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B.Sc. (Part – I) (Semester – I) Examination, 2011
STATISTICS (Paper – II)
Elementary Probability Theory
Sub. Code : 47817

Day and Date : Monday, 14-11-2011
 Time : 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

Total Marks : 40

- Instructions :** 1) All questions are compulsory.
 2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

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1. Choose the correct alternative :

i) The sample space of an experiment consists of 'n' points, its power set will contain the following number of points.

- a) 2^n b) 3^n c) 2^{n+1} d) 3^{n+1}

ii) If A and B are any two events then the probability of occurrence of either A or B is given by

- a) $P(A \cap B)$ b) $P(A \cup B)$
 c) $P(A)$ d) $P(A \cup B^c)$

iii) A bag contains 5 white and 6 black balls. A ball is drawn at random. The probability that the ball is white will be

- a) $\frac{2}{33}$ b) $\frac{5}{6}$ c) $\frac{6}{11}$ d) $\frac{5}{11}$

iv) Which one of the following is false ?

- a) $P(A \cap B) \leq P(A)$
 b) $P(A) \leq P(A \cup B)$
 c) $P(A \cup B) \leq P(A) + P(B)$
 d) $P(A) > 1$



3. Attempt **any four** of the following :

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i) Define :

- a) Apriori definition and
- b) Axiomatic definition of probability.

ii) Prove that :

a) $P(A \cap B^C) = P(A) - P(A \cap B)$

b) $P(\phi) = 0$

iii) A coin is tossed 3 times, find probability of getting

- a) atleast two heads
- b) atmost two heads

iv) Define :

- a) Partition of sample space
- b) Conditional probability.

v) If A and B are independent events, show that A^C and B^C are also independent.

vi) If $A \subset B$ then show that

a) $P(B | A) = 1$

b) $P(A | B) = \frac{P(A)}{P(B)}$



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B.Sc. (Part – I) (Semester – I) Examination, 2012
STATISTICS (Paper – II)
(Elementary Probability Theory)
Sub. Code : 47817

Day and Date : Friday, 4-5-2012
Time : 11.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m.

Total Marks : 40

Instructions: i) *All questions are compulsory.*
ii) *Figures to the right indicate full marks.*

1. Choose the most **correct** alternative :

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i) Which of the following is not an example of Random experiment ?

- A) Rolling a single die B) Tossing a single coin
C) Reading a book D) Detection of blood group of a person

ii) The sample space of an experiment consists of n points. Its power set will contain the following number of points _____

- A) n B) $2n$ C) n^2 D) 2^n

iii) If A and B are two mutually exclusive events then $P(A^C \cap B)$ is _____

- A) $P(B)$ B) $P(A)$ C) $P(A) + P(B)$ D) $P(A) \cdot P(B)$

iv) If a pair of dice is thrown then the probability that the sum of the two numbers is 7 is _____

- A) $1/36$ B) $1/6$ C) $1/12$ D) $1/24$

v) Which of the following is not an axiom of probability measure ?

- A) $P(\Omega) = 1$ B) $P(A) \geq 0$
C) $P(\Omega) \leq 1$ D) $P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B)$, provided $A \cap B = \phi$

vi) If A and B be any two events defined on a sample space Ω then $P(A \cap B)$ is _____

- A) $P(A) \cdot P(B/A)$ B) $P(B) \cdot P(A/B)$ C) $P(A)/P(B)$ D) both (A) and (B)



vii) If A and B be any two events defined on a sample space Ω then

$P(A/B) + P(A^c/B)$ is _____

- A) 1 B) 0 C) $P(A)$ D) $P(B)$

viii) If A is event, then $P(A/A) =$ _____

- A) 0 B) 1 C) $P(A)$ D) Infinite number

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2. Attempt **any two** of the following :

i) Define the terms :

- a) Random Experiment
- b) Mutually Exclusive Events
- c) Sample space
- d) Power set

ii) For any two events A and B prove that

$$0 \leq P(A \cap B) \leq P(A) \leq P(A \cup B) \leq P(A) + P(B)$$

iii) State and Prove Baye's theorem.

