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(BAM I, BSc.ENM, BSc. Acc.& Fin. I)

Business Statistics

STA 1101

DATE : 11<sup>th</sup> Mar. 2022

TIME : 9:30 AM - 12:30 PM

DURATION: 3 Hrs



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## Instructions

1. *Carefully read through ALL the questions before attempting.*
  2. *ANSWER FOUR (4) Questions (All questions carry equal marks).*
  3. *Ensure that your **Reg. number** is indicated on all pages of your work.*
  4. *Ensure that your work is **clear** and **readable**. Untidy work will be penalized.*
  5. *Any type of examination Malpractice will lead to automatic disqualification.*
  6. *Do not write anything on the question paper.*
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### QUESTION ONE

- (a) (i) Why should you employ sampling than making an attempt to cover the entire population while collecting data. [2 Marks]
- (ii) Suppose you are assigned to collect information relating to online teaching and learning at Nkozi University. Briefly explain how you could use systematic sampling to select a sample of 15 students from the 75 third year students at your campus and outline the major methods you would use to get the information. [6 Marks]
- (b) Distinguish between
- (i) Element and Subject. [2 Marks]
- (ii) Statistic and parameter. [2 Marks]
- (iii) Cluster sampling and Stratified random sampling. [2 Marks]
- (iv) Descriptive statistics and Inferential statistics. [2 Marks]
- (c) The table below shows the weight of 42 bunches of matooke

70 74 67 59 50 55  
62 70 49 65 48 67  
60 84 57 49 60 45  
72 60 59 55 58 57  
53 65 66 60 51 62  
72 60 50 57 80 78  
84 79 69 80 71 53

- (i) Construct a frequency table starting with classes  $40 - < 50$ ,  $50 - < 60$ . [3 Marks]
- (ii) Present this data on a histogram. Hence estimate the mode. [6 Marks]

### QUESTION TWO

The table below shows coffee production by a group of farmers in Kayunga District in the year 2021

Bags produced	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	55-59
Number of farmers	2	6	8	16	14	12	4	2

Calculate the

- (a) mean using 32 as the assumed average , [6 Marks]

- (b) mode, [4 Marks]
- (c) median, [4 Marks]
- (d) upper quartile, [5 Marks]
- (e) standard deviation. [6 Marks]

### QUESTION THREE

(a) Write TRUE or FALSE.

- (i) The average number of factory accidents can be used to model a Poisson distribution. [2 Mark]
- (ii) If  $X$  is a continuous random variable then  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) \leq 1$ . [2 Mark]
- (iii) The standard normal distribution has the variance as 1. [2 Mark]
- (iv) The Variance of a discrete random variable  $3Y$  is  $9E(Y^2) - 9[E(Y)]^2$ . [2 Mark]
- (v) If a fair coin is tossed 20 times, it is most likely that the tail will show up 10 times. [2 Marks]

(b) A discrete random variable  $X$  has a probability mass function defined by

$$P(X) = \begin{cases} (2^x)c, & x=0,1,2,3,4,5,6; \\ 0, & \text{elsewhere.} \end{cases}$$

Determine the value of  $c$ .

[5 Marks]

(c) A discrete random variable  $X$  has a distribution given by

$X$	-1	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
$P(X = x)$	$\frac{1}{20}$	$\frac{1}{20}$	$m$	$\frac{3}{20}$	$\frac{6}{20}$	$\frac{2}{20}$	$\frac{3}{20}$	$\frac{1}{20}$

Find (i)  $E(X)$ , (ii)  $Var(X)$ , (iii)  $E(2X + 3)$  and (iv)  $Var(3X - 4)$ . [10 Marks]



### QUESTION FOUR

- (a) (i) State any three axioms of probability. [3Marks]
- (ii) MAZIMA Property Masters Ltd sells 3 houses on average per week. What is the probability that they will sell exactly 4 houses this week? [4 Marks]
- (b) It is known that 8 out of every 40 people that visit MTN Service Centre at Masaka buy data bundles. Find the probability that 2 out of the 5 people planning to visit the centre will not buy data bundles. [5 Marks]
- (c) The weight of maize flour bags in a store is normally distributed with mean weight 125 kg and Variance 25 kg. Find the probability that a bag picked at random from the store weighs between 114 and 139 kg. [5 Marks]
- (d) A bag contains 5 red and 7 yellow apples. If three apples are picked from the bag without replacement, find the probability that they are of the same colour. [8 Marks]

### QUESTION FIVE

The table below shows sales records in two business outlets  $X$  and  $Y$  over a period of 11 weeks.

