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Name of the Department: Statistics

Subject: Probability and Discrete Probability Distribution

Class & Semester: C Division (Semester- II)

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**ASSIGNMENT**

**SECTION – 1 (UNIT – 1)**

Enlist: Probability

(I) Explain the following terms (any four):

- (a) Random experiment
- (b) Exhaustive event
- (c) Intersection events
- (d) Independent even
- (e) Difference events

(II) A group consists of 4 men and some women. If the of selecting 2 men from them is  $\frac{2}{15}$  find the number of women in the group.

(III) Three Machines A, B and C produces 15%, 55% and 30% of items daily in a factory. The percentage of defective items of these machines are respectively 4%, 5% and 6%. An item is taken at random from the production and is found to be defective. Find the probability that it is produced by machine A.

**SECTION – 2 (UNIT – 2)**

Enlist: Mathematical Expectation

- (I) What is probability Distribution? State its main properties.
- (II) The probability distribution of a random variable  $x$  is as follows:

$x_i$	-1	0	1	2	3	4
$P(x_i)$	$\frac{1}{6}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	p	p	$\frac{1}{12}$	$\frac{1}{12}$

Find the value of p and also obtain mean and variance of  $x$ .

- (III) There are 5 tickets in a box numbered 1,1,2,2,2 respectively. Two tickets are taken at random from it, find the expectation of total of the numbers on the tickets.

**SECTION – 3 (UNIT – 3)**

Enlist: Discrete Distribution -I (Poisson Distribution and Hyper geometric distribution)

- (I) Give the properties of Poisson distribution.
- (II) For a Poisson variate  $x$ ,  $P(x = 1) = P(x=2)$  Prove that  $P(x = 4) = \frac{2}{3}e^{-2}$
- (III) In the production of electric fuses 2% are defective. Find the probability of getting (i) all non-defective fuses in a box containing 200 fuses. (ii) at the most 2 defective fuses (iii) 3 defective fuses ( $e^{-4} = 0.0183$ )
- (IV) Fit a Poisson distribution to the following data:

$x$	0	1	2	3	4
$f$	110	65	21	3	1

$$(e^{-0.6}=0.5488)$$

- (V) Give the properties of Hyper Geometric distribution.
- (VI) There are 40 screws in a packet of which 5 are defective. If 10 screws are taken at random from the packet, find the probability that none of them is defective. Also find mean and variance of defective screws.

#### SECTION – 4 (UNIT – 4)

Enlist: Discrete Distribution -II (Negative Binomial distribution and Geometric distribution)

- (I) State the probability mass function of geometric distribution State its properties and uses.
- (II) State the probability mass function of negative binomial distribution. State its properties and uses.
- (III) The probability that a person can hit a target in any trials 0.7. Find the probability that a person can hit the target third time at the eighth trial.
- (IV) In a lot of apples there are 20% are sour. Find the probability that a person gets third sweet apple when fifth apple is tested.
- (V) In an objective test 3 alternatives are given in each question and of them only one is correct. A student ticks any one of the answers at random. Find the probability that his first answer will be correct at fourth trial

#### SECTION – 5 (REVISION & PRACTICE)

Question:

From Unit 1 to Unit 4, draft the following:

- (I) What is the probability of having 5 saturday in a February of a leap year?
- (a) 0.2  
(b) 0.3  
(c)  $\frac{4}{10}$   
(d)  $\frac{1}{7}$
- (II) In usual notations,  $P(U)=$  \_\_\_\_ and  $P(\emptyset)=$  \_\_\_\_
- (a) (0,1)  
(b) (0,0)  
(c) (0.5,0.5)  
(d) (1,0)
- (III) For a random variable  $x$ ,  $E(x)= 2$ , find the values of  $E(3 x)=$
- (a) 2  
(b) 3  
(c) 0  
(d) 6
- (IV) If  $x$  and  $y$  are two independent random variables, $E(x + y)=$  \_\_\_\_\_
- (a)  $E(y)$

- (b)  $E(x)$
- (c)  $E(xy)$
- (d)  $E(x)+E(y)$

- (V) The Mean of Poisson distribution 1.44 its Variance=\_\_\_\_\_
- (a) 1
  - (b) 0.44
  - (c) 0
  - (d) 1.44
- (VI) In a Poisson distribution  $P(0)=$
- (a) 0
  - (b) 1
  - (c)  $M$
  - (d)  $e^{-m}$
- (VII) Hypergeometric distribution is a \_\_\_\_\_ random variable.
- (a) Continuous
  - (b) Discrete
  - (c) 1
  - (d) None of these
- (VIII) Mean of Hypergeometric distribution\_\_\_\_\_
- (a)  $M$
  - (b)  $N$
  - (c)  $R$
  - (d)  $\frac{mr}{m+n}$
- (IX) When  $n =$ \_\_ negative binomial distribution becomes geometric distribution.
- (a) 0
  - (b) 2
  - (c) -1
  - (d) 1
- (X) In which distribution variance is greater than mean.
- (a) Poisson distribution
  - (b) Hypergeometric distribution
  - (c) Geometric distribution
  - (d) Negative binomial distribution