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3. Attempt **any four** from the following :

i) With usual notation prove that if $A \subset B$ then $P(A) \leq P(B)$.

ii) Suppose that A, B, C are events such that $P(A) = P(B) = P(C) = \frac{1}{4}$ and $P(A \cap B) = P(B \cap C) = 0$ and $P(A \cap C) = \frac{1}{8}$. Then evaluate Probability of at least one of the event A, B, C occurs.

iii) If A, B, C are any three events defined on Ω with $P(C) > 0$ then show that $P(A \cup B / C) = P(A / C) + P(B / C) - P(A \cap B / C)$.

iv) Define Pairwise and mutual independence for any three events.

v) If A and B are independent events, show that A^c and B^c are also independent.

vi) If 3 books are picked up at random from shelf containing 5 Novels, 3 book of poems, a dictionary. Find probability that

- a) 2 novels and 1 book of poem is selected
- b) A dictionary is selected.

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BSc.(Part - I) (Semester - I) Examination, 2013

STATISTICS (Paper - II) (Revised)

Elementary Probability Theory

Sub. Code : 55732

Day and Date : Thursday, 02 - 05 - 2013

Total Marks : 50

Time : 11.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m.

Instructions : 1) All the questions are compulsory.

2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

Q1) Choose the most correct alternative:

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- a) For any two events A and B which one of the following is true?
- i) $P(A \cap \bar{B}) = P(B) - P(A \cap B)$ ii) $P(A \cap \bar{B}) = P(A) - P(A \cap B)$
 iii) $P(A \cap B) = P(B) - P(A \cap \bar{B})$ iv) None of these
- b) If $A \subset B$, then the probability, $P(A | B)$ is equal to ____.
- i) Zero ii) One,
 iii) $P(A) / P(B)$, iv) $P(B) / P(A)$
- c) Given that $P(A) = \frac{1}{3}$, $P(B) = \frac{3}{4}$ And $p(A \cup B) = \frac{11}{12}$ then $P(A/B)$ is ____
- i) $1/4$ ii) $2/9$
 iii) $1/2$ iv) None of these
- d) If $P(\bar{A} / A)$ is :
- i) 0 ii) 1
 iii) 0.5 iv) 0.25
- e) The sample space of an experiment consists of 'n' points. Its power set will contain ____ points.
- i) 2^n ii) 3^n
 iii) $2^n + 1$ iv) None of these

- f) $P(A/B) + P(\bar{A}/B)$ is:
- i) 0
 - ii) 1
 - iii) 0.5
 - iv) None of these
- g) If A and B are independent events, then $P(A \cap B)$ is ____.
- i) $P(A) / P(B)$
 - ii) $P(A) + P(B)$
 - iii) $P(A) \cdot P(B)$
 - iv) None of these
- h) If A is certain event and $P(B)=1$, the conditional Probability, $P(A/B)$ is ____.
- i) Zero
 - ii) $P(B)$
 - iii) one
 - iv) None of these
- i) The Probability of all possible outcome of a random experiment is always equal to ____.
- i) Infinity
 - ii) Zero
 - iii) One
 - iv) None of these
- j) The definition of classical-probability was originally given by ____.
- i) Demoivre
 - ii) Laplace
 - iii) Pascal
 - iv) Von - Mises

Q2) Attempt any two of the following

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- a) With usual notation, prove that,
- i) $P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$
 - ii) $P[(A \cap \bar{B}) \cup (\bar{A} \cap B)] = P(A) + P(B) - 2P(A \cap B)$
- b) Define pair wise independence and mutually independence of three events A, B and C. Let $\Omega = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ and assume that each point has the probability $1/4$. Let $A = \{1, 2\}$, $B = \{1, 3\}$, $C = \{1, 4\}$. Examine independence of A, B and C.
- c) State and prove Baye's theorem.

Q3) Attempt any four of the following

- a) For any two events A and B, show that

$$P(A \cap \bar{B}) = P(A) - P(A \cap B)$$

- b) If A and B are independent events then prove that A and \bar{B} are also independent.

- c) If $A \subset B$, then prove that,

i) $P(B | A) = 1$,

ii) $P(A) \leq P(B)$.

- d) If the events A, B, and C form a partition of the sample space Ω . And if $3P(A) = 2P(B) = P(C)$ find $P(A \cup B)$

- e) With usual notations, show that:

i) $P(\Phi) = 0$

ii) $P(\bar{A}) = 1 - P(A)$

- f) A coin and a die are tossed simultaneously,

- i) Write a sample space for the above experiment.

