



14. a) i) For the jointly wide-sense stationary processes  $X(t)$  and  $Y(t)$ , show that

$$1) R_{XY}(-\tau) = R_{YX}(\tau)$$

$$2) |R_{XY}(\tau)| \leq \frac{1}{2} [R_{XX}(0) + R_{YY}(0)]$$

$$3) |R_{XY}(\tau)| \leq \sqrt{R_{XX}(0)R_{YY}(0)} \quad (8)$$

ii) A stationary random process  $X(t)$  has the power spectral density function

$$S_{XX}(\omega) = \frac{1}{(4 + \omega^2)^2} \text{ . Obtain the correlation function } R_{XX}(\tau) \text{ and the power of the process } X(t). \quad (8)$$

(OR)

b) i) Find the power spectral density of a wide-sense stationary process with an autocorrelation function  $R_{XX}(\tau) = e^{-\frac{\tau^2}{2}}$  . (8)

ii) Find the correlation function  $R_{XX}(\tau)$  and the average power for spectral density  $S_{XX}(\omega) = \frac{3\omega^2 + 4}{2\omega^4 + 6\omega^2 + 4}$  . (8)

15. a) i) A random process  $X(t)$  is the input to a linear system whose impulse is  $h(t) = 2e^{-t}$ ,  $t \geq 0$ . If the auto correlation function of the process  $X(t)$  is  $R_{XX}(\tau) = e^{-2|\tau|}$ , determine the cross-correlation function  $R_{XY}(\tau)$ . (8)

ii) Let  $X(t)$  be the input process to a linear system with autocorrelation function  $R_{XX}(\tau) = 3\delta(\tau)$  and the impulse response function  $h(t) = e^{-bt}$ ,  $t > 0$ . Determine the autocorrelation function of the output process  $Y(t)$  and hence obtain  $E(Y^2(t))$ . (8)

(OR)

b) i) A random process  $X(t)$  is applied to a network with impulse response function  $h(t) = e^{-bt}$ ,  $t > 0$ , where  $b > 0$  is a constant. The cross-correlation of  $X(t)$  with output  $Y(t)$  is known to have the form  $R_{XY}(\tau) = \tau e^{-b\tau}$ ,  $\tau > 0$ . Find the auto correlation function of  $Y(t)$ . (8)

ii) Find the input autocorrelation function, output autocorrelation function and output spectral density of the RC-low pass filter with transfer function

$$H(\omega) = \frac{1}{1 + j\omega RC} \text{ and is subject to a white noise of spectral density function}$$

$$S_{NN}(\omega) = \frac{N_0}{2} \text{ .} \quad (8)$$

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## Question Paper Code : 90343

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Computer and Communication Engineering

MA8451 – PROBABILITY AND RANDOM PROCESSES

(Common to Electronics and Communication Engineering/Electronics and

Telecommunication Engineering)

(Regulations 2017)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 100 Marks

Answer ALL questions

PART – A

(10×2=20 Marks)

1. Let A and B be two events such that  $P(A) = 0.5$ ,  $P(B) = 0.3$  and  $P(A \cap B) = 0.15$ . Compute  $P(B/A)$  and  $P(\bar{A} \cap B)$ .

2. The R.V. X has p.m.f.  $P(X = x) = \begin{cases} \frac{c}{x} & , x = 1, 2, 3, \\ 0 & , \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$   
Obtain :

i) The value of 'C'

ii)  $P(X \geq 2)$ .

3. The R.V.s X and Y have joint p.d.f.  $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{15} & , 0 \leq x \leq 5, \\ & 0 \leq y \leq 3 \\ 0 & , \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$  . What is  $P(Y > X)$  ?

4. Prove that the correlation coefficient  $\rho_{XY}$  of the R.V.s X and Y takes value in the range - 1 and 1.

5. Define Markov process.

6. Let  $X(t)$  be a wide-sense stationary random process with  $E(X(t)) = 0$  and  $Y(t) = X(t) - X(t + \tau)$ ,  $\tau > 0$ . Compute  $E(Y(t))$  and  $\text{Var}(Y(t))$ .

7. A stationary random process  $X(t)$  has an autocorrelation function  $R_{XX}(\tau) = \frac{4\tau^2 + 6}{\tau^2 + 1}$ . Find  $E(X(t))$  and  $E(X^2(t))$ .

8. Determine which of the following functions are power spectrum, which are not ?

i)  $S_{XX}(\omega) = e^{-(\omega-2)^2}$

ii)  $S_{XX}(\omega) = \frac{\cos^2 \omega}{\omega^4 + 2\omega^2 + 1}$



9. Define :

- i) Linear Time-Invariant System
- ii) Casual system.

