

## Jaypee University of Information Technology, Wanknaghat

Test-III Examination - December 2021

## B.Tech (ECE)

Course Title: Probability Theory and Random Processes  
 Course Code: 18B11MA314  
 Semester: III

Max. Marks: 35 marks

Max. Time: 2 hours

**Note:** Answer all the questions. Describe random variables along with range where applicable.  
 Scientific calculators are allowed.

1. You have built a robot that can detect defective items produced in your factory: if an item is defective, it is spotted with 98% probability by the robot; when an item is not defective, the robot will not signal any defect with 99% probability. You draw an item at random from a production lot in which 0.1% of items are defective. (3 Marks) [CO-1]
- (a) What is the probability that the robot signals a defective item?  
 (b) If the robot tells us that the drawn item is defective, what is the probability that the robot is right?
2. Consider the CDF of a random variable  $X$ : (4 Marks) [CO-2]

$$F_X(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & , \quad x < 0 \\ \frac{x}{8} + \frac{3x^2}{16} & , \quad 0 \leq x < 2 \\ 1 & , \quad x \geq 2 \end{cases}$$

- (a) Determine the density function of  $X$ .  
 (b) Find  $\mathbb{P}(1 \leq X \leq 1.5)$ .
3. Consider the joint density of random variables  $X$  and  $Y$ : (4 Marks) [CO-2]

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} e^{-x} & , \quad 0 < y < x < \infty \\ 0 & ; \quad \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Find  $\mathbb{P}(Y < 2 \mid X = 5)$ .

4. Consider the following problems. (4 Marks) [CO-3]
- (a) The time it takes to complete a service call to a mail-order computer company has exponential distribution with an average of 4 minutes. Within what time will 90% of the calls be completed?  
 (b) A radioactive source emits particles according to a Poisson process with inter-arrival times (in minutes) distributed exponentially with parameter  $\lambda = 2$ . What is the probability that exactly one particle is emitted in the interval from 3 to 5 minutes?
5. Measure the height of your classmates. Ask them the height of their bench mate.

Height of classmates ( $x$ )	5.5	5.2	5.4	5.5	5.6	5.8
Height of benchmates ( $y$ )	4.5	5.6	5.0	5.0	5.4	4.5

Calculate the correlation coefficient of these two variables. (5 Marks) [CO-3]

6. Fit a parabola  $y = a + bx + cx^2$  in *least squares* sense to the data: (5 Marks) [CO-4]

x	0	1	2	3	4
y	-4	-1	4	11	20

7. The average breaking strength of a material is required to exceed 150 psi. Past experience has indicated that the *standard deviation* of breaking strength is  $\sigma = 3$  (psi)<sup>2</sup>. A random sample of four values are observed: 145, 147, 150, 153. (5 Marks) [CO-4]

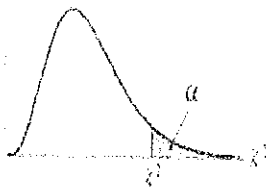
- (a) State the hypotheses that you think should be tested in this experiment.
- (b) Use z-test to test these hypotheses with  $\alpha = 0.05$ . Take  $z_{0.05} = 1.645$ .

8. Number of defects per unit in a sample of 330 manufactured units was found as follows:

No. of defects	0	1	2	3	4
No. of units	214	92	20	3	1

- (a) Fit a Poisson distribution to the data.
- (b) Test the goodness-of-fit at 5% level of significance. (5 Marks) [CO-4]

**Chi-Square Distribution:**



Right tail

Degrees of freedom	$\alpha$									
	0.995	0.99	0.975	0.95	0.90	0.10	0.05	0.025	0.01	0.005
1	—	—	0.001	0.004	0.016	2.706	3.841	5.024	6.635	7.879
2	0.010	0.020	0.051	0.103	0.211	4.605	5.991	7.378	9.210	10.597
3	0.072	0.115	0.216	0.352	0.584	6.251	7.815	9.348	11.345	12.838
4	0.207	0.297	0.484	0.711	1.064	7.779	9.488	11.143	13.277	14.860
5	0.412	0.554	0.831	1.145	1.610	9.236	11.071	12.833	15.086	16.750
6	0.676	0.872	1.237	1.635	2.204	10.645	12.592	14.449	16.812	18.548
7	0.989	1.239	1.690	2.167	2.833	12.017	14.067	16.013	18.475	20.278
8	1.344	1.646	2.180	2.733	3.490	13.362	15.507	17.535	20.090	21.955
9	1.735	2.088	2.700	3.325	4.168	14.684	16.919	19.023	21.666	23.589
10	2.156	2.558	3.247	3.940	4.865	15.987	18.307	20.483	23.209	25.188