

SYLHET CADET COLLEGE

FIRST TERM-END EXAMINATION - 2024

CLASS: XII

STATISTICS (CREATIVE)

SECOND PAPER

TIME – 2 hours & 35 minutes

FULL MARKS – 50

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[**N.B.** – The figures of the right margin indicate full marks. Read the stems carefully and answer the associated questions. Answer any **FIVE** questions taking at least two questions from each group]

Group - A

1. A jar contains 5 red marbles and 7 yellow marbles. Three marbles are drawn at random.

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| (a) What is a simple event?  | 1 |
| (b) In how many different ways can 5 books be arranged on a shelf? | 2 |
| (c) What is the probability that all marbles are yellow?           | 3 |
| (d) What is the probability that a marble has a different color?   | 4 |

2.  $P(M|N) = \frac{2}{9}, P(M \cup N) = \frac{5}{7}, P(N) = \frac{4}{7}$

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| (a) What is a certain event?                               | 1 |
| (b) Briefly explain empirical probability with an example. | 2 |
| (c) Calculate $P(M \cap \bar{N})$ .                        | 3 |
| (d) Examine whether  | 4 |
| i. $P(M N) = P(N M)$                                       |   |
| ii. $P(M \cap \bar{N}) = P(\bar{M} \cap N)$                |   |

3. The joint probability function of two random variables  $X$  and  $Y$  is described by:

$$P(X,Y) = \frac{2x + y + 1}{52}; \quad x = 1, 2; \quad y = 1, 2, 3, 4$$

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| (a) Give an example of a continuous random variable                 | 1 |
| (b) What are the required properties of a probability distribution? | 2 |
| (c) Find the marginal distribution $P(X)$ .                         | 3 |
| (d) Compute $P(Y X)$ for $X = 2$ .                                  | 4 |

4. The probability distributions of daily sales of two popular coffee brands, Brand A (X) and Brand B (Y), are:

Sales (cups)	50	100	150	200	250
P(X)	0.05	0.3	p	0.25	0.1
P(Y)	0.1	0.35	0.3	0.2	0.05

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| (a) How can you expand $E(x + y)$ ?  | 1 |
| (b) Determine the formula of variance in terms of expectation.                       | 2 |
| (c) Find $p$ from the table.   | 3 |
| (d) Which brand has a more consistent daily sales distribution? Justify your answer. | 4 |

Group - B

5. A company produces smartphones, and it is known that 5% of the smartphones have a manufacturing defect on average. The company ships 15 smartphones in each box, and a retailer purchases 500 boxes.

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| (a) How many parameters does the Binomial distribution have?                                 | 1 |
| (b) Can $V(X)$ be equal to $E(X)$ in binomial distribution? Examine.                         | 2 |
| (c) What is the probability that the number of defective smartphones in a box is at least 1? | 3 |
| (d) How many boxes are expected to contain exactly 2 defective smartphones?                  | 4 |

6. A random variable is distributed as follows:

Value	0	1	2	3	4	5
Frequency	60	80	50	20	6	2

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| (a) What is the mean of a Poisson distribution with parameter $\lambda$ ?                                | 1 |
| (b) If a Poisson distribution is $P(x) = \frac{e^{-m}m^x}{x!}, P(x + 1) = ?$ Derive in terms of $P(x)$ . | 2 |
| (c) Find the mean and standard deviation of the given distribution.                                      | 3 |
| (d) Compare the observed and expected frequencies, assuming a Poisson.                                   | 4 |

7. The number of cars passing through a toll booth follows a Poisson distribution with a mean of 5 cars per minute.
- (a) What is a Poisson process? 1
  - (b) Prove  $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} P(x) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \frac{e^{-m} m^x}{x!} = 1$  2
  - (c) Determine the probability that exactly 3 cars pass through the toll booth in a minute. 3
  - (d) If  $P(X = a) = P(X = b)$ , find the value of  $a$  and  $b$ . What pattern do you observe? 4
8. Population of New York, Los Angeles, and Chicago by different age groups and areas are given below:

City	Age			Area (sq. km)
	0-14	15-64	65+	
New York	1,200,000	5,000,000	700,000	789
Los Angeles	1,000,000	4,500,000	500,000	1,302
Chicago	900,000	3,800,000	600,000	606

- (a) What is the formula of crude birth rate? 1
- (b) Two dependency ratios are  $d_1 = 98\%$  and  $d_2 = 104\%$ . In which case are there more dependent people per 1000 individuals? 2
- (c) Find and compare the dependency ratios of New York and Chicago. 3
- (d) Based on the data, which city is more comfortable for living? Justify your choice. 4