

**B.Sc. (Honours) Examination, 2019**  
**Semester-II**  
**Statistics**  
**Course : BSC-21**  
**(Probability and Distribution-II)**

**Time : 3 Hours**

**Full Marks : 40**

Questions are of value as indicated in the margin

Answer **any four** questions

1. (a) If the probability of success in a Bernoullian experiment is .01, how many trials are necessary in order to achieving probability of at least one success  $\frac{1}{3}$ ?
- (b) Let  $X \sim \text{Bin}(n, p)$ . Find out the mode of the distribution.
- (c) If  $X \sim U(0, \theta)$ , find out moment generating function. 3+5+2=10
2. (a) Show that poisson distribution is the limiting distribution of binomial distribution, clearly stating the assumptions.
- (b) Prove that for poisson ( $\lambda$ ), ( $r+1$ ) th order central moment statistics

$$\mu_{r+1} = \lambda \left( r \mu_{r-1} + \frac{d \mu_r}{d \lambda} \right) \quad 5+5=10$$

3. (a) Prove that for a normal distribution with mean  $\mu$  and variance  $\sigma^2$ , mean deviation about mean is  $.7979\sigma$ .
  - (b) For  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ , show  $\mu_{2r} = \sigma^{2r} (2r-1)(2r-3)\dots 3.1$ . 5+5=10
  4. (a) Find the first and third quartile of a Cauchy distribution with parameter  $\lambda$  and  $\mu$ . Hence find its quartile deviation.
  - (b) Derive the  $r$  th order raw moment of a lognormal distribution. Hence find the mean of it. 6+4=10
  5. (a) Obtain moment generating function of  $BN(\mu_1, \mu_2, \sigma_1^2, \sigma_2^2, \rho)$ .
  - (b) Write the statement of weak law of large number. Determine if the following obeys this  $P\{X_k = 2^k\} = P\{X_k = -2^k\} = \frac{1}{2^{2k+1}}$   $P\{X_k = 0\} = 1 - \frac{1}{2^{2k}}$ . 6+4=10
  6. Write short notes on the following : 5+5=10
    - (a) Central limit theorem
    - (b) Geometric distribution
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