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## 5th Semester Regular/Back Examination – 2015-16 QUANTITATIVE TECHNIQUES-II (MODELLING AND SIMULATION) BRANCH(S): MCA Time: 3 Hours Max Marks: 70 Q.Code:T549

## Answer Question No.1 which is compulsory and any five from the rest. The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks.

Q1 Answer the following questions:

- a) What is the difference between stationary and non-stationary Markov chain?
- b) Under which conditions Markov chain reaches the steady-state condition?
- c) Define transition probability.
- d) What is a random number? What are the properties of a random number?
- e) Define degrees of freedom.
- f) Define continuous system.
- g) When simulation is an appropriate tool and when it is not?
- h) State acceptance and rejection technique.
- i) What is Stratified sampling?
- j) What is a system and what are the components of a system?
- Q2 Define Markov chain. What are the fundamental properties of a finite (10) state, first order Markov chains? Explain how decision tree helps to understand the problem of Markov chains?
- Q3 A manufacturing company has a certain piece of equipment that is (10) inspected at the end of each day and classified as just overhauled, good, fair or inoperative. If the item is inoperative it is overhauled, a procedure that takes one day. The classifications are denoted as states 1, 2 3 and 4 respectively. Assume that the working condition of the equipment follows a Markov chain with the following transition matrix:

$$P = Today \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0 & 3/4 & 1/4 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/2 & 1/2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1/2 & 1/2 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

If it costs Rs. 125 to overhaul a machine on the average and Rs. 75 as production cost if a machine is found inoperative. Using the steady-state probabilities, compute the expected per day cost of maintenance.

(2 x 10)

- Q4 a) Explain the linear congruential method for generating random numbers (5) and generate 10 random numbers using above method with  $X_0 =$ 30, a = 15, c = 40 and m = 100.
  - b) Using Kolmogorov-Smirnov test, find out whether the random numbers (5) generated are uniformly distributed over the interval [0, 1] can be rejected. Assume that  $\alpha = 5\%$  and  $D_{\alpha} = 0.565$ . The random numbers are 0.54, 0.73, 0.98, 0.11, 0.68.
- Q5 a) Use inverse transform techniques of producing random variates for (5) exponential distribution.
  - b) Generate three Poisson variates with mean  $\lambda = 0.2$ .

(5)

(5)

Q6 a) With a suitable flow chart describe two server queue system. (5) b) Explain Discrete event simulation and steps in a simulation study. (5)

Q7 Records pertaining to the monthly number of job related injuries in an (10)underground coalmine were being studied by federal agency. The values of past 100 months are as follows: Injury/month: 0 2 1 3 Frequency of occurrence: 35 40 13 6

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Apply the Chi-Square test to				
distribution is Poisson.				

- Q8 a) Estimate  $\theta = E[X] = \int_0^1 e^x dx$  by using control variate. b) Explain Two-sample problem with example. (5)