



FACULTY OF INFORMATICS
B.E. 2/4 (IT) II Semester (Suppl.) Examination, January 2012
PROBABILITY AND RANDOM PROCESS

Time: 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks: 75

Note : Answer all questions from Part A. Answer any five questions from Part B.

PART – A

(25 Marks)

1. Define the Axiomatic Definition of probability. 2
2. If A and B are independent events, prove that \bar{A} and \bar{B} are also independent. 2
3. A fair dice is rolled 5 times. Find the probability that 1 shows twice, 3 shows twice and 6 shows once. 3
4. State the properties of probability distribution function. 2
5. Find mean and variance of Poisson distribution. 3
6. State any three properties of characteristics function. 3
7. Write any three properties of auto correlation function. 3
8. Define Weiner-Kinchine theorem. 3
9. What is the difference between Random variable and Random process. 2
10. Define White-Noise. 2

PART – B

(5×10=50 Marks)

11. a) Three switch S_1 , S_2 , and S_3 connected in parallel operate independently and each switch remains closed with probability P. 10
 - b) Find the probability of receiving an input signal at the output.
 - c) Find the probability that switch S_1 is open given that an input signal is received at the output.
12. a) Given the RV X with density function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x, & 0 < x < 1 \\ 0, & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

Find the pdf of $Y = 8x^3$. 5

 - b) The joint pdf (X, Y) is given by $f(x, y) = 24xy$, $x > 0$, $y > 0$, $x + y \leq 1$, and $f(x, y) = 0$, elsewhere. Find the conditional mean and variance of y given x. 5



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14. a) Find the power spectral density of a WSS process with autocorrelation function $R(\tau) = e^{-a\tau^2}$.
- b) Define semi-random telegraph signal process and random telegraph signal process and prove that semi-random telegraph signal process is evolutionary.
15. Consider a white Gaussian noise of zero mean and power spectral density $N_0/2$ applied to a low-pass RC filter whose transfer function is $H(f) = \frac{1}{1 + i2\pi fRC}$. Find the auto correlation function of the output random process.
16. If $x(t) = 5 \cos(10t + \Phi)$ and $y(t) = 20 \sin(10t + \Phi)$ where Φ is a r.v. Uniformly distributed in $(0, 2\pi)$, prove that the processes $X(t)$ and $Y(t)$ are jointly wide-stationary process.
17. a) The autocorrelation function for a stationary process is $R_{xx}(\tau) = 25 + \frac{4}{1 + 6\tau^2}$. Find the mean and Variance of the process $X(\tau)$.
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