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M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION – STATISTICS

SECOND SEMESTER – APRIL 2022

PST 2502 – TESTING STATISTICAL HYPOTHESES

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Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 09:00 AM - 12:00 NOON

SECTION – A

(10 x 2 = 20)

Answer ALL the Questions. Each carries 2 marks.

1. Distinguish between simple and composite hypotheses.
2. What is the difference between the level and size of the test?
3. Let β denote the power of a most powerful test of level α for testing simple hypothesis H_0 against simple alternative H_1 . Prove that $\beta \geq \alpha$.
4. Define Multiparameter Exponential Family.
5. What are nuisance parameters and how do you deal with them?
6. Define Unbiased test.
7. When do we say that a test ϕ has Neyman Structure?
8. What is maximal invariant function?
9. Briefly explain the principles of LRT.
10. Give an example of a group with location changes.

SECTION – B

(5 x 8 = 40)

Answer any FIVE Questions. Each carries 8 marks.

11. Let X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n be iid $B(1, p)$ random variables. Find the Most powerful test function of level α for testing $H_0: p = p_0$ Vs $H_1: p = p_1$ ($p_1 > p_0$).
12. (a) Define Monotone Likelihood Ratio.
(b) Give an example for Non exponential family of distribution possessing MLR property.
13. Let X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n be a random sample from $N(\theta, 1)$. Show that UMP level α test does not exist for testing $H_0: \theta = \theta_0$ Vs $H_1: \theta \neq \theta_0$
14. Explain the need of bounded completeness to prove that similar tests have a Neyman structure?
15. Let X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n be a random sample from $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ $\sigma > 0$ Derive UMPUT for $H_0: \sigma = \sigma_0$ ($\sigma^2 = \sigma_0^2$) Vs $H_1: \sigma \neq \sigma_0$, ($\sigma^2 \neq \sigma_0^2$). Discuss the case when $n=4$, $\sigma_0 = 1$, $\alpha = 0$.
16. Explain Locally most powerful test. Establish the condition to obtain the LMPT.
17. Let X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n be iid $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$, Find the shortest length confidence interval for μ with level $1-\alpha$ based on a minimal sufficient statistic.
18. If $X \sim P(\lambda_1)$ and $Y \sim P(\lambda_2)$ and are independent, then compare the two Poisson populations through UMPUT for $H_0: \lambda_1 \leq \lambda_2$ versus $H_1: \lambda_1 > \lambda_2$, by taking random sample from $P(\lambda_1)$ and $P(\lambda_2)$ of sizes 'm' and 'n' respectively.

Answer any TWO Questions. Each carries 20 marks.

19. State and prove the necessary and sufficient conditions of fundamental Neyman – Pearson lemma.
20. (a) Let X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n be the random sample of size n from $N(0, \sigma^2)$, $\sigma > 0$. For testing $H_0: \sigma \leq \sigma_0$ Vs $H_1: \sigma > \sigma_0$. Derive UMPT with level α . Examine whether the test is consistent.
- (b) Consider the $(k+1)$ parameter exponential family. Derive the conditional UMPU level α test for testing $H_0: \theta \leq \theta_0$ against $H_1: \theta > \theta_0$.
21. (a) Let X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n be a random sample from $U(0, \theta)$ $\theta > 0$. Show that there exist a UMP level α test for $H_0: \theta = \theta_0$ Vs $H_1: \theta \neq \theta_0$.
- (b) Let X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n be a random sample from $N(\mu_1, \sigma^2)$ and Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_n be a random sample from $N(\mu_2, \sigma^2)$. Derive an unconditional UMPUT of size- α for testing $H_0: \mu_2 - \mu_1 \leq 0$ Vs $H_1: \mu_2 - \mu_1 > 0$
22. (a) Derive a likelihood ratio test for testing $H_0: \mu = \mu_0$ Vs $H_1: \mu \neq \mu_0$ when a random sample of size n is drawn from $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$.
23. (b) Let $X_1, X_2 \sim$ iid random sample $H_0: X_1, X_2$ are iid $N(\mu, 1)$ $\mu \in \mathbb{R}$,
 $H_1: X_1, X_2$ are iid $C(\mu, 1)$, Cauchy with location μ . Find UMPIT w.r.t the group of translations.

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