

**PROBABILITY THEORY & STOCHASTIC PROCESSES**

(Electronics &amp; Communication Engineering)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

**PART – A**

(Compulsory Question)

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- 1 Answer the following: (10 X 02 = 20 Marks)
- A man is known to speak the truth 2 out of 3 times. He throws a die and reports that it is a one. Find the probability it is actually one.
  - A Continuous random variable X has a probability density function  $f(x) = 3x^2$  for  $0 \leq x \leq 1$ . Find a and b such that: (i)  $P\{X \leq a\} = P\{X > a\}$  (ii)  $P\{X > b\} = 0.05$
  - The joint density function  $g(x, y) = bx^{-x} \cos y$  for  $0 < x < 2$  and  $0 < y < \pi/2$ . If  $g(x, y)$  is a valid density function then find 'b' Value.
  - Show that the mean value of a weighted sum of random variables equals the weighted sum of mean values.
  - A random process  $X(t) = At$ , Where A is uniformly distributed random variable over the interval (0,2). Find the mean value of the process.
  - Define wide sense stationary process?
  - The auto correlation function of a random process  $R_{xx}(\tau) = A0^2 \cos \tau$ . Find the power spectral density.
  - Define cross power spectral density
  - Bring out the differences between narrowband and broadband noises.
  - $X(t)$  is a stationary random process with zero mean and auto correlation  $R_{xx}(\tau) = e^{-2|\tau|}$  is applied to a system of function  $H(w) = \frac{1}{jw + 2}$ . Find mean PSD of its output.

**PART – B**

(Answer all five units, 5 X 10 = 50 Marks)

**UNIT – I**

- 2 (a) State and prove the Baye's theorem.  
 (b) Assume automobile arrivals at a gasoline station are Poisson and occur an average rate of 50 / hour. The station has only one gasoline pump. If all cars are assumed to require one minute to obtain fuel. What is the probability that a waiting line will occur at the pump?

**OR**

- 3 (a) Define Gaussian density functions and derive the Gaussian distribution function.  
 (b) A pair of fair dice is thrown in a gambling problem. Person A wins if the sum of numbers showing up is six or less and one of the dice shows four. Person B wins if the sum is 5 or more and one of the dice shows a four. Find: (i) The probability that A wins. (ii) The probability of B winning. (iii) The probability that both A and B wins.

**UNIT – II**

- 4 (a) Two random variables X and Y have a joint probability density function:
- $$f_{X,Y}(x,y) = \begin{cases} \frac{5}{16}x^2y & 0 < y < x < 2 \\ 0 & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$$
- (i) Find the marginal density functions of X and Y. (ii) Are X and Y statistically independent?
- (b) Two random variables  $Y_1, Y_2$  are defined as
- $$Y_1 = X \cos \theta + Y \sin \theta$$
- $$Y_2 = -X \sin \theta + Y \cos \theta$$
- Find the co-variance between  $Y_1$  and  $Y_2$ .

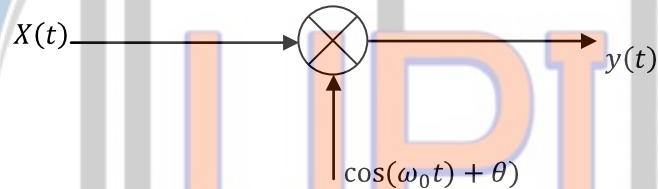
**OR**

- 5 (a) State all the properties of joint probability density function.  
 (b) If the joint probability density function of X, Y is given by  $f_{X,Y}(x, y) = x+y$  for  $0 < x, y < 1$ . Find the probability density function of  $U = XY$ .

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## UNIT – III

- 6 (a) Discuss in detail about: (i) First order stationary random process. (ii) Ergodic process.  
 (b)  $X(t)$  be a wide sense stationarity random process with autocorrelation function  $R_{XX}(\tau) = e^{-a|\tau|}$ ,  $a > 0$ .  $X(t)$  is a "Amplitude modulates" a "carrier"  $\cos(\omega_0 t + \theta)$  as shown in below figure. Here  $\theta$  is a random variable uniform on  $(-\pi, \pi)$ . Show that the process  $y(t)$  is a wide sense stationarity process.



OR

- 7 (a) State and prove the all properties of cross correlation function.  
 (b) The auto correlation function for a stationary process  $X(t)$  is given by  $R_{XX}(\tau) = 9 + 2e^{-|\tau|}$ . Find the mean and variance of  $Y = \int_0^2 x(t) dt$ .

## UNIT – IV

- 8 (a) "The power spectral density of any random waveform and its autocorrelation function are related by means of Fourier transform". Prove and illustrate the above statement.  
 (b) A random process  $X(t) = A \cos(\omega_0 t + \theta)$ , where  $A_0$ ,  $\omega_0$  constants and  $\theta$  is a variable uniformly distributed on the interval  $(0, \pi/2)$ . Find the average power?

OR

- 9 (a) Derive the expression for cross power spectral density?  
 (b) The cross correlation function of any two random processes  $X(t)$  and  $Y(t)$  is:

$$R_{XY}(t, t+) = AB/2 \sin \omega_0 + \cos \omega_0 (2t + \omega_0) \text{ for } -T < t < T.$$

Find the cross power spectral density.

## UNIT – V

- 10 (a) Show that a narrow band noise process can be expressed as in-phase and quadrature components of it.  
 (b) The input voltage to an RLC series Circuit is a stationary random process  $X(t)$  with  $E[x(t)] = 2$  and  $R_{XX}(\tau) = 4 + e^{-2|\tau|}$ . Let  $Y(t)$  be the voltage across capacitor. Find  $E[Y(t)]$ .

OR

- 11 (a) Define and explain the following random process: (i) Band pass. (ii) Band limited. (iii) Narrowband.  
 (b) A mixer stage has a noise figure of 20dB and this is preceded by an amplifier that has a noise figure of 9dB and an available power gain 15dB. Calculate the overall noise figure referred to the input.

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