- ii) Find the probability of getting head and even number.

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B.Sc. (Part - I) (Semester - I) Examination, Nov. - 2014

STATISTICS (Paper- II)

Elementary Probability Theory

Sub. Code: 59679

Total Marks :50

Day and Date : Wednesday, 5-11-2014

Time :12.00 noon to 2.00 p.m.

- Instructions :**
- 1) All questions are compulsory.
 - 2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

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Q1) Choose the most correct alternative:

- a) Random experiment has _____ outcomes.
 - i) only one
 - ii) only two
 - iii) at least two
 - iv) at most two
- b) Occurrence of an event A or B but not both is denoted by _____
 - i) $(A \cap B^c) \cup (A^c \cap B)$
 - ii) $A \cap B^c$
 - iii) $(A \cap B)^c$
 - iv) $(A \cup B)$
- c) Which of the following statement is always true?
 - i) $A = A \cup \Omega$
 - ii) $A = A \cap \Phi$
 - iii) $A = (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap B^c)$
 - iv) $A = (A \cap B) \cap (A \cap B^c)$
- d) Elementary event has _____ outcome/s.
 - i) only one
 - ii) at least one
 - iii) more than one
 - iv) zero
- e) Power set is a set of all possible _____ of a sample space.
 - i) elements
 - ii) subsets
 - iii) outcomes
 - iv) powers
- f) Range for probability is _____.
 - i) 0 to 1
 - ii) 0 to ∞
 - iii) -1 to 1
 - iv) $-\infty$ to ∞
- g) If $A \subset B$ then which of the following is true?
 - i) $P(A) < P(B)$
 - ii) $P(B) < P(A)$
 - iii) $P(A) = P(B)$
 - iv) none of these

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- h) If odds in favor of an event A are 2:3 then $P(A) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$.
- i) $\frac{2}{5}$ ii) $\frac{3}{5}$
iii) 0.2 iv) 0.3
- i) If A and B are exhaustive events then $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$.
- i) $A \cup B = \Omega$ ii) $A \cap B = A$
iii) $A \cap B = \Phi$ iv) $A \cup B = B$
- j) If A and B are independent events then which of the followings is not true?
- i) $P(A^c \cap B^c) = P(A^c)P(B^c)$ ii) $P(A \cap B^c) = P(A)P(B^c)$
iii) $P(A^c \cap B) = P(A^c)P(B)$ iv) $P(A \cap B) = P(A) + P(B)$

Q2) Attempt any two of the following. [20]

- Attempt any two of the following.
- State and prove addition law of probability for two events A and B. State the result for three events.
 - Give an axiomatic definition of probability. Show that conditional probability satisfies the axioms of probability.
 - State Baye's theorem. In a lot of total production, contribution of products manufactured on machine M1, M2 and M3 is 45%, 30% and 25% respectively. Proportion of defectives due to machines M1, M2 and M3 are 5%, 7% and 10% respectively. What is probability that a product selected at random from such a lot is produced on machine M2 if it was found to be non-defective?

Q3) Attempt any four of the following. [20]

- Attempt any four of the following.
- Explain through an example a concept of a partition of sample space by events.
 - If two fair dice are tossed independently then what is probability that absolute difference between face values on first and second dice is not more than 3?
 - If $\Omega = \{\omega_1, \omega_2, \omega_3, \omega_4\}$, $A = \{\omega_1, \omega_2\}$, $B = \{\omega_2, \omega_3\}$ and $C = \{\omega_1, \omega_3\}$ then discuss about pair wise independence and mutual independence of these three events A, B and C.
 - If A and B are independent events with $P(A) = 1/2$ and $P(B) = 1/4$ then obtain $P(A \cup B)$ and $P(A/B)$.
 - If A and B are independent events then show that A^c and B^c are also independent events.
 - Write a power set in an experiment of tossing a coin.

