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Fourth Semester B.Tech. Degree Examination, June 2019

(2013 Scheme)

**13.401 : PROBABILITY, RANDOM PROCESSES AND NUMERICAL
TECHNIQUES (FR)**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 100

PART – A

Answer **all** questions. Each question carries **4** marks. :

1. If $f(x) = \frac{k}{2^x}$ is a probability distribution of a random variable which can take values $x = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4$. Find K and Mean of the distribution.
2. Find the mean and variance of the probability distribution with density function $f(x) = Ke^{-\frac{1}{8}(x^2+8x+16)}$.
3. The customers arrive at a bank according to a Poisson Process with mean rate of 2 minutes. Find the probability that during an 1 minute interval no customers arrive.
4. The autocorrelation function of a stationary process $\{(X(t))\}$ is given by $R(\tau) = 2 + 4e^{-2|\tau|}$. Find mean and variance of the process $\{(X(t))\}$.

5. Using Lagrange's interpolation formula find the value of y when $x = 9$ for the following data

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| X | 5 | 6 | 11 |
| Y | 12 | 13 | 16 |

(5 × 4 = 20 Marks)

PART – B

Answer **one full** question from **each** Module. Each question carries **20** marks.

Module – I

6. (a) If $f(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x < 2 \\ \frac{1}{18}(2x+3) & 2 \leq x < 4 \\ 0 & x > 4 \end{cases}$ is the probability density function of a

random variable. Find Mean and distribution function. 7

- (b) Human errors is given as the reason for 75% of all accidents in a plant. Use Binomial distribution to find the probability that human error will be given as the reason for 2 of the next 4 accidents. 7

- (c) The mean weight of 500 students at a certain school is 50 kg and the standard deviation is 6 kg. Assuming that the weights are normally distributed, find the expected number of students weighing

(i) between 40 and 50 kg

(ii) more than 60 kg. 6

OR

7. (a) A Random variable has the following probability distribution

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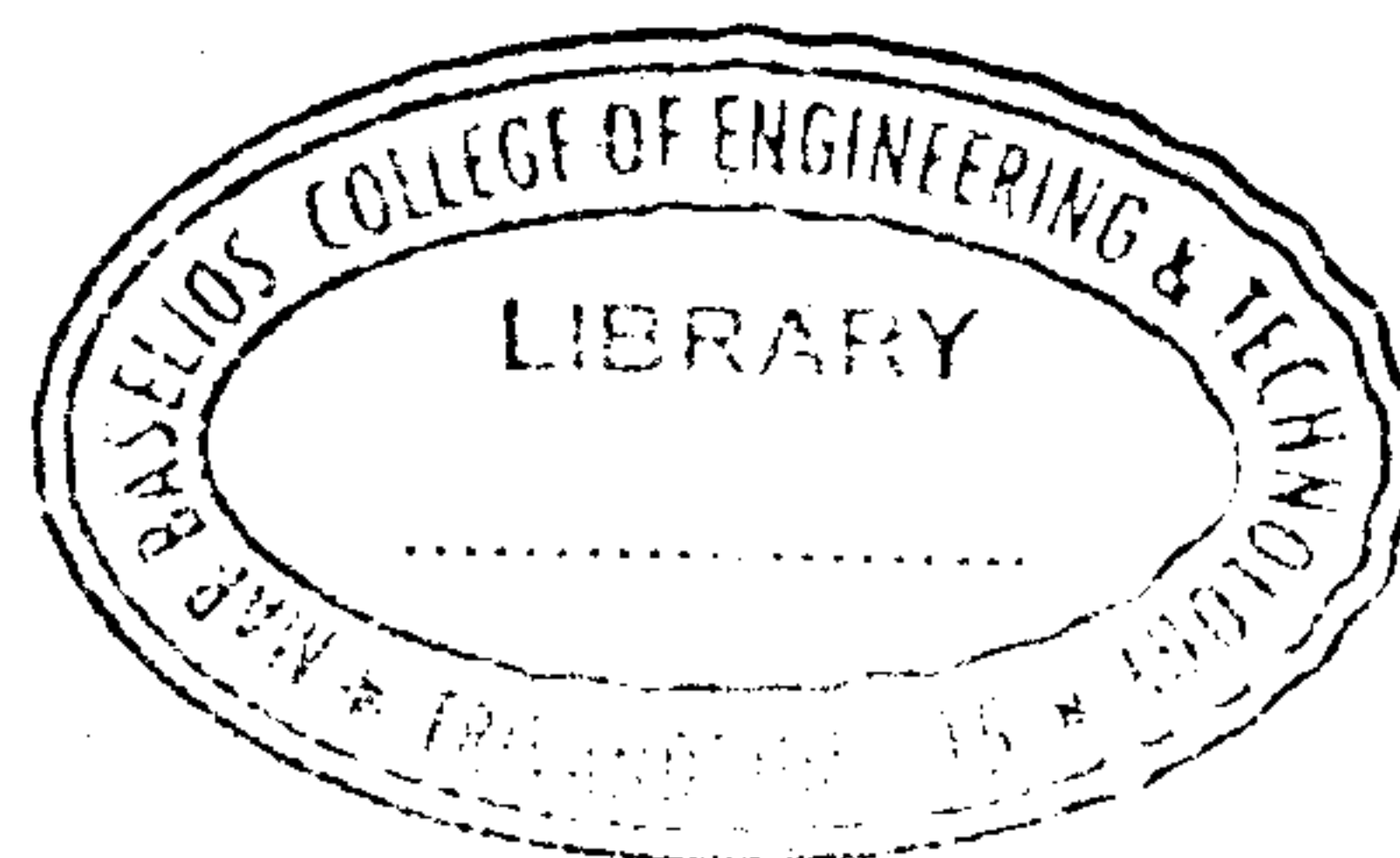
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| X | -2 | -1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| $f(x)$ | 1/10 | k | 1/5 | $2k$ | 3/10 | $3k$ |

