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B. E / B. TECH.DEGREE EXAMINATIONS, MAY 2024

Fourth Semester

MA18454 – PROBABILITY AND RANDOM PROCESSES*(Electronics and Communication Engineering)***(Regulation 2018 /2018A)****TIME:3 HOURS****MAX. MARKS: 100**

- CO1** Reproduce and explain the basic concepts such as probability and random variable and identify the distribution.
- CO2** Acquire skills in handling situations involving more than one random variable.
- CO3** Study the characterize phenomena with respect to time in probabilistic manner.
- CO4** Apply the relationship within and between random processes.
- CO 5** Apply the response of random inputs to linear time invariant systems.

PART- A(10x2=20Marks)

(Answer all Questions)

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| 1. A continuous random variable X has probability density function $f(x) = k(1+x)$, in $2 < x < 5$. Find $P(3 < X < 4)$. | 1 | 2 |
| 2. The mean of a binomial distribution is 20 and standard deviation is 4. Find the parameters of the distribution. | 1 | 2 |
| 3. The joint probability density function of a two-dimensional random variable (X, Y) is given by $f(x, y) = k(x^3y + xy^3)$, $0 \leq x \leq 2$; $0 \leq y \leq 2$. Find the value of k . | 2 | 2 |
| 4. If $F(x, y) = (1-x^2)(1-y^2)$ if $x, y \geq 0$, then find the joint probability density function. | 2 | 2 |
| 5. If the random process $X(t) = \cos(\omega t + \theta)$ where θ is uniformly distributed in the interval $(-\pi, \pi)$. Find $E[X(t)]$. | 3 | 2 |
| 6. State the four types of Stochastic Processes. | 3 | 1 |
| 7. Given the power spectral density $S_{xx}(\omega) = \frac{1}{4+\omega^2}$, find the average power of the process. | 4 | 2 |

8. The power spectral density of a random process $X(t)$ is given by 4 2
 $S_{XX}(\omega) = \begin{cases} \pi, & |\omega| < 1 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$ Find its autocorrelation.
9. Prove that system $y(t) = t x(t) - x(t - 1)$ is time invariant. 5 2
10. Define a system. When it is called a linear system? 5 2

PART- B (5x 14=70Marks)

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| 11. (a) (i) | For the triangular distribution $f(x) = \begin{cases} x, & 0 < x \leq 1 \\ 2-x, & 1 \leq x < 2 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$, find the mean, variance and the moment generating function. | (7) | 1 | 3 |

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| (ii) | The time (in hours) required to repair a machine is exponentially distributed with parameter $\lambda = 1/2$. What is the probability that the repair time exceeds 2hours? What is the conditional probability that a repair takes at least 10hours given that its duration exceeds 9hours? | (7) | 1 | 3 |
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| (b) (i) | A discrete random variable X has the following probability distribution. | (7) | 1 | 3 |
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X	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
P(X = x)	a	3a	5a	7a	9a	11a	13a	15a	17a

Find (i) the value of 'a' (ii) $P(X < 3)$ (iii) $P(0 < X < 3)$ and (iv) $P(X \geq 3)$.

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| (ii) | Trains arrive at a station at 15-minute intervals starting at 4 am. If a passenger arrives at the station at a time that is uniformly distributed between 9.00 and 9.30 am, find the probability that he has to wait for the train for (i) less than 6 minutes and (ii) more than 10 minutes. | (7) | 1 | 3 |
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| 12. (a) | Find the correlation coefficient ρ_{xy} for the following joint density function | (14) | 2 | 3 |
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$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} x+y, & 0 < x < 1, 0 < y < 1 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

(OR)

- (b) The joint probability mass function of (X,Y) is given by $P(x, y) = k(2x+3y)$, $x = 0,1,2$; $y = 1,2,3$. Find all marginal probability distributions. Also find the probability distribution of (X+Y). (14) 2 3

13. (a) Suppose that customers arrive at a bank according to Poisson process with mean rate of 3 per minute. Find the probability that during a time interval of two minutes (i) exactly 4 customers arrive (ii) greater than 4 customers arrive (iii) fewer than 4 customers arrive and (iv) no customers arrive. (14) 3 3

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- (b) Suppose X(t) is a normal process with mean $\mu(t)=3$ and $C(t_1, t_2) = 4e^{-0.2|t_1-t_2|}$. Find (i) $P[X(5) \leq 2]$ and (ii) $P[|X(8) - X(5)| \leq 1]$. (14) 3 3

14. (a) (i) If the power spectral density of a WSS process is given by (7) 4 3

$$S(\omega) = \begin{cases} \frac{b}{a}(a-|\omega|); & |\omega| \leq a \\ 0; & |\omega| > a \end{cases}$$

find its autocorrelation function of the process.

- (ii) If $\{X(t)\}$ is a WSS process with autocorrelation $R_{XX}(\tau)$ and if $Y(t) = X(t+a) - X(t-a)$. Show that $R_{YY}(\tau) = 2R_{XX}(\tau) - R_{XX}(\tau+2a) - R_{XX}(\tau-2a)$. (7) 4 3

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- (b) Consider two random processes $X(t) = 3 \cos(\omega t + \theta)$ and $Y(t) = 2 \cos\left(\omega t + \theta - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$, where θ is a random variable uniformly distributed in $(\theta, 2\pi)$. Prove that $|R_{XY}(\tau)| \leq \sqrt{R_{XX}(0)R_{YY}(0)}$. (14) 4

15. (a) If $\{N(t)\}$ is a band limited White noise with a power spectral density (14) 5 3

$$S_{NN}(\omega) = \begin{cases} \frac{N_0}{2}, & \text{for } |\omega - \omega_0| < \omega_B \\ 0, & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

Find the autocorrelation of $\{N(t)\}$.

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- (b) A circuit has unit impulse response given by (14) 5 3

$$h(t) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{T}; & 0 \leq t \leq T \\ 0; & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases} . \text{ Evaluate } S_{YY}(\omega) \text{ in terms of } S_{XX}(\omega)$$

PART- C (1x 10=10Marks)

(Q.No.16 is compulsory)

	Marks	CO	RBT LEVEL
16. Two regression lines are $4x-5y + 33 = 0$ and $20x - 9y = 107$. Find the means of x and y. Also find the value of the correlation coefficient.	(10)	2	3