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B.Sc. (Part - I) (Semester - I) Examination, April - 2015**STATISTICS (Paper - II) (Regular)****Elementary Probability Theory****Sub. Code: 59679****Day and Date : Monday, 27-04-2015****Total Marks : 50****Time : 12.00 noon to 2.00 p.m.****Instructions : 1) All questions are compulsory.****2) Figures to right indicate full marks.****Q1) Choose the correct alternative:****[10]**

a) The probability that a leap year will have 53 Sundays is ———.

i) $\frac{1}{7}$

ii) $\frac{2}{7}$

iii) $\frac{2}{365}$

iv) $\frac{2}{366}$

b) If the sample space contains n elements then its power set contains — elements.

i) 2^n

ii) 3^n

iii) $2n$

iv) n^2

c) Which of the following is not axiom of probability ———.

i) $P(\Omega)=1$

ii) $P(A)\geq 0$

iii) $P(\Omega)\leq 1$

iv) $P(A\cup B)=P(A)+P(B)$, provided $A\cap B=\phi$

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B.Sc. (Part - I) (Semester - I) Examination, April - 2015

STATISTICS (Paper - II) (Regular)

Elementary Probability Theory

Sub. Code: 59679

Day and Date : Monday, 27-04-2015

Total Marks : 50

Time : 12.00 noon to 2.00 p.m.

- Instructions : 1) All questions are compulsory.
2) Figures to right indicate full marks.

Q1) Choose the correct alternative:

[10]

a) The probability that a leap year will have 53 Sundays is _____.

i) $\frac{1}{7}$

ii) $\frac{2}{7}$

iii) $\frac{2}{365}$

iv) $\frac{2}{366}$

b) If the sample space contains n elements then its power set contains _____ elements.

i) 2^n

ii) 3^n

iii) $2n$

iv) n^2

c) Which of the following is not axiom of probability _____.

i) $P(\Omega)=1$

ii) $P(A) \geq 0$

iii) $P(\Omega) \leq 1$

iv) $P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B)$, provided $A \cap B = \phi$

d) If $A \cap B = \phi$, $A \cup B = \Omega$ and $P(A) = 2 P(B)$ then the value of $P(B) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$.

i) $\frac{1}{3}$

ii) $\frac{2}{3}$

iii) 1

iv) 0

e) If $A \subset B$ then $P(A|B) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$.

i) 1

ii) $\frac{P(A)}{P(B)}$

iii) $\frac{P(B)}{P(A)}$

iv) 0

f) If $P(A) = 0.3$, $P(B) = 0.4$ and A and B are mutually exclusive then $P(A^c|B^c) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$.

i) 0.3

ii) 0.4

iii) 0.12

iv) 0.5

g) If A and B are Independent events then $P(A|B)$ is $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$.

i) $P(A)$

ii) $P(B)$

iii) $\frac{P(A)}{P(B)}$

iv) 1

h) For a sample space $\Omega = \{\omega_1, \omega_2, \omega_3, \omega_4\}$

$P(\omega_1) = P(\omega_2) = \frac{1}{8}$, $P(\omega_3) = k$, $P(\omega_4) = \frac{3}{8}$. For what value of k will this be a probability model

i) 0

ii) 1

iii) $\frac{1}{8}$

iv) $\frac{3}{8}$

i) Symbolic notation of occurrence of both the events A and B is _____.

i) $A \cup B$

ii) $A \cap B$

iii) $(A \cup B)^c$

iv) $(A \cap B)^c$

j) If A and B are two independent events such that $P(A) = P(B) = \frac{1}{2}$, then $P(A \cap B^c)$ is _____.

i) 1

ii) $\frac{1}{2}$

iii) $\frac{1}{4}$

iv) 0

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Q2) Attempt any two of the following:

a) Define the following terms:

i) Sample space.

ii) Event.

iii) Impossible event.

iv) Mutually exclusive events.

v) Exhaustive events.

b) Give axiomatic definition of probability. State and prove addition theorem of probability for two events A and B.

c) Define pairwise and mutual independence for three events A, B and C. Suppose a box contains four tickets numbered 554, 545, 455 and 444. One ticket is drawn randomly. Let A_i ($i = 1, 2, 3$) be the event that the i^{th} digit of the number on the ticket is 5. Discuss the independence of events A_1 , A_2 and A_3 .

