

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS

Course: Linear Algebra and Probability Theory	CIE-I	Maximum marks: 50
Course code: MAT231CT	Third semester 2023-2024 Branch: CS, CD, CY	Time: 10:00AM-11:30AM Date: 08-01-2024

Instructions to candidates:

Answer all questions.

Q.No	QUESTIONS	M	BT	CO																		
1	Let $\mathbb{R}^2, \mathbb{R}^3, P_4$ (set of all polynomials of degree 4 or less with real coefficients) and $M_{2 \times 2}$ (set of all 2×2 real matrices) be vector spaces with usual addition and scalar multiplication. Verify whether the following sets forms a subspace or not. Justify your answer. i) $S_1 = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid y = x^2 \right\}$ of \mathbb{R}^2 ii) $S_2 = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid 2x = 3y \right\}$ of \mathbb{R}^2 iii) $S_3 = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid x - 4y + 5z = 0 \right\}$ of \mathbb{R}^3 iv) $S_4 = \{f(x) \in P_4 \mid f(1) \text{ is an integer}\}$ v) $S_5 = \{A \in M_{2 \times 2} \mid \det(A) \neq 0\}$.	10	2	2																		
2.a	Let $u = (1,3,2,1), v = (2, -2, -5,4), w = (2, -1,3,6)$ be vectors in \mathbb{R}^4 . If possible express $t = (2,5, -4,0)$ as a linear combination of u, v and w .	5	2	2																		
2.b	Determine whether the set of vectors $S = \{1 + x - 2x^2, 2 + 5x - x^2, x + x^2\}$ in P_2 is linearly independent or linearly dependent.	5	2	2																		
3.a	Discrete random variable has the probability mass function as follows: <table border="1"><tr><td>x</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>2</td><td>3</td><td>4</td><td>5</td><td>6</td><td>7</td></tr><tr><td>$p_X(x)$</td><td>0</td><td>k</td><td>$2k$</td><td>$2k$</td><td>$3k$</td><td>$3k^2$</td><td>$2k^2$</td><td>$7k^2 + k$</td></tr></table> i) Determine the value of k ii) Compute the probabilities $P(X \geq 5), P(X < 3)$ and $P(2 < X \leq 5)$ iii) Find expectation of X .	x	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	$p_X(x)$	0	k	$2k$	$2k$	$3k$	$3k^2$	$2k^2$	$7k^2 + k$	6	1	1
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3.b	A shipment of 7 television sets contains 2 defective sets. A hotel makes a random purchase of 3 of the sets. If x is the number of defective sets purchased by the hotel, find the probability and cumulative distribution of X .	4	2	2																		
4.a	The total number of hours, measured in units of 100 hours, that a family runs a vacuum cleaner over a period of one year is a continuous random variable X that has the density function $p(x) = \begin{cases} x, & 0 < x < 1, \\ 2 - x, & 1 \leq x < 2, \\ 0, & \text{elsewhere.} \end{cases}$ Find the probability that over a period of one year, a family runs their vacuum cleaner i) less than 120 hours; ii) between 50 and 100 hours.	6	2	2																		

4.b	<p>The waiting time, in hours, between successive speeders spotted by a radar unit is a continuous random variable with cumulative distribution function</p> $F(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & x < 0, \\ 1 - e^{-8x}, & x \geq 0. \end{cases}$ <p>Find the probability density function and the probability of waiting less than 12 minutes between successive speeders.</p>	4	2	2																					
5.a	<p>Let X denote the number of times a certain numerical control machine will malfunction: 1, 2, or 3 times on any given day. Let Y denote the number of times a technician is called on an emergency call. Their probability distribution is given as</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <th colspan="2" rowspan="2">$p(x, y)$</th><th colspan="3">x</th></tr> <tr> <th>1</th><th>2</th><th>3</th></tr> <tr> <th rowspan="3">y</th><th>1</th><td>0.05</td><td>0.05</td><td>0.1</td></tr> <tr> <th>3</th><td>0.05</td><td>0.10</td><td>0.35</td></tr> <tr> <th>5</th><td>0.00</td><td>0.20</td><td>0.10</td></tr> </table> <p>i) Evaluate the marginal distributions of X and Y ii) Find $P(X > 1, Y \geq 3)$, $P(X < 3, Y = 3)$. iii) Covariance of X and Y.</p>	$p(x, y)$		x			1	2	3	y	1	0.05	0.05	0.1	3	0.05	0.10	0.35	5	0.00	0.20	0.10	6	3	3
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5.b	<p>A fair tetrahedral die (four faced die) is rolled twice. Let X denote the sum of two tosses less than 5 and let Y denote the maximum of the two tosses. Obtain the joint probability distribution function of X and Y.</p>	4	2	2																					
