

S.D.E.

M.C.A. Sem -II : WINTER - 2018
SUBJECT : PROBABILITY & COMBINATORIES

Day : Monday
Date : 03/12/2018

W-2018-4800

Time : 02.00 PM TO 05.00 PM
Max. Marks : 80

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- 1) Attempt **ANY FIVE** questions from Section – I and **ANY TWO** questions from Section – II.
 - 2) Figures to the **RIGHT** indicate **FULL** marks.
 - 3) Both the sections should be written in **SEPARATE** answer books.
 - 4) Use of non-programmable calculator is **ALLOWED**.
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SECTION – I

- Q.1** A committee of 5 people is to be chosen from a group of 6 men and 4 women. (10)
How many committees are possible if
- i) there are to be 3 men and 2 women ?
 - ii) there are to be men only ?
- Q.2** In a hand of Poker, 5 cards are dealt from a regular pack of 52 cards. In how many of these hands are there (10)
- i) all hearts ?
 - ii) all the same colour ?
- Q.3** Let A & B are independent events of a sample space, (10)
if $P(A \cup B) = 0.7$, $P(A \cap B) = 0.2$. Find P(A) and P(B).
- Q.4** Define exponential distribution with parameter θ . Derive its mean and variance. (10)
- Q.5** Solve the recurrence relation $a_n = 7a_{n-1} - 10a_{n-2}$ with $a_0 = 2$ and $a_1 = 3$. (10)
- Q.6** Define sample space of a random experiment. Explain with illustrations (10)
different classifications of sample spaces.
- Q.7** Write short notes on **ANY TWO** of the following. (10)
- a) Pigeonhole principle
 - b) Conditional probability
 - c) Negative Binomial distribution
 - d) Inclusion and exclusion principle.

SECTION – II

- Q.8** A sample of 500 dry battery cells tested to find the length of life produced the results, mean 12 hours and standard deviation 3 hours. Assuming the data to be normally distributed, what percentage of the battery cells are expected to have life (15)
- i) more than 15 hours ?
 - ii) less than 6 hours ?
 - iii) between 10 and 14 hours ?
- Q.9** There are two identical boxes containing 4 white and 3 red balls & 3 white and 7 red balls respectively. A box is chosen at random and a ball is drawn from it. If a ball is white, what is the probability that it is from the first box ? (15)
- Q.10** Define Normal Distribution with suitable example and explain its characteristics. (15)

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