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**MMT-009**

**M. Sc. (MATHEMATICS WITH  
APPLICATIONS IN COMPUTER  
SCIENCE) [M. Sc. (MACS)]**

**Term-End Examination**

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**MMT-009 : MATHEMATICAL MODELLING**

*Time :  $1\frac{1}{2}$  Hours*

*Maximum Marks : 25*

*Weightage : 70%*

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**Note :** (i) Attempt any **five** questions.

(ii) Use of calculator is not allowed.

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1. (a) Find a linear demand equation that best fits the following data, and use it to predict annual sale of cars priced at ₹ 8,00,000 : 3

$x = \text{Price}$ (lakh of ₹)	$y = \text{sale of new cars}$
12	120
10	132
18	90
20	65
14	100
25	20

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(b) State the types of modelling you will choose for the following problems, giving reasons in support of your answer : 2

(i) Formation of sand and their encroachment its deforested lands near deserts

(ii) Advertising by a manufacturer to promote the product, improve sales and the revenue is generated.

2. Discuss the stability analysis of the following model governing action and diffusion of both-prey and predator populations : 5

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \frac{\partial N_1}{\partial t} &= \alpha_1 N_1 - b_1 N_1 N_2 + D_1 \frac{\partial^2 N_1}{\partial x^2} \\ \frac{\partial N_2}{\partial t} &= -d_1 N_2 + G N_1 N_2 + D_1 \frac{\partial^2 N_2}{\partial x^2} \end{aligned} \right\} \text{where } 0 \leq x \leq L$$

under the following initial conditions and no flux boundary conditions.

$$\left. \begin{aligned} N_1(x, 0) &= f_1(x) > 0 \\ N_2(x, 0) &= f_2(x) > 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \text{for } 0 \leq x \leq L$$

$$\frac{\partial N_1}{\partial x} = 0 \text{ at } x = 0 \text{ and } x = L \forall t$$

$$\frac{\partial N_2}{\partial x} = 0 \text{ at } x = 0 \text{ and } x = L \forall t$$

The variables and parameters of the system given by above equations are as follows :

$N_1$  = density of prey population

$N_2$  = density of predator population

$a_1$  = growth rate

$d_1$  = death rate

$b_1$  = predation rate

$c_1$  = conversion rate

$D_1, D_2$  = diffusion coefficients

and  $a_1, d_1, b_1, c_1, D_1$  and  $D_2$  are all positive constants.

3. (a) The reproduction function of the cancer cells within a spherical tumour is given by :

$$\phi(c) = \frac{2c + 1}{(1 - 3c)^2}; c \neq \frac{1}{3}$$

with initial condition  $c = c_0$  at  $t = 0$ . Find the density of cancer cells in the tumour's surface area at  $t = 20$  days.

- (b) Calculate the expected return and risk of a security for the following information :

Probabilities	Possible returns
0.10	0.20
0.20	0.16
0.30	0.05
0.15	0.30
0.25	0.10

4. (a) H. P. computers has been amended a contract for installing computers in a college. The company has to make a choice between two alternatives : 3

(i) hire one or more computer technician for 8 hours a day

*Or*

(ii) hire one or more part time computer technician for 4 hours a day.

The rate of wages of computer technician is ₹ 40 per hour while the corresponding rate of part time technician is ₹ 16 per hour. The company wants to engage technicians for work not more than 125 man hours per day and limit the charges to techniques to ₹ 1,800. The company estimates that the productivity of a full time technician is eight units and a part-time apprentice technician is three units.

Formulate the integer programming problem to enable the company to select the optimum number of technicians and apprentices.

- (b) The control parameters of growth and decay of a tumour are respectively 2000 and 1200 per day. Also damaged cells migrate due to visualization of blood at a rate of 500 cells per day. Find the ratio of growth tumour after 30 days with initial tumour. 2

5. A goldsmith has three counters in its office. Customers are found to arrive, in a Poisson fashion, at an average rate of 20 per 8-hours day. The amount of time that a counter incharge takes with a customer is found to have exponential distribution with mean service time 30 minutes. Customers are processed in order of their appearance. 5
- (i) How many hours a week can a counter-incharge expect to spend with customers ?
- (ii) How much time, on the average, does a customer spend in the goldsmith's office.
6. An engineer obtained the following data between a vacuum setting and particle size distribution for a product : 5

Vacuum setting = $x$	Particle size = $y$
20	5
22	4
24	6
18	3
26	7
15	2

Fit a linear regression model to the above data.