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COMPLEMENTARY COURSE IN MATHEMATICS

4C04 MAT – BCA : Mathematics for BCA – IV

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

SECTION – A

All the first 4 questions are **compulsory**. They carry 1 mark each :

1. What is the expected number of heads when we flip 3 fair coins ?
2. What are the two fundamental conditions on which the simplex method is based ?
3. Give the Newton-Raphson iteration formula.
4. What is meant by the forward differences of a function ? (4×1=4)

SECTION – B

Answer **any 7** questions from among the questions 5 to 13. These questions carry 2 marks each :

5. A pair of dice is tossed. Let X denote the maximum of the numbers appearing. Find the variance of X.
6. Suppose a random variable X has mean $\mu = 25$ and standard deviation $\sigma = 2$. Use Chebyshev's inequality to estimate $P(X \geq 20)$.
7. A game consists of tossing a fair coin four times. A player wins \$ 3 if two or more heads appear; otherwise the player loses \$ 4. Find the expected value of the game.

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8. Rewrite in standard form the following linear programming problem :

Minimize $z = 2x_1 + x_2 + 4x_3$ subject to the constraints :

$-2x_1 + 4x_2 \leq 4$, $x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 \geq 5$, $2x_1 + 3x_3 \leq 2$, $x_1, x_2 \geq 0$ and x_3 unrestricted in sign.

9. Give the standard form of a linear programming problem and explain its characteristics.
10. Obtain an initial basic feasible solution to the following transportation problem using the north-west corner rule:

	D	E	F	G	Available
A	11	13	17	14	250
B	16	18	14	10	300
C	21	24	13	10	400
Requirement	200	225	275	250	

11. The function $y = \sin x$ is tabulated below :

x	0	$\pi/4$	$\pi/2$
sin x	0	0.70711	1.0

Using Lagrange's interpolation formula, find the value of $\sin (\pi/6)$.

12. Given $\frac{dy}{dx} = 1 + xy$, $y(0) = 1$, find $y(0.1)$ correct to four decimal places, by Taylor series.

13. Using Picard's method, find $y(0.1)$, given that $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y-x}{y+x}$ and $y(0) = 1$. (7×2=14)



SECTION – C

Answer **any 4** questions from among the questions **14** to **19**. These questions carry **3** marks **each** :

14. Let X be a random variable with distribution :

x	1	2	3
P (X = x)	0.3	0.5	0.2

Find the distribution, mean and standard deviation of the random variable $Y = x^2 + 3x + 4$.

15. Maximize $z = 50x_1 + 60x_2$ subject to the constraints :

$$2x_1 + 3x_2 \leq 1500, 3x_1 + 2x_2 \leq 1500, 0 \leq x_1 \leq 400, 0 \leq x_2 \leq 400.$$

16. Using Newton's forward difference formula, find the sum

$$S_n = 1^3 + 2^3 + 3^3 + \dots + n^3.$$

17. Use the method of false position to find a real root, correct to three decimal places of the equation, $x^3 + x^2 + x + 7 = 0$.

18. Evaluate $I = \int_0^1 \frac{1}{1+x} dx$ correct to three decimal places using both the trapezoidal and Simpson's rules with $h = 0.125$.

19. Given $y' = x - y^2$; $y(0) = 1$, use Taylor's series method to determine $y(0.1)$, correct to four decimal places. **(4×3=12)**



SECTION – D

Answer **any 2** questions from among the questions **20** to **23**. These questions carry **5** marks **each** :

20. Let X be a random variable with the following distribution and let $Y = X^2$:

x	-2	-1	1	2
$P(X=x)$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{4}$

- Find the distribution of Y .
- Find the joint distribution of X and Y .
- Determine whether X and Y are independent.
- Find $\text{Cov}(X, Y)$ and $\rho(X, Y)$.

21. Use simplex method to solve the following L.P.P. :

Maximize $z = 4x_1 + 10x_2$ subject to the constraints :

$$2x_1 + x_2 \leq 50, 2x_1 + 5x_2 \leq 100, 2x_1 + 3x_2 \leq 90; x_1 \geq 0, x_2 \geq 0.$$

22. From the following table of values of x and y , obtain $\frac{dy}{dx}$ and $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$ for $x = 1.2$:

x	1.0	1.2	1.4	1.6	1.8	2.0	2.2
y	2.7183	3.3201	4.0552	4.9530	6.0496	7.3891	9.0250

23. Solve the initial value problem defined by $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3x+y}{x+2y}$, $y(1) = 1$ and find $y(1.2)$

and $y(1.4)$ by the Runge-Kutta fourth order formula.

(2×5=10)