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Third Semester

Electrical and Electronics Engineering

MA 3303 – PROBABILITY AND COMPLEX FUNCTIONS

(Regulations 2021)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 100 marks

Answer ALL questions.

PART A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

1. What are the axioms of probability?
2. Give the moment generating function of Binomial and Poisson distributions.
3. Suppose X and Y are independent continuous random variables. Show that correlation between X and Y is zero.
4. State the central limit theorem for probability of random variables.
5. Is the function $f(z) = 2iz + 6\bar{z}$ analytic?
6. What is conformal mapping?
7. Identify the singular point and the type of singularity in $f(z) = \frac{1 - \cos z}{z}$.
8. State Cauchy's Residue theorem.
9. Solve the differential equation $(D^2 + 5D + 6)y = 0$.
10. Give the general form of Legendre's linear equation.

PART B — (5 × 16 = 80 marks)

11. (a) (i) A printer manufacturer obtained the following probabilities from a database of test results. Printer failures are associated with three types of problems: hardware, software, and others, with probabilities 0.1, 0.6, and 0.3 respectively. The probability of a printer failure given a hardware problem is 0.9, given a software problem is 0.2 and given any other type of problem is 0.5. If a customer enters the manufacturer's website to diagnose a printer failure, using Baye's theorem determine what is the most likely cause of the problem? (8)
- (ii) The number of telephone calls that arrive at a phone exchange is often modeled as a Poisson random variable. Assume that on the average there are 10 calls per hour.
- (1) What is the probability that there are exactly 5 calls in one hour? (2)
 - (2) What is the probability that there are 3 or less calls in one hour? (3)
 - (3) What is the probability that there are exactly 15 calls in two hours? (3)

Or

- (b) (i) The distance between major cracks in a highway follows an exponential distribution with a mean of five miles.
- (1) What is the probability that there are two major cracks in a 10 -mile stretch of the highway? (2)
 - (2) What is the standard deviation of the distance between major cracks? (2)
 - (3) What is the probability that the first major crack occurs between 12 and 15 miles of the start of inspection? (2)
 - (4) Given that there are no cracks in the first five miles inspected, what is the probability that there are no major cracks in the next 10 miles inspected? (2)
- (ii) The line width of semiconductor manufacturing is assumed to be normally distributed with a mean of 0.5 micrometer and a standard deviation of 0.05 micrometer.
- (1) What is the probability that a line width is greater than 0.62 micrometer? (3)
 - (2) What is the probability that a line width is between 0.47 and 0.63 micrometer? (3)
 - (3) The line width of 90% of samples is below what value? (2)

12. (a) Determine the value of c that makes the function $f(x, y) = c(x + y)$ a joint probability function over the nine points with $x = 1, 2, 3$ and $y = 1, 2, 3$ (16)
- (i) Determine $P(X < 2, Y < 2)$
- (ii) Determine correlation for the joint probability mass function $f(x, y)$.

Or

- (b) A study on the deflection of particle board from stress levels of relative humidity gave the following measurements.

X: Stress level (%) 54 57 61 65 68 72 75 80

Y : Deflection (mm) 16.4 18.6 14.3 15.1 13.5 11.6 11.1 12.5

- (i) Construct a linear regression for the given data. (8)
- (ii) Find the deflection when stress level is 70%. (2)
- (iii) What is the estimate of σ^2 ? (6)

13. (a) (i) State and prove Cauchy-Riemann equation for analytic functions in Cartesian coordinates. (8)
- (ii) Verify that $u(x, y) = x^3 - 3xy^2$ is harmonic in the whole complex plane. Also find the conjugate harmonic and hence construct an analytic function $f(z) = u + iv$. (8)

Or

- (b) (i) Describe the transformation $w = z + c$ and $w = cz$, under conformal mapping. (8)
- (ii) Find the linear fractional transformation that maps $-1, i, 1$ in the z -plane onto $0, i, \infty$ in the w -plane. Also find the images of x-axis and y-axis. (8)

14. (a) (i) State and prove Cauchy's integral theorem. (8)

- (ii) Evaluate the integral $\oint_C \frac{1 - 4z + 6z^2}{(z + \frac{1}{4})(3z - 1)} dz$, where $C : |z| = 1$. (8)

Or

- (b) (i) Find the Taylor and Laurent series expansion of $f(z) = \frac{-2z+3}{z^2 - 3z + 2}$ with centre 0. (8)

- (ii) Evaluate the integral $\oint_C \frac{\sin \pi z^2 + \cos \pi z^2}{(z-1)^2(z-2)} dz$, where C is the circle $|z| = 3$. (8)

15. (a) (i) Solve the differential equation $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 2\frac{dy}{dx} + 2y = x + e^x \cos x$. (8)

(ii) By method of variation of parameter, solve $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - y = \frac{2}{1+e^x}$. (8)

Or

(b) (i) Solve the simultaneous equation $\frac{dx}{dt} + 5x - 2y = t$, $\frac{dy}{dt} + 2x + y = 0$. (8)

(ii) Solve the differential equation $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 2\frac{dy}{dx} + 4y = 2x^2 + 3e^{-x}$, by method of undetermined coefficients, assuming the particular solution as $y = a_1x^2 + a_2x + a_3 + a_4e^{-x}$. (8)