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Note: Figures to the right indicate full marks of the questions. (Total Marks: 70)

1 Attempt all, write correct answers

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- (i) Every sigma field is also a
- a) monotone class b) class of subsets of infinite Ω
c) class defined on R d) countable set
- (ii) Limit set of an increasing sequence of sets $\{B_n, n \geq 1\}$ is
- a) $\cap B_n$ b) $\cup B_n$
c) null set d) Ω
- (iii) The probability is additive provided
- a) class of events is a Power set b) class of events are pair wise disjoint
c) class is (ϕ, Ω) d) None of these
- (iv) Every linear combination of indicator variable of measurable set is
- a) a simple random variable b) a non-negative random variable
c) a constant function d) a random variable
- (v) The singular distribution function is a _____ distribution function.
- a) continuous b) discrete
c) unbounded d) mixed
- (vi) A sufficient condition for a sequence of independent random variables having zero odd moments to hold strong law of large number is proved using _____
- a) Markov's inequality b) Holder's inequality
c) Chebychev's inequality d) Jensen's inequality
- (vii) A sequence of random variables $\langle X_n \rangle$ converges in rth mean to a random variable X then this imply
- a) $\langle X_n \rangle$ converges in $(r+1)^{th}$ mean b) $\langle X_n \rangle$ converges a.s.
c) $\langle X_n \rangle$ converges in distribution d) Convergence in probability
- (viii) The sequence of standardized sum of iid Bernoulli random variables converges to a
- a) Binomial r.v. b) Normal r.v.
c) Degenerate r.v. d) Cauchy r.v.

2 Attempt ANY 7, each carries 2 marks

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- (a) Let $\{A_n = [1-1/n, 1+1/n), n \geq 1\}$ from a sample space. Obtain limit set A.
- (b) Define Lebesgue measure and Lebesgue-Stieltjes measure giving example.

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- (c) Show that intersection of fields is also a field.
- (d) Prove in usual notations that $s + t$ is a simple random variable given that, s and t are two simple random variables.
- (e) State and prove Liapouov's inequality.
- (f) State Borel 0-1 law and prove the first part.
- (g) Check whether the following F is a distribution function and identify its type. If F is mixed then decompose it.

$$F(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{3}{4} + (1 - e^{-\beta x})/4, & x \geq 0 \\ 0, & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

- (h) If X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n are iid normal random variables find the characteristic function of $Y = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$.
- (i) State Liapouov's CLT. How it is different from the Lindberg-Levy CLT?

- 3(a) Define field and sigma field giving example considering $\Omega =$ real line. Are these field and sigma field the Borel field and Borel sigma field? **06**
- 3(b) Stating five properties of probability measure, prove one of these. **06**

OR

State and prove Basic inequality. State which inequalities are derivable from it.

- 4(a) Show that if X and Y are two is non-negative random variable then $X+Y$ is also non-negative random variable. Using this show that, $X + \alpha$ is also non-negative random variable, α is a real constant. **06**
- 4(b) Show that increasing sequence of non-negative simple random variables converges to a non-negative random variable. **06**

OR

State and prove Jordan decomposition theorem. Define characteristic function of a mixture distribution function.

- 5(a) State and prove monotone convergence theorem. Also state how MCT is used in proving Fatou's theorem. **06**
- 5(b) Define in usual notation EX , where X is a random variable with respect to a Lebesgue measure. Hence find EX , given, $\Omega = (-5, 5)$ and X on $(\Omega, \mathcal{A}, \lambda)$ takes values $X(\omega) = 1/2, \omega \in (-5, 2), X(\omega) = 1/3, \omega \in [2, 2], X(\omega) = 1, \omega \in (2, 3]$ and $X(\omega) = 0, \omega \in (3, 5)$. **06**

OR

Define and discuss the interrelationship among the modes of convergences of a sequence of random variables.

- 6(a) Show that characteristic function is uniformly continuous and differentiable if first moment is finite. **06**
- 6(b) State and prove weak law of large numbers for iid random variables. Apply the same to $\langle X_n \rangle$ having pmf $P(X_n = n) = \frac{1}{2n} = P(X_n = -n)$ and $P(X_n = 0) = 1 - \frac{1}{n}$. Does this sequence hold Weak law any way? **06**

OR

State and prove Lindberg-Levy central limit theorem (CLT). State one application of this CLT.

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