10. A random process  $X(t)$  is the input to a linear system whose impulse response is  $h(t) = 2e^{-t}$ ,  $t \geq 0$ . Given  $R_{XX}(\tau) = e^{-3|\tau|}$ , find the power spectral density of the output process  $y(t)$ .

PART - B

(5×16=80 Marks)

11. a) i) Companies  $B_1$ ,  $B_2$  and  $B_3$  produce 30%, 45% and 25% of the cars respectively. It is known that 2%, 3% and 2% of these cars produced from are defective.

- 1) What is the probability that a car purchased is defective ?
- 2) If a car purchased is found to be defective, what is the probability that this car is produced by company  $B_1$  ?

(8)

ii) Let  $X$  be a Poisson variate such that  $P(X = 1) = 2P(X = 2)$ . Calculate :

- 1)  $P(X = 0)$  and  $P(X > 0.5)$
- 2)  $P\left(\frac{3}{2} < X \leq \frac{7}{2}\right)$
- 3)  $E\left(\frac{3}{2}X + 1\right)$
- 4)  $\text{Var}\left(\frac{1}{2}X - 1\right)$ .

(8)

(OR)

b) i) The C.D.F. of the R.V.  $X$  is given by

$$F(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & , x < -1 \\ \frac{x+1}{2} & , -1 \leq x < 1 \\ 1 & , x \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

Compute :

- 1)  $P(|X| < \frac{1}{4})$
- 2)  $P(X > -\frac{1}{2})$  and  $P(X < \frac{3}{4})$
- 3)  $E(X)$
- 4)  $\text{Var}(X)$ .

(8)

ii) Suppose the R.V.  $X$  has a geometric distribution

$$P(X = x) = \begin{cases} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x & , x = 1, 2, 3, \dots \\ 0 & , \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Obtain :

- 1)  $P(X \leq 2)$
- 2)  $P(X > 4 | X > 2)$
- 3) C.D.F.  $F(x)$ , of R.V.  $X$ .

(8)



12. a) i) Let the joint p.m.f. of R.V.  $(X, Y)$  be given as

$$P(X = x, Y = y) = \begin{cases} \frac{x+y}{12} & , x = 1, 2, y = 1, 2 \\ 0 & , \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Determine :

- 1) The marginal p.m.f. s of  $X$  and  $Y$
- 2) The conditional p.m.f.  $P(X = x | Y = z)$
- 3) Are the R.V.s  $X$  and  $Y$  independent ? Justify your answer.

(8)

ii) Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be two independent identically distributed exponential R.V.s with parameter 1. Find the joint p.d.f. of R.V.s  $U = X + Y$  and  $V = \frac{X}{Y}$  and hence obtain the marginal p.d.f. of R.V.  $U$ .

(8)

(OR)

b) i) The joint p.d.f. of R.V.s  $X$  and  $Y$  is given as

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{5y}{4} & , -1 \leq x \leq 1, x^2 \leq y \leq 1 \\ 0 & , \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Find :

- 1) The marginal p.d.f.s of  $X$  and  $Y$
- 2) Are the R.V.s  $X$  and  $Y$  independent ? Justify your result.

(8)

ii) Suppose the joint p.d.f. of the random variables  $X$  and  $Y$  is given as

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{49} e^{-\frac{y}{7}} & , 0 \leq x \leq y < \alpha' \\ 0 & , \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Compute  $\text{Cov}(X, Y)$ .

(8)

13. a) i) A random process is given by  $X(t) = U + V \cos(\omega t + \phi)$ , where  $U$  is a random variable that is uniformly distributed between  $-2$  and  $2$ ,  $V$  is a random variable with  $E(V) = 0$  and  $\text{Var}(V) = 2$ ,  $\omega$  is a constant and  $\phi$  is a random variable that is uniformly distributed from  $-\pi$  to  $\pi$ . Here  $U$ ,  $V$  and  $\phi$  are independent random variables. Is the process  $X(t)$  stationary in wide-sense ? Explain.

(8)

ii) State and prove the additive property of the Poisson process.

(8)

(OR)

b) i) Show that the inter-arrival time between two consecutive arrivals is an exponential random variable.

(8)

ii) Discuss the random telegraph signal process  $X(t)$  and hence obtain  $E(X(t))$  and  $E(X(t)X(t+\tau))$ . Is the process  $X(t)$  a wide-sense stationary ? Explain.

(8)