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PROBABILITY THEORY AND STOCHASTIC PROCESSES

(Electronics and Communication Engineering)

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 75

Note: i) Question paper consists of Part A, Part B.

ii) Part A is compulsory, which carries 25 marks. In Part A, Answer all questions.

iii) In Part B, Answer any one question from each unit. Each question carries 10 marks and may have a, b as sub questions.

PART - A

(25 Marks)

- 1.a) Define joint probability. [2]
- b) Define probability based on axioms. [3]
- c) What is the significance of standard deviation of a random variable? [2]
- d) Explain Chebyshev's Inequality. [3]
- e) Express covariance in terms of correlation and mean values. [2]
- f) What is joint characteristic function of random variables X and Y? [3]
- g) Define mean-ergodic process. [2]
- h) Differentiate time average and statistical averages. [3]
- i) Is it possible to represent the random signals in frequency domain by using Fourier transform? Justify your answer. [2]
- j) What is RMS bandwidth of a power spectrum? [3]

PART - B

(50 Marks)

2. State and prove Bayes theorem. [10]

OR

3. A missile can be accidentally launched if two relays A and B both have failed. The probabilities of A and B failing are 0.03 and 0.02 respectively. It is also known that B is more likely to fail (probability 0.05) if A has failed. a) What is the probability of accidentally missile launch? b) What is the probability that A will fail if B has failed? c) Are the events "A fails" and "B fails" statistically independent? [10]

4. Derive the expression for density function of a transformed random variable, if the transformation is monotonic and the random variable is continuous. [10]

OR

5. The characteristic function of a random variable X is given as $\Phi_X(\omega) = \frac{1}{(1-j2\omega)^2}$, where N is an integer. Find the mean and variance of random variable X. [10]

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6. Write and explain the properties of joint density function of random variables X and Y. [10]

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7. Statistically independent random variables X and Y have respective densities

$$f_X(x) = \frac{1}{2} u(x-1) e^{-(x-1)/2}$$

$$f_Y(y) = \frac{1}{4} u(y-3) e^{-(y-3)/4}$$

Find the probability density of the sum $W = X + Y$. [10]

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8. Define cross-correlation function. State and prove the properties of cross-correlation function. [10]

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9. A stationary random process $X(t)$ is applied to the input of a system for which $h(t) = 3u(t)t^2 \exp(-8t)$. If $E[X(t)] = 2$, what is the mean value of the system's response $Y(t)$? [10]

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10. Derive the relationship between power spectrum and autocorrelation function. Also list the properties of power spectrum. [10]

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11. Explain the power spectrum of response, cross power density spectrum of input and output of the linear system with random inputs. [10]

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