness and Kurtosis.

- Q.6)a) Obtain the mean and variance of the Hypergeometric Distribution. [6]  
b) Write down the p.d.f of the non-singular Multinomial Distribution, obtain its m.g.f, and [6]  
hence, obtain its mean and variance.

==OR==

- b) Write down the characteristic function of the Multivariate Normal Distribution. Hence [6]  
show that any linear combination of a Multivariate Normal vector is also Multivariate Normal.

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