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III Semester B.Sc. Examination, March/April 2022
(F+R) (CBCS) (2018-19 and Onwards)
STATISTICS (Paper – III)
Statistical Inference – I

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 70

- Instructions :** i) Answer **any ten** subdivisions in Section – A and **five** questions from Section – B.
ii) **Scientific calculators are allowed.**

SECTION – A

(10×2=20)

I. Answer **any ten** sub-divisions from the following :

- 1) a) What is sampling distribution ?
- b) Define standard error and mention its uses.
- c) Given T is an estimator of a parameter θ , then prove that $MSE(T) \geq V(T)$.
- d) Define consistency and mention the sufficient conditions for consistency.
- e) Write a note on Fisher's information in terms of expectation.
- f) State the Cramer-Rao inequality.
- g) State the properties of moment estimator.
- h) What is interval estimation ? Explain.
- i) Write down the confidence interval for μ of $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$.
- j) Write confidence interval for population correlation coefficient ρ with confidence coefficient $(1 - \alpha)$.
- k) What is meant by Monte Carlo method of simulation ?
- l) Mention the disadvantages of simulation.

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SECTION - B

(5×10=50)

II. Answer **any five** questions from the following :

- 2) a) Obtain sampling distribution of sample mean \bar{x} , when the random sample of size 'n' is drawn from $N(\mu, \sigma_0^2)$ distribution.
- b) Derive the moment generating function of chi-square distribution and hence establish additive property. **(4+6)**
- 3) a) Obtain the expression for even ordered moments of t-distribution with 'n' degrees of freedom.
- b) If $F \sim F(n_1, n_2)$ distribution, then prove that $\frac{1}{F} \sim F(n_2, n_1)$ distribution. **(5+5)**
- 4) a) Show that sample mean \bar{x} is the unbiased estimator for the population mean μ of $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$.
- b) Show that the Cauchy population $f(x, \mu) = \frac{1}{\pi[1+(x-\mu)^2]}$, $-\infty \leq x \leq \infty$ the sample mean is not a consistent estimator, but sample median is a consistent estimator. **(4+6)**
- 5) a) Define efficiency. If x_1, x_2, x_3 are three independent observations from a population with mean μ and variance σ^2 , if $T_1 = x_1 + x_2 - x_3$ and $T_2 = 2x_1 + 3x_2 - 4x_3$ are two estimates of μ , then
- Which one is unbiased ?
 - Which one is more efficient ?
- b) Show that $\sum_{i=1}^n X_i$ is sufficient estimator of p of $B(1, p)$. **(6+4)**
- 6) a) Define sufficiency and state the theorem used to obtain sufficient estimator.
- b) Derive the Minimum Variance Bound Estimator (MVBE) of μ in $N(\mu, \sigma_0^2)$ distribution and find its variance. **(4+6)**



7. a) Find the maximum likelihood estimator for the parameter 'θ' in the distribution with pdf $f(x, \theta) = \theta e^{-\theta x}$, $x \geq 0$, $\theta > 0$.
- b) Estimate p in a sampling from binomial population $f(x, n, p) = {}^n C_x p^x q^{n-x}$, $x = 0, 1, \dots, n$ by method of moments. **(5+5)**
8. a) Obtain 100 (1 - α)% C.I. for the mean μ of a normal population $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$.
- b) Construct confidence interval for the ratio of two variances. **(5+5)**
9. a) Explain the method of generating random samples from $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ population.
- b) Explain the method of generating random samples from exponential distribution. **(5+5)**
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