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QUESTION BANK: UNIT 1(Probability & Statistics)

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Q1. Define Distribution function and its three properties with prove.

Q2.A random variable X has the following probability function:

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P(x)		0	k	2k	2k	3k	K ²	2k ²	7k ² +k

- (i) find k.
- (ii) Evaluate P(X<6), $P(X\ge6)$, and p(0<x<5).
- (iii) if $P(X \le a) > \frac{1}{2}$, find the minimum value of a.
- (iv) Determine the distribution function of X.
- Q3. The diameter of an electric cable, say X, is assumed to be a continuous random variable with p.d.f:

$$F(x) = 6x(1-x), 0 \le x \le 1.$$

- (i) check that f(x) is p.d.f
- (ii) Determine a number b such that P(X < b) = P(X > b).
- Q4. The probability distribution of a r.v .X is:

$$f(x) = k \sin \frac{1}{5} \pi x , 0 \le x \le 5.$$

Determine the constant k and obtain the median and quartiles of the distribution.

- Q5. In a binomial distribution consisting of 5 independents trials, probabilities of 1 and 2 successes are 0.4096 and 0.2048 respectively. Find the parameter 'p' of the distribution.
- Q6. The probability of a man hitting a target is $\frac{1}{4}$:
- (i) If he fires 7 times what is the probability of his hitting the target at least twice?
- (ii) How many times must he fire so that the probability of his hitting the target at least once is greater than $\frac{2}{3}$?
- Q7. Find moment generating function of Binomial and Poisson distribution.

- Q8. Find moments of Poisson distribution.
- Q9. A car hire firm has two cars, which it hires out day by day. The number of demands for a car on each day is distributed as a Poisson distribution with mean 1.5. calculate the proportion of days on which
- (i) neither car is used
- (ii) the proportion of days on which some demands is refused.
- Q10. Define Normal Distribution and chief characteristics of normal distribution.
- Q11. Find median and moment generating function of Normal distribution.
- Q12. Let X is normally distributed and the mean of X is 12 and S.D. is 4.
- (a) (i) X≥20,
 - (ii) X≤20
 - (iii) 0≤x≤12
- (b) find x', when P(X>x')=0.24