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Programme: B.E.

Branch: Industrial Engineering and Management

Course Code: 19IM4DCSFE

Course: Statistics for Engineers

Semester: IV

Duration: 3 hrs.

Max Marks: 100

Instructions: 1. Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing one full question from each unit.
2. Missing data, if any, may be suitably assumed.
3. Use of statistical tables permitted.

UNIT - I

- 1 a) Discuss briefly the role of statistics in decision making **04**
- b) The percentage of cotton in material used to manufacture men's shirts follows. **06**
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|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| 34.7 | 32.7 | 36.4 | 34.1 | 34.5 | 35.0 | 36.9 |
| 33.1 | 35.8 | 33.6 | 36.1 | 34.1 | 35.7 | 31.5 |
| 33.0 | 36.8 | 33.4 | 33.5 | 34.5 | 34.4 | 35.0 |
| 32.3 | 35.5 | 33.1 | 31.9 | 37.6 | 34.4 | 32.1 |
| 34.7 | 34.5 | 35.9 | 36.5 | 35.3 | 32.8 | 34.9 |
| 35.7 | 33.7 | 35.5 | 34.6 | 35.4 | 33.8 | 35.6 |
- Construct a frequency distribution and histogram for the cotton content. Use seven Bins with starting value of bin as 31.5 with increment 1.0
- c) The nine measurements that follow are furnace temperatures recorded on successive batches in a semiconductor manufacturing process (units are): **10**
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| 953 | 950 | 948 | 955 | 951 | 949 | 957 | 954 | 955 |
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- i). Calculate the sample mean, sample variance, and standard deviation.
ii). Find the median. How much could the largest temperature measurement increase without changing the median value?
iii). Construct a box plot of the data.

UNIT - II

- 2 a) Define Poisson Distribution and state its applications. **04**
- b) Marketing estimates that a new instrument for the analysis of soil samples will be very successful, moderately successful, or unsuccessful, with probabilities 0.3, 0.6, and 0.1, respectively. The yearly revenue associated with a very successful, moderately successful, or unsuccessful product is Rs.10 million, Rs.5 million, and Rs.1 million, respectively. Let the random variable X denote the yearly revenue of the product. **06**
- a) Determine the probability mass function of X
b) Determine the cumulative distribution function,
c) Determine the mean and variance of the random variable X and following probabilities:

Important Note: Completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages. Revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator will be treated as malpractice.

- c) A manufacturing process has 100 customer orders to fill. Each order requires one component part that is purchased from a supplier. However, typically, 2% of the components are identified as defective, and the components can be assumed to be independent. **05**
- If the manufacturer stocks 100 components, what is the probability that the 100 orders can be filled without reordering components?
 - If the manufacturer stocks 102 components, what is the probability that the 100 orders can be filled without reordering components?
- d) A lot of 75 washers contain 5 in which the variability in thickness around the circumference of the washer is unacceptable. A sample of 10 washers is selected at random, without replacement. **05**
- What is the probability that at least one unacceptable washer is in the sample?
 - What is the mean number of unacceptable washers in the sample?

OR

- 3 a) The probability density function for the diameter of a drilled hole in millimeters is $f(x) = 10e^{-10(x-5)}$ for $x > 5$ mm. Although the target diameter is 5 mm, vibrations, tool wear, and other nuisances produce diameters larger than 5 mm. **07**
- Determine the cumulative distribution function.
 - Determine the mean and variance of the diameter of the holes.
 - Determine the probability that a diameter exceeds 5.1 mm.
- b) The manufacturing of semiconductor chips produces 2% defective chips. Assume the chips are independent and that a lot contains 1000 chips. **06**
- Determine the probability that more than 25 chips are defective.
 - Approximate the probability that between 20 and 30 chips are defective.
- c) The thickness of a flange on an aircraft component is uniformly distributed between 0.95 and 1.05 millimeters. **07**
- Determine the cumulative distribution function of flange thickness.
 - Determine the proportion of flanges that exceeds 1.02 millimeters.
 - What thickness is exceeded by 90% of the flanges?

UNIT - III

- 4 a) Distinguish between Point Estimate and interval Estimate with Example. **04**
- b) A machine produces metal rods used in an automobile suspension system. A random sample of 15 rods is selected, and the diameter is measured. The resulting data (in mm) are as follows: **08**
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|------|------|------|------|------|
| 8.24 | 8.25 | 8.2 | 8.23 | 8.24 |
| 8.21 | 8.26 | 8.26 | 8.2 | 8.25 |
| 8.23 | 8.23 | 8.19 | 8.28 | 8.24 |
- Find a 95% two-sided confidence interval on mean rod diameter.
- c) Define method of moments and method of likely hood used in estimation of parameters. **08**

UNIT - IV

- 5 a) A semiconductor manufacturer produces controllers used in automobile engine applications. The customer requires that the process fallout or fraction defective at a critical manufacturing step not exceed 0.05 and that the manufacturer demonstrate process capability at this level of quality using $\alpha = 0.05$. The semiconductor manufacturer takes a random sample of 200 devices **08**

- and finds that four of them are defective. Can the manufacturer demonstrate process capability for the customer?
- b) A postmix beverage machine is adjusted to release a certain amount of syrup into a chamber where it is mixed with carbonated water. A random sample of 25 beverages was found to have a mean syrup content of fluid ounces and a standard deviation of $s = 0.015$ fluid ounces. Find a 95% CI on the mean volume of syrup dispensed. **04**
- c) A research engineer for a tire manufacturer is investigating tire life for a new rubber compound and has built 16 tires and tested them to end-of-life in a road test. The sample mean and standard deviation are 60,139.7 and 3645.94 kilometers. Can you conclude, using $\alpha = 0.05$, that the standard deviation of tire life exceeds 200 kilometers? State any necessary assumptions about the underlying distribution of the data. **08**

OR

- 6 a) The production of radar component is checked by sample of four. The following table shows the number of defective found in 300 samples. **10**

Number of defectives	0	1	2	3	4
Number of samples	90	130	58	20	2

Fit the distribution for the data and test the goodness of the fit at level of significance of 0.05

- b) The diameter of steel rods manufactured on two different extrusion machines is being investigated. Two random samples of sizes $n_1 = 15$ and $n_2 = 17$ are selected, and the sample means and sample variances are $\bar{x}_1 = 8.73$, $s_1^2 = 0.35$, $\bar{x}_2 = 8.68$, and $s_2^2 = 0.40$, respectively. Assume that $\sigma_1^2 = \sigma_2^2$ and that the data are drawn from a normal distribution. Is there evidence to support the claim that the two machines produce rods with different mean diameters? Use $\alpha = 0.05$ in arriving at this conclusion. **06**
- c) Two catalysts may be used in a batch chemical process. Twelve batches were prepared using catalyst 1, resulting in an average yield of 86 and a sample standard deviation of 3. Fifteen batches were prepared using catalyst 2, and they resulted in an average yield of 89 with a standard deviation of 2. Assume that yield measurements are approximately normally distributed with the same standard deviation. **04**

UNIT - V

- 7 a) Distinguish between correlation and regression. **04**
- b) A study was made to model the relation between weekly advertising expenditures and sales. During the study following data were recorded: **12**

Advertising cost	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60
Weekly sales.	400	420	405	480	475	490	525	560	515

- i). Find the equation of the regression line to predict weekly sales from advertising expenditures.
- ii). Estimate the weekly sales when advertising costs are 35.
- iii). Compute Coefficient of determination R^2 and interpret about model.
- iv). Determine coefficient of correlation and comment on correlation.
- c) Enumerate the strategies of experimentation. **04**
