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Indian Institute of Information Technology, Sri City, Chittoor
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UG-1, Second Sem

Name of the Exam: P & S (S1)

Duration: 20 Minutes

Feb 14, 2026

Max. Marks: 15

Instructions:

1. Calculators are allowed.
2. All questions are mandatory and carry equal mark.
3. Tick only the right option. If we find two ticks for one question, '0' marks will be awarded.
4. Rough work should not be done in the question paper.
5. Return the question paper along with the rough sheet before leaving the exam hall.

1. The expected number of distinct units in a simple random sample of 3 units drawn with replacement from a population of 100 units is

- (a) $3 - \left(\frac{99}{100}\right)^3$
- (b) $100 - \frac{99^3}{100^2}$
- (c) $2 + \frac{99^2}{100^3}$
- (d) $3 - \left(\frac{99}{100}\right)^2$

2. If a random variable X has a Poisson distribution with mean 7, then the expression $E[(X+2)^2]$ equals

- (a) 25
- (b) 45
- (c) 54
- (d) 88

3. Let E and F be two events such that $0 < P(E) < 1$, $0 < P(F) < 1$, and $P(E \cap F) > P(E)P(F)$. Which of the following statements is TRUE?

- (a) $P(E | F^c) > P(E)$

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- (b) $P(E | F) > P(E)$
- (c) $P(F | E^c) > P(F)$
- (d) E and F are independent

4. Compute the median for the exponential distribution with parameter λ .

- (a) $\frac{\ln(2)}{\lambda}$
- (b) $\frac{\ln(2)}{2\lambda}$
- (c) $\frac{2\ln(2)}{\lambda}$
- (d) $\frac{\ln(3)}{\lambda}$

5. Which one of the following statements is not true?

- (a) The measure of skewness is dependent upon the amount of dispersion
- (b) In a symmetric distribution, the values of mean, mode and median are the same
- (c) In a positively skewed distribution, mean $>$ median $>$ mode
- (d) In a negatively skewed distribution, mode $>$ mean $>$ median

6. For a random variable X (where $-\infty < x < \infty$) following normal distribution, the mean is $\mu = 100$. If the probability is $P(X \geq 110) = \alpha$. Then the probability of X lying between 90 and 110, i.e., $P(90 \leq X \leq 110)$ is equal to

- (a) $1 - 2\alpha$
- (b) $1 - \alpha$
- (c) $1 - \frac{\alpha}{2}$
- (d) 2α

7. A probability density function on the interval $[a, 1]$ is given by $\frac{1}{x^2}$ and outside this interval the value of the function is zero. The value of a is:

- (a) 0.05
- (b) 0.075
- (c) 0.25
- (d) 0.5

8. The lifetime of a component of a certain type is a random variable whose probability density function is exponentially distributed with parameter 2. For a randomly picked component of this type, the probability that its lifetime exceeds the expected lifetime (rounded to 2 decimal places) is

- (a) 0.37
- (b) 0.63
- (c) 0.27
- (d) 0.43

9. Let $\{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ represent the outcomes of a random experiment, and $P(\{1\}) = P(\{2\}) = P(\{3\}) = P(\{4\}) = \frac{1}{4}$. Suppose that $A_1 = \{1, 2\}$, $A_2 = \{2, 3\}$, $A_3 = \{3, 4\}$, and $A_4 = \{1, 2, 3\}$. Then which of the following statements is true?

- (a) A_1 and A_2 are not independent.
- (b) A_3 and A_4 are independent.
- (c) A_1 and A_4 are not independent.
- (d) A_2 and A_4 are independent.

10. The probability of getting a "head" in a single toss of a biased coin is 0.3. The coin is tossed repeatedly until a "head" is obtained. If the tosses are independent, then the probability of getting a "head" for the first time on the 5th toss is

- (a) 0.072
- (b) 0.052
- (c) 0.067
- (d) 0.085

11. Let X be a random variable with cumulative distribution function given by

$$F(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } x < 0, \\ \frac{x+1}{3}, & \text{if } 0 \leq x < 1, \\ 1, & \text{if } x \geq 1. \end{cases}$$

Then the value of $P(\frac{1}{3} < X < \frac{3}{4}) + P(X = 0)$ is equal to

- (a) $\frac{7}{36}$
- (b) $\frac{11}{36}$
- (c) $\frac{13}{36}$
- (d) $\frac{17}{36}$

12. The moment generating function of an integer valued random variable X is given by

$$M_X(t) = \frac{1}{10} (2 + e^t + 4e^{2t} + 3e^{3t}) e^{-t}.$$

Then $P(2X + 5 < 7)$ is equal to

- (a) $\frac{3}{10}$
- (b) $\frac{7}{10}$
- (c) 1
- (d) $\frac{4}{10}$

13. Assume that $X \sim \text{Binomial}(n, p)$ for some $n \geq 1$ and $0 < p < 1$ and $Y \sim \text{Poisson}(\lambda)$ for some $\lambda > 0$. Suppose $E(X) = E(Y)$. Then

- (a) $\text{Var}(X) = \text{Var}(Y)$
- (b) $\text{Var}(Y) < \text{Var}(X)$
- (c) $\text{Var}(X) < \text{Var}(Y)$

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(d) $\text{Var}(X)$ may be larger or smaller than $\text{Var}(Y)$ depending on the values of n, p, λ .

14. Let the continuous r.v. X denote the weight (in pounds) of a package. The range of weight of packages is between 45 and 60 pounds. Determine the probability that a package weighs more than 50 pounds.

- (a) $\frac{1}{3}$
- (b) $\frac{8}{9}$
- (c) $\frac{4}{3}$
- (d) $\frac{2}{3}$

15. In a population, 2% of people have a certain genetic condition. A test has been developed to detect this condition, and it correctly identifies the condition in 90% of cases. However, it also produces a false positive result in 5% of cases for people who do not have the condition. If a randomly selected person tests positive, what is the probability that they actually have the genetic condition?

- (a) $\frac{19}{65}$
- (b) $\frac{17}{65}$
- (c) $\frac{16}{67}$
- (d) $\frac{18}{67}$
