

MCA (Revised)
Term-End Examination

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**MCSE-004 : NUMERICAL AND STATISTICAL
COMPUTING**

*Time : 3 hours**Maximum Marks : 100*

Note : Question no. 1 is **compulsory**. Attempt any **three** questions from the rest. Use of calculator is allowed.

1. (a) Define relative and percentage error. Find the relative and percentage error when the value of $\pi = \frac{22}{7}$ is approximated to 3.14. 4

(b) Find the value of 'e', correct to 3 decimal places. 4

$$e = 1 + \frac{1}{2!} + \frac{1}{3!} + \frac{1}{4!} + \dots$$

(c) Use the Newton-Raphson method to find the root of the equation $x^3 - 2x - 5 = 0$. Perform two iterations. Use initial approximation $x_0 = 2$. 4

- (d) Solve the following system of linear equations using the Gauss Elimination method :

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$$x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 3$$

$$4x_1 + 3x_2 + 4x_3 = 8$$

$$9x_1 + 3x_2 + 4x_3 = 7$$

- (e) Obtain the forward difference interpolating polynomial from the following set of nodes :

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x	f(x)
0	0
1	7
2	26
3	63
4	124
5	215
6	342
7	511

- (f) Evaluate the integral $\int_0^1 \frac{dx}{1+x}$ using

Simpson's $\frac{3}{8}$ th rule with $h = \frac{1}{3}$.

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(g) A farmer buys a quantity of cabbage seeds from a company that claims that approximately 90% of the seeds will germinate if planted properly. If four seeds are planted, what is the probability that exactly two will germinate? 6

(h) The tangent of the angle between the lines of regression of y on x and x on y is 0.6 and $\sigma_x = \frac{1}{2} \sigma_y$. Find σ_{xy} . 4

2. (a) Solve the following system of equations by using LU Decomposition method : 6

$$x + y = 2$$

$$2x + 3y = 5$$

(b) Find the Lagrange interpolating polynomial that fits the following data : 7

x	0	1	2	5
f(x)	2	3	12	147

(c) Calculate the value of the integral $\int_4^{5.2} \log x \, dx$ using Weddle's rule. 7

3. (a) Show that the moment generating function of a random variable X which is chi-square distributed with ν degrees of freedom is

$$M(t) = (1 - 2t)^{-\nu/2}. \quad 5$$

- (b) In a partially destroyed laboratory record of an analysis of correlation data, the following results are legible :

Variance of $X = 9$

Regression equations

$$8x - 10y + 66 = 0$$

$$40x - 18y - 214 = 0$$

Find

- (i) the mean values of x and y ,
(ii) the correlation coefficient between x and y , and
(iii) the standard deviation of y . 12
- (c) What is the utility of residual plots ? Also give one disadvantage of residual plots. 3
4. (a) Apply the fourth order Runge-Kutta method to the following differential equation :

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -2xy^2$$

$$y(0) = 1$$

Obtain $y(0.2)$, taking $h = 0.2$. 6

- (b) Find the probability that an individual's IQ score is between 91 and 121. Provided : the individual IQ score has normal distribution with mean 100 and variance 225. 6

(c) Write short notes on any *two* of the following : 4+4=8

- (i) Goodness of Fit
- (ii) Newton-Cotes Formula
- (iii) Non-linear Regression

5. (a) Solve by Jacobi's method, the following system of linear equations : 7

$$2x_1 - x_2 + x_3 = -1$$

$$x_1 + 2x_2 - x_3 = 6$$

$$x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 = -3$$

(b) Suppose that the amount of time one spends in a bank to withdraw cash from an evening counter is exponentially distributed with mean 10 minutes, that is, $\lambda = \frac{1}{10}$. What is the probability that the customer will spend more than 15 minutes at the counter ? 6

(c) What do you mean by pseudo-random number generation ? What is the practical advantage of the concept of random number generation ? 7