Q3) Attempt any four of the following:

- a) If A and B are any two events defined on sample space Ω then prove that
 - i) $P(A|A^c) = 0$.
 - ii) $P(A \cap B^c) = P(A) - P(A \cap B)$.
- b) For any two events A and B, Show that $P(A \cap B) \geq P(A) + P(B) - 1$.
- c) Define:
 - i) Partition of sample space.
 - ii) Baye's theorem.
- d) If A, B and C are three events defined on Ω with $P(B) > 0$ then show that $P[(A \cup C)|B] = P[A|B] + P[C|B] - P[(A \cap C)|B]$.
- e) If $P(A) = x$, $P(B) = y$, $P(A \cap B) = z$ then express
 - i) $P(A \cup B)$.
 - ii) $P(A^c \cap B)$.
 - iii) $P(A^c \cap B^c)$.
 - iv) $P(A^c \cup B^c)$.
 - v) $P(A \cup B)^c$.
- f) If A and B are Independent events then show that A^c and B^c are also Independent.



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B.Sc. (Part - I) (Semester - I) Examination, November- 2015
STATISTICS (Paper - II) (New)
Elementary Probability Theory
Sub. Code : 59679

Day and Date : Monday, 23 - 11 - 2015

Time : 12.00 noon to 02.00 p.m.

Total Marks : 50

- Instructions : 1) All questions are compulsory.
 2) Figures to the right indicates full marks.

Q1) Choose the most correct alternative. [10]

- a) If A and B are any two events defined on sample space Ω then symbolic notation for at least one of the two events A or B occurs is _____.
 i) $A \cup B$ ii) $A \cap B$
 iii) $A^c \cap B$ iv) $A \cap B^c$
- b) The probability of sure event is _____.
 i) 0 ii) 1
 iii) 0.5 iv) 0.2
- c) If sample space of an experiment consists of 'n' points then, total number of elements in its power set is _____.
 i) 2^n ii) $3n$
 iii) $2n+1$ iv) 3^n
- d) If events A and B are independent, then which of the following is true?
 i) $P(A^c \cap B) = P(A^c).P(B)$
 ii) $P(A \cap B^c) = P(A).P(B^c)$
 iii) $P(A^c \cap B^c) = P(A^c).P(B^c)$
 iv) all of these

- e) The condition for events A and B to form partition of sample space Ω is _____
- i) $A \cap B = \Phi$ ii) $A \cup B = \Omega$
 iii) both (i) and (ii) iv) any one of A or B
- f) Which one of the following is not an example of random experiment?
- i) Rolling a die
 ii) Tossing a coin
 iii) Detection of blood group of a person
 iv) Throwing a ball in air
- g) If A and B are mutually exclusive events then, $P(A/A \cup B)$ is equal to _____
- i) $\frac{P(A)}{P(A)+P(B)}$ ii) $\frac{P(A \cup B)}{P(A)+P(B)}$
 iii) $\frac{P(B)}{P(A)+P(B)}$ iv) $\frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(A)+P(B)}$
- h) If $B \subset A$ then, $P(A/B)$ is _____
- i) 0 ii) 1
 iii) $\frac{P(A)}{P(B)}$ iv) $\frac{P(B)}{P(A)}$
- i) If $P(A) = \frac{1}{3}$, $P(B^c) = \frac{3}{4}$ and $P(A \cap B) = \frac{1}{6}$ then $P(A^c \cap B)$ is _____
- i) $\frac{1}{6}$ ii) $\frac{1}{12}$
 iii) $\frac{7}{12}$ iv) $\frac{2}{12}$
- j) If A and B are mutually exclusive and exhaustive events, and if $P(A) = 0.6$ then value of $P(B)$ is _____
- i) 0.6 ii) 0.4
 iii) 0 iv) 0.1

Q2) Attempt any two of the following:

- a) Define the following terms with suitable example
 - i) Sample space
 - ii) Power set of Sample space
 - iii) Complement of Event
 - iv) Intersection of events
 - v) Mutually exclusive events

- b) For any two events A and B, prove that

- i) $P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$

- ii) $P(A/B) \geq \frac{P(A) + P(B) - 1}{P(B)}$

- c) Define pairwise independence and mutual independence of events A, B and C. A fair coin is tossed twice and A, B and C are defined as follows

A: Tail on first toss

B: Tail on second toss

C: same face on both the tosses.

Show that A, B and C are pairwise independent but not mutually independent.

