C3-R4 : MATHEMATICAL METHODS FOR COMPUTING

NOTE :

- 1. Answer question 1 and any FOUR questions from 2 to 7.
- 2. Parts of the same questions should be answered together and in the same sequence.

Total Time : 3 Hours	Total Marks : 100

- **1.** (a) A bowl contains 16 chips, of which 6 are red, 7 are white, and 3 are blue. If four chips are taken at random and without replacement, find the probability that :
 - (i) each of the four chips is red;
 - (ii) none of the four chips is red;
 - (iii) there is at least one chip of each color.
 - (b) The joint pdf between stream flows in two rivers is given by

$$f(x, y) = x^2 + \frac{xy}{3} \ 0 \le x \le 1; 0 \le y \le 2$$

Determine $P(X \ge 1/2)$

- (c) Suppose that the probability of a dry day following a rainy day is 1/3 and that the probability of a rainy day following a dry day is 1/2. Given that May 1 is a dry day. Find the probability that May 3 is also a dry day.
- (d) Suppose the people arrive in a bank at a Poisson rate of one per every 4 minutes and that the service time is exponential at a rate of one service per 3 minutes. What is
 - (i) the average number of people in the bank, and
 - (ii) the average time a person spends in the bank ?
- (e) Find f(x) for which the Laplace transform is : $\mathcal{L}(f(x)) = F(s) = \frac{s}{(s^2+16)^2}$
- (f) Solve the following using Simplex method :

Min $Z = -2x_1 = -3x_2$ subjected to the constraints :

$$2x_1 + x_2 \le 4$$
$$x_1 + 2x_2 \le 5,$$
$$x_1, x_2 \ge 0$$

Y	1	2	3	4
1	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{32}$	$\frac{1}{32}$
2	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{32}$	$\frac{1}{32}$
3	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{16}$
4	$\frac{1}{4}$	0	0	0

(g) Let (X, Y) have the following joint distribution :

find H(X), H(Y), and H(X | Y).

(7x4)

- 2. (a) Let X_1 and X_2 have joined pdf $f(x_1, x_2) = 2$ if $0 < x_1 < x_2 < 1$, and = 0 elsewhere Find conditional expectation $E(X_2|X_1=x_1)$, and $E(X_1|X_2=x_2)$.
 - (b) Find the capacity of the channel given by



(10+8)

- **3.** (a) Let p(x), q(x), $x \in \chi$ (range set of a random variable, X), be two probability mass function. Then show that $D(p||q) \ge 0$, with equality if and only of p(x) = q(x) for all x.
 - (b) Solve the following LPP by Simplex method : $Max Z = 2 x_1 + x_2 \text{ subject to}$ $3x_1 + 5x_2 \le 15$ $6x_1 + 2x_2 \le 24,$ $x_1, x_2 \ge 0.$ (9+9)

4. (a) Use the Laplace transform to solve the following :

$$y' + 4 \int_0^t y(s) ds = 6, y(0) = 1$$

(b) Consider the function

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} t, & if \quad t \in [0, 1) \\ 1, & if \quad t \in [1, 2] \end{cases}$$

Find its Fourier series and determine its sum.

(9+9)

- (a) Patients arrive at a doctor's clinic according to Poisson distribution at a rate of 30 patients per hour. The waiting room does not accommodate more than 9 patients. Examination time per patient is exponential with mean rate of 20 per hour. Find the
 - (i) probability that an arriving patient will not wait,
 - (ii) effective arrival rate,
 - (iii) average number of patients in the clinic,
 - (iv) average number of patients in a queue.
 - (b) A petrol pump station has 4 pumps. The service times follow the exponential distribution with a mean of 6 min and cars arrive for service in a Poisson process at the rate of 30 cars per hour.
 - (i) What is the probability that an arrival would have to wait in line ?
 - (ii) Find the average waiting time, average time spent in the system and the average number of cars in the system.

(9+9)

- **6.** (a) If customers arrive at a counter in accordance with a Poisson process with a mean rate of 2 per minute, find the probability that the interval between two consecutive arrivals is
 - (i) more than 1 minute
 - (ii) between 1 minute and 2 minutes
 - (iii) less than 4 or equal to 4 minutes
 - (b) Draw the state diagram of a birth and death process and obtain the balance equations.

(9+9)

7. (a) Use the branch and bound algorithm method to solve the following Integer Linear Programming problem :

$$\operatorname{Max} Z = x_1 + 2x_2$$

such that

$$2x_1 + x_2 \le 7$$

- $x_1 + x_2 \le 3$,
 $x_1, x_2 \ge 0$; x_1, x_2 are positive integers

(b) Solve the following non-linear problem

Min
$$(1-x^2)$$
 subjected to
 $-(x+1)^3 \le 0$
 $(x-2) \le 0$
(10+8)

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