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Mid Semester (February 2015) Roll No.
B.Tech.8th Semester (Mathematics & Computing)

Course Name: Mathematical Modeling and Simulation
Time: 1 hr 30min

Course Code: MC 411
Max marks: 20

- Attempt all questions.
- Assume missing data, if any.

1. Write short notes on the following:

(6)

- a) Conceptual and Physical model
- b) Stationary and instationary model
- c) Distributed and lumped model

2. A company decided to develop a cost equation based on the quantity of the product produced in a day. They collected the following data:

| | | | | | | | |
|-------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| Quantity produced | 20 | 35 | 50 | 65 | 80 | 95 | 110 |
| Cost (in Rs) | 642.35 | 766.48 | 858.82 | 928.83 | 1005.32 | 1078.82 | 1140.79 |

- a) Find a good model for the data
- b) According to the model, find how many units could be produced for Rs 800.(7)

3. Fit the following data with a natural spline curve

| | | | | |
|------|--------|--------|--------|---------|
| x | 0.0 | 1.0 | 1.5 | 2.25 |
| f(x) | 2.0000 | 4.4366 | 6.7134 | 13.9130 |

Also evaluate the spline values $g(0.66)$ and $g(1.75)$. The true relation is given as $f(x) = 2e^x - x^2$.

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Paper Code: MC-412-2

Max Marks: 20

Optimization Techniques

Time: 1.5 Hours

- NOTE: Answer all questions. Assume suitable missing data if any.

Q1. (a) Consider the following function: (3)

$$f(x, y) = 2x^2 - 2xy + \frac{1}{2}y^2 + 3x - y$$

i. Express the function in matrix- vector form.

ii. Is the Hessian singular ?

iii. Is f a convex function ? Give reason.

(b) Check whether the following optimization problem is convex or not. (3)

$$\text{Max } Z = x \log x$$

subject to :

$$x^2 + y^2 \geq 0$$

$$x, y \geq 0.$$

Q2. Consider the following Quadratic Programming Problem (QPP)

$$\text{Min } Z = (x - y)^2 + y$$

subject to :

$$-x + y \leq 0$$

$$x + 2y \leq 3$$

$$x, y \geq 0.$$

(a) Express the objective function in the standard Quadratic Programming Problem (QPP) $C^T x + x^T D x$. Is D positive semidefinite? (2)

(b) Solve the above Quadratic Programming Problem (QPP) by Wolfe's method and identify difficulties if you face any. (5)

Q3. (a) Let $S \subseteq R^n$ be a convex set and $f : S \rightarrow R$. The level set of f is given by $\tau_\alpha = \{x \in S \mid f(x) \leq \alpha\}$, $\alpha \in R$. f is a quasiconvex function on S if and only if τ_α is a convex set, for every $\alpha \in R$. (3)

(b) Solve the following fractional programming problem by Charne's and Cooper method

$$\text{Max } Z = \frac{2x+3y}{x+y+7}$$

subject to :

$$3x + 5y \leq 15$$

$$4x + 3y \leq 12$$

$$x, y \geq 0.$$

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Mid-Semester Examination, February' 2015

B.Tech. (Eighth Semester)

HU-414- Econometrics (Open Elective)

Marks - 20 Mark

Time- 1.30

Attempt all questions. Assume missing value, if any.

1. What do you mean by Econometrics? Discuss its relevance for Engineers. 5
2. Differentiate between 9
 - a. Ordinal Scale and Nominal Scale
 - b. Time Series data and Cross Sectional data
 - c. Stochastic Variable and Non-Stochastic Variable
3. What are the basic ingredients of an empirical Study? 2
4. Discuss relevance of mean in Econometric studies. 2
5. Discuss relevance of Variance in Econometric studies. 2