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M.Sc., Sem.-II

407 : Statistics

(Reliability and Life Testing)

(New Course)

Time : 2:30 Hours]

[Max. Marks : 70

- Instructions :** (1) Scientific calculator is allowed to use.
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1. (A) Answer the following :

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- (i) Let X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n be iid exponential life times of n items. Obtain the distribution of the time between the two consecutive ordered failures. State its mean and variance.
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(B) Attempt any **four** :

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- (i) Define reliability.
(ii) Define mtbf.
(iii) Define mttf.
(iv) State the life time model with constant failure rate.
(v) State the formula to estimate $R(t)$ for ungrouped data based on non-parametric method.
(vi) Define cumulative hazard function.

2. (A) Answer the following :
- (i) Distinguish between Type-I and Type- II censoring. Construct general form of the likelihood functions in case of type-II censoring under WOR and WR. 7
 - (ii) Under type-II censoring WOR obtain mle of mean life θ for exponential life time model. Hence construct 95% confidence interval for θ . 7

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$$f(x, \theta) = \frac{x}{\theta^2} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2\theta^2}}, x > 0, \theta > 0. \text{ Obtain its asymptotic variance.}$$

- (ii) Under type-II censoring WOR obtain mle of the parameters of the Weibull life time model. Suggest the method to obtain asymptotic variance of the estimators.

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- (i) What is censoring ?
- (ii) State TTT under type-II censoring WOR for 2-parameter exponential life time model.
- (iii) State the relation between expected test termination time under WOR and WR in case of exponential life time model.
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- (vi) State the distribution of TTT under type-II censoring WOR for exponential life time model.

3. (A) Answer the following :
- (i) Obtain UMVUE of mtbf and $R(t)$ in case of exponential life time model for type-II censoring WOR. 7
 - (ii) Determine necessary sample size with minimum total cost under type-II censoring WOR with necessary assumptions. 7

OR

- (i) Obtain UMVUE of mtbf and $R(t)$ in case of exponential life time model for type-II censoring WR.
- (iii) Discuss Fisher's method for estimating the parameters of Weibull life time model based on failure rate estimate.

- (B) Attempt any **three** : 3
- (i) State UMVUE of hazard rate for exponential life time model with mean θ under type-II censoring WOR.
 - (ii) State UMVUE of expected termination time for exponential life time model with mean θ under type-II censoring WR.
 - (iii) State the formula of necessary sample size under type-II censoring WR for exponential life time model with mean θ .
 - (iv) State UMVUE of μ under type-II censoring WOR for 2-parameter exponential life time model with $X > \mu$, and hazard rate $1/\theta$.
 - (v) State the estimate of hazard rate given by Sinha and Fu for Weibull life time model.

4. (A) Answer the following :

- (i) In case of a series system with n components and i -th component with cdf $F_i(x)$ and hazard rate $h_i(x)$, $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ show that the pdf of life time of the series system is given by $f_s(t) = \prod_{i=1}^n [1 - F_i(t) \sum_{i=1}^n h_i(t)]$. 7
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- (B) Attempt any **three** : 3
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4. (A) Answer the following :

- (i) Under squared error loss function obtain the general form of the Bayes estimator of $g(\theta)$, a function of parameter θ . 7
- (ii) Let X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n be a random sample from Poisson distribution with mean θ , $\theta > 0$. Let prior distribution for θ exponential with mean $\lambda > 0$. Obtain Bayes estimator of θ and θ^2 under squared error loss function. 7

OR

- (i) Define Bayes estimator. Obtain extensive rule to obtain Bayes estimator.
- (ii) Let X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n be a random sample from Bernoulli distribution with mean θ , $0 < \theta < 1$. Let prior distribution for θ uniform $U(0, 1)$. Obtain Bayes estimator of $1/\theta$ and $1/\theta^2$ under squared error loss function.

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- (i) Define prior distribution.
 - (ii) Define posterior distribution.
 - (iii) Define risk function.
 - (iv) State weighted squared error loss function.
 - (v) State the most appropriate prior distribution for the parameter θ , of Rayleigh distribution.
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