Outlet (X)	28	20	40	28	21	31	36	29	33	24	45
Outlet(Y)	30	20	40	28	22	35	35	27	31	23	47

- (a) (i) Plot a scatter diagram for the given data. [3 Marks]
- (ii) Find the equation of the regression line in the form  $y = mx + c$ . [8 Marks]
- (iii) Fit the regression line in (ii) to the scatter plot in (i). [4 Marks]
- (iv) Estimate the sales by Outlet  $X$  for a recorded sales of 50 by Outlet  $Y$ . [2 Marks]
- (b) Calculate the Spearmann's rank correlation coefficient for the data and comment on your result. [8 Marks]

*End*



## CUMULATIVE NORMAL DISTRIBUTION TABLE

$z$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	ADD								
0.0	0.5000	0.5040	0.5080	0.5120	0.5160	0.5199	0.5239	0.5279	0.5319	0.5359	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
0.1	0.5078	0.5138	0.5178	0.5217	0.5257	0.5296	0.5336	0.5375	0.5414	0.5453	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
0.2	0.5093	0.5152	0.5191	0.5229	0.5268	0.5307	0.5346	0.5385	0.5424	0.5463	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
0.3	0.5119	0.5177	0.5215	0.5253	0.5291	0.5329	0.5367	0.5405	0.5443	0.5481	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
0.4	0.5154	0.5211	0.5249	0.5286	0.5324	0.5361	0.5398	0.5436	0.5473	0.5510	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
0.5	0.5195	0.5251	0.5288	0.5324	0.5360	0.5396	0.5432	0.5467	0.5502	0.5537	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
0.6	0.5225	0.5280	0.5315	0.5350	0.5385	0.5420	0.5454	0.5488	0.5522	0.5556	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
0.7	0.5258	0.5311	0.5345	0.5379	0.5413	0.5446	0.5479	0.5512	0.5545	0.5578	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
0.8	0.5288	0.5339	0.5372	0.5405	0.5438	0.5470	0.5502	0.5534	0.5566	0.5598	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
0.9	0.5315	0.5364	0.5396	0.5428	0.5459	0.5490	0.5520	0.5550	0.5580	0.5610	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1.0	0.5343	0.5389	0.5420	0.5450	0.5480	0.5510	0.5539	0.5568	0.5597	0.5625	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1.1	0.5364	0.5408	0.5438	0.5467	0.5496	0.5525	0.5554	0.5582	0.5610	0.5638	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1.2	0.5384	0.5427	0.5456	0.5484	0.5512	0.5540	0.5567	0.5594	0.5621	0.5648	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1.3	0.5403	0.5445	0.5473	0.5501	0.5528	0.5555	0.5582	0.5608	0.5635	0.5661	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1.4	0.5419	0.5460	0.5487	0.5514	0.5541	0.5567	0.5593	0.5619	0.5645	0.5671	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1.5	0.5432	0.5472	0.5498	0.5524	0.5550	0.5575	0.5601	0.5626	0.5651	0.5676	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1.6	0.5445	0.5484	0.5510	0.5535	0.5560	0.5585	0.5610	0.5635	0.5659	0.5683	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1.7	0.5455	0.5493	0.5518	0.5543	0.5567	0.5591	0.5615	0.5639	0.5662	0.5686	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1.8	0.5464	0.5501	0.5525	0.5549	0.5572	0.5596	0.5619	0.5642	0.5665	0.5687	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1.9	0.5473	0.5509	0.5532	0.5555	0.5578	0.5601	0.5624	0.5646	0.5668	0.5690	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2.0	0.5477	0.5513	0.5535	0.5557	0.5578	0.5600	0.5621	0.5642	0.5663	0.5683	0	1	1	2	2	3	3	4	4
2.1	0.5479	0.5515	0.5537	0.5558	0.5579	0.5601	0.5622	0.5643	0.5663	0.5683	0	1	1	2	2	3	3	4	4
2.2	0.5479	0.5515	0.5537	0.5558	0.5579	0.5601	0.5622	0.5643	0.5663	0.5683	0	1	1	2	2	3	3	4	4
2.3	0.5479	0.5515	0.5537	0.5558	0.5579	0.5601	0.5622	0.5643	0.5663	0.5683	0	0	1	1	2	2	3	3	4
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3.0	0.5479	0.5515	0.5537	0.5558	0.5579	0.5601	0.5622	0.5643	0.5663	0.5683	0	0	1	1	2	2	3	3	4



## LIST OF MATHEMATICAL FORMULAE

1. Population Variance:  $\sigma^2 = \left( \frac{\sum f x^2}{\sum f} \right) - \left( \frac{\sum f x}{\sum f} \right)^2$ .

2. Random variables: Expected value of  $X$  is given by

$$E(X) = \sum x \cdot P(x)$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = \sigma^2 = E(X^2) - [E(X)]^2$$

3. Binomial distribution:

$$P(X = r) = {}^n C_r p^r q^{n-r}.$$

4. Poisson distribution:  $P(X = x) = \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^x}{x!} \quad x = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots, \quad \lambda > 0.$

5. The regression line of  $y$  on  $x$  is given by  $y = mx + c$  where

$$m = \frac{S_{xy}}{S_{xx}}$$

$$S_{xy} = \sum xy - \frac{\sum x \sum y}{n}$$

$$S_{xx} = \sum x^2 - \frac{(\sum x)^2}{n}$$

and

$$c = \frac{\sum y - m \sum x}{n}$$

6. Spearmann's rank correlation coefficient is

$$\rho = 1 - \frac{6 \sum d^2}{n(n^2 - 1)}.$$

7. Confidence interval for the population mean is

$$\bar{x} \pm z_* \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}.$$