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Q3) Attempt any four of the following:

- a) Define
 - i) Apriori probability
 - ii) Axiomatic probability
- b) If $A \subset B$ then prove that,
 - i) $P(B/A) = 1$
 - ii) $P(A) \leq P(B)$
- c) If A and B are independent events with $P(A) = 0.25$ and $P(B) = 0.3$, find $P(A \cup B)$ and $P(A^c \cap B^c)$.
- d) A bag contains 8 white and 3 black balls. Two balls are drawn at random. Find the probability that both of them are white.
- e) With usual notations, prove that.
 - i) $P(\Phi) = 0$
 - ii) $0 \leq P(A) \leq 1$
- f) If A and B are events defined on sample space Ω then, prove that $P(A^c/B) = 1 - P(A/B)$



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B.Sc. (Part - I) (Semester - I) Examination, October - 2017

STATISTICS

Elementary Probability Theory (Paper - II)

Sub. Code : 59679

Day and Date : Tuesday, 31 - 10 - 2017

Total Marks : 50

Time : 12.00 noon to 2.00 p.m.

- Instructions :**
- 1) All questions are compulsory.
 - 2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

Q1) Choose the most correct alternative : [10]

- a) The probability of a non-leap year will have 53 Monday is _____.
- i) $\frac{1}{7}$ ii) $\frac{2}{7}$
- iii) 1 iv) 0
- b) If the sample space Ω contains 3 elements then its power set $P(\Omega)$ contains _____ elements.
- i) 8 ii) 6
- iii) 3 iv) 9
- c) If the events A and B are mutually exclusive and exhaustive and $P(A) = 2P(B)$ then $P(A) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$.
- i) $\frac{1}{3}$ ii) $\frac{2}{3}$
- iii) $\frac{1}{2}$ iv) 1
- d) If $B \subset A$ then $P(B/A) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$.
- i) $\frac{P(A)}{P(B)}$ ii) 1
- iii) 0 iv) $\frac{P(B)}{P(A)}$

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- e) Symbolic notation of non-occurrence of both the events A and B is ____.
- i) $A^c \cap B^c$ ii) $(A \cup B)^c$
- iii) Both (i) and (ii) iv) $A^c \cup B^c$
- f) If A and B are independent events then $P(A/B) =$ ____.
- i) $P(B)$ ii) $P(A)$
- iii) 0 iv) $\frac{P(A)}{P(B)}$
- g) If the events A, B, C form partition of sample space and if $P(A) = 0.35$, $P(B) = k$, $P(C) = 0.21$ then $k =$ ____.
- i) 0.44 ii) 0.56
- iii) 0.35 iv) 0.21
- h) If Ω is the sample space and A be any event defined on sample space Ω then $P(\Omega/A) =$ ____.
- i) Zero ii) One
- iii) $P(A)$ iv) $\frac{1}{P(A)}$
- i) If A and B are independent events then ____.
- i) $P(A \cap B) = P(A) \cdot P(B)$ ii) $P(A/B) = P(A)$
- iii) $P(B/A) = P(B)$ iv) All are true
- j) If $P(A) = 0.3$, $P(B) = 0.4$, $P(A \cup B) = 0.5$ then $P(A/B)$ is ____.
- i) 0.2 ii) 0.5
- iii) 0.4 iv) 0.3

Q2) Attempt any two of the following :

[20]

- a) Define the following terms :
- i) Sample space.
- ii) Mutually exclusive events.
- iii) Equally likely events.
- iv) Conditional probability of A given B.
- v) Partition of sample space.

- b) State and prove the Bayes' theorem.
- c) Define pairwise independence and mutual independence for three events A, B, C. Let $\Omega = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ and assume that each point has the probability $\frac{1}{4}$. Let $A = \{1, 2\}$, $B = \{1, 3\}$, $C = \{1, 4\}$. Examine independence of A, B and C.

Q3) Attempt any four of the following :

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- a) State and prove addition theorem of probability.
- b) For any two events A and B show that $P(A \cap B) \geq P(A) + P(B) - 1$.
- c) If $A \subset B$, prove that $P(A^c \cap B) = P(B) - P(A)$ hence deduce that $P(A) \leq P(B)$.
- d) If A and B are mutually exclusive events then show that
- i) $P(A/B) = 0$ ii) $P(A/B^c) = \frac{P(A)}{1 - P(B)}$
- e) If A and B are independent events then show that A^c & B^c are also independent.
- f) The odds against A solving a certain problem are 8 : 6 and the odds in favour of B solving the same problem are 14 : 10. Then if both of them try, find the probability that problem would be solved.



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STATISTICS

Sub. Code : 59679

Total Marks : 50

Time : 12.00 noon to 2.00 p.m.

Instructions :

- 1) All questions are compulsory.
- 2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
- 3) Use of calculator is allowed.

Q1) Choose the most correct alternative : **[10]**

- a) If A and B are any two events defined on Ω , then symbolic notation for both A and B does not occur is denoted by _____.
- i) $(A \cup B)^c$ ii) $A \cap B$
- iii) $A^c \cap B^c$ iv) $A^c \cup B^c$
- b) Which of the following is an axiom of probability _____.
- i) $P(\Omega)=1$ ii) $P(A) \geq 0$
- iii) $P(A \cup B)=P(A)+P(B)$ iv) Only (i) and (ii)
- c) If a sample space contains 4 elements, then its power set $IP(\Omega)$ contains _____ elements.
- i) 4 ii) 2^4
- iii) 3^4 iv) 4^3
- d) The odds in favor of an event A are 10 : 5 then $P(A^c) =$ _____.
- i) $1/3$ ii) $9/15$
- iii) $1/2$ iv) $2/3$

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- e) The range of conditional probability is _____.
i) 0 to 1 ii) -1 to 1
iii) 0 to ∞ iv) None of these
- f) If $B \subset A$ then, $P(A/B)$ is _____.
i) 0 ii) 1
iii) $\frac{P(A)}{P(B)}$ iv) $\frac{P(B)}{P(A)}$
- g) A box contains 6 black and 4 white balls. Two balls are drawn one after other without replacement. The probability that both are black is _____.
i) $\frac{1}{3}$ ii) $\frac{2}{15}$
iii) $\frac{2}{3}$ iv) $\frac{6}{25}$
- h) If A and B are mutually exclusive events then, $P(A/A \cup B)$ is equal to _____.
i) $\frac{P(A)}{P(A)+P(B)}$ ii) $\frac{P(A \cup B)}{P(A)+P(B)}$
iii) $\frac{P(B)}{P(A)+P(B)}$ iv) $\frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(A)+P(B)}$
- i) If A and B are any two events defined on a sample space, then probability of only event A occurs is given by _____.
i) $P(A)$ ii) $P(A \cup B^c)$
iii) $1 - P(A^c) - P(A \cap B)$ iv) $P(B) - P(A \cap B)$

j) If A and B are independent events, then $P(A^c \cap B)$ is equal to ____.

i) $P(A^c) [1 - P(B^c)]$

ii) $1 - P(A \cup B)^c$

iii) $P(A) P(B^c)$

iv) $P(B) - P(A \cup B)$

Q2) Attempt any two of the following :

[20]

a) Define the following terms with suitable example

i) Sample space.

ii) Intersection of two events.

iii) Apriori (classical) definition of probability.

iv) Conditional probability.

v) Power set.

b) A box contains four tickets with numbers 111, 121, 211, 221 and one ticket is drawn from the box at random. Let A_i ($i = 1, 2, 3$) be the event that i^{th} digit of the number on the ticket drawn is 1. Discuss the independence of A_1 , A_2 & A_3 .

c) Define the partition of sample space. State and prove the Baye's theorem.

Q3) Attempt any four of the following :

[20]

a) With usual notation prove that

i) $P(A^c) = 1 - P(A)$.

ii) $P(A|B) \geq \frac{P(A) + P(B) - 1}{P(B)}$.

b) State and prove addition law of probability for two events A and B.

c) Two urns identical in appearance contains respectively 3 white, 2 black and 2 white, 5 black balls. One urn is selected at random and a ball is drawn from it. What is the probability that it is a black ball?

- d) If $P(A) = k$, $P(B) = 0.4$ and $P(A \cup B) = 0.8$ find the value of k if
- i) A and B are independent.
 - ii) A and B are mutually exclusive events.
- e) If A and B are independent events then show that A^c and B^c are also independent.
- f) If $P(A|B^c) > P(A)$ then show that $P(A) > P(A|B)$.

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