Find :

- (i) k
 - (ii) Mean
 - (iii) Variance
 - (iv) $P(-2 < X < 2)$.
- (b) The number of cell phones sold daily in a shop is uniformly distributed with a minimum of 50 phones and a maximum of 100 phones. Find the probability that :
- (i) the daily sales will fall between 70 and 80 phones
 - (ii) at least 75 phones are sold on a given day
 - (iii) at most 70 phones are sold on a given day.
- (c) The monthly breakdown of a computer follows Poisson distribution with mean 1.2. Find the probability that this computer will function for a month
- (i) without a break down
 - (ii) with only one break down
 - (iii) with at most two break down.

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Module – II

8. (a) If $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} e^{-(x+y)} & x \geq 0, y \geq 0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$ is a joint probability density function of two dimensional random variable. Find $P\left(\frac{1}{2} < X < 2, 0 < Y < 4\right)$. 7
- (b) If $f(x, y) = 2$ for $0 < x < 1, 0 < y < x$ is the joint probability density function of random variables X and Y , find the marginal and conditional density functions. Are X and Y are independent? 7
- (c) Calculate the coefficient of correlation for the following data 6
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| x | 9 | 8 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| y | 15 | 16 | 14 | 13 | 11 | 12 | 10 | 8 | 9 |

OR

9. (a) Show that $X(t) = A \cos(\omega_0 t + \theta)$ is WSS if A and ω_0 are constants and θ is Uniformly distributed in $(0, 2\pi)$. 10
- (b) Show that the Random Process $X(t) = A \cos \lambda t + B \sin \lambda t$ (A, B are Random variables) is WSS if $E(A) = E(B) = 0, E(A^2) = E(B^2), E(AB) = 0$. 10

Module – III

10. (a) If the auto correlation function of a random process is $R(\tau) = \rho e^{-\rho|\tau|}, \rho > 0$, show that the spectral density is given by $S(w) = \frac{2}{1 + \left(\frac{w}{\rho}\right)^2}$. 10
- (b) If the auto covariance function of a stationary process $X(t)$ is given by $C(\tau) = q e^{-\alpha|\tau|}$ ($\alpha > 0$ and q are constants). Show that $X(t)$ is mean ergodic. 10

OR

11. (a) If the auto correlation function of a WSS process is $R(\tau) = \rho e^{-\rho|\tau|}$, $\rho > 0$, show that $X(t)$ is mean ergodic. 10

(b) Suppose that customers arrive at a shop in accordance with a Poisson process with mean arrival of 5 minutes. Find the probability that during a time interval of 3 minutes

(i) exactly 10 customers arrive

(ii) more than 10 customers arrive. 10

Module – IV

12. (a) Find the root between (2, 3) of $x^3 - 2x - 5 = 0$ by regula Falsi method. 7

(b) Solve by Gauss Seidal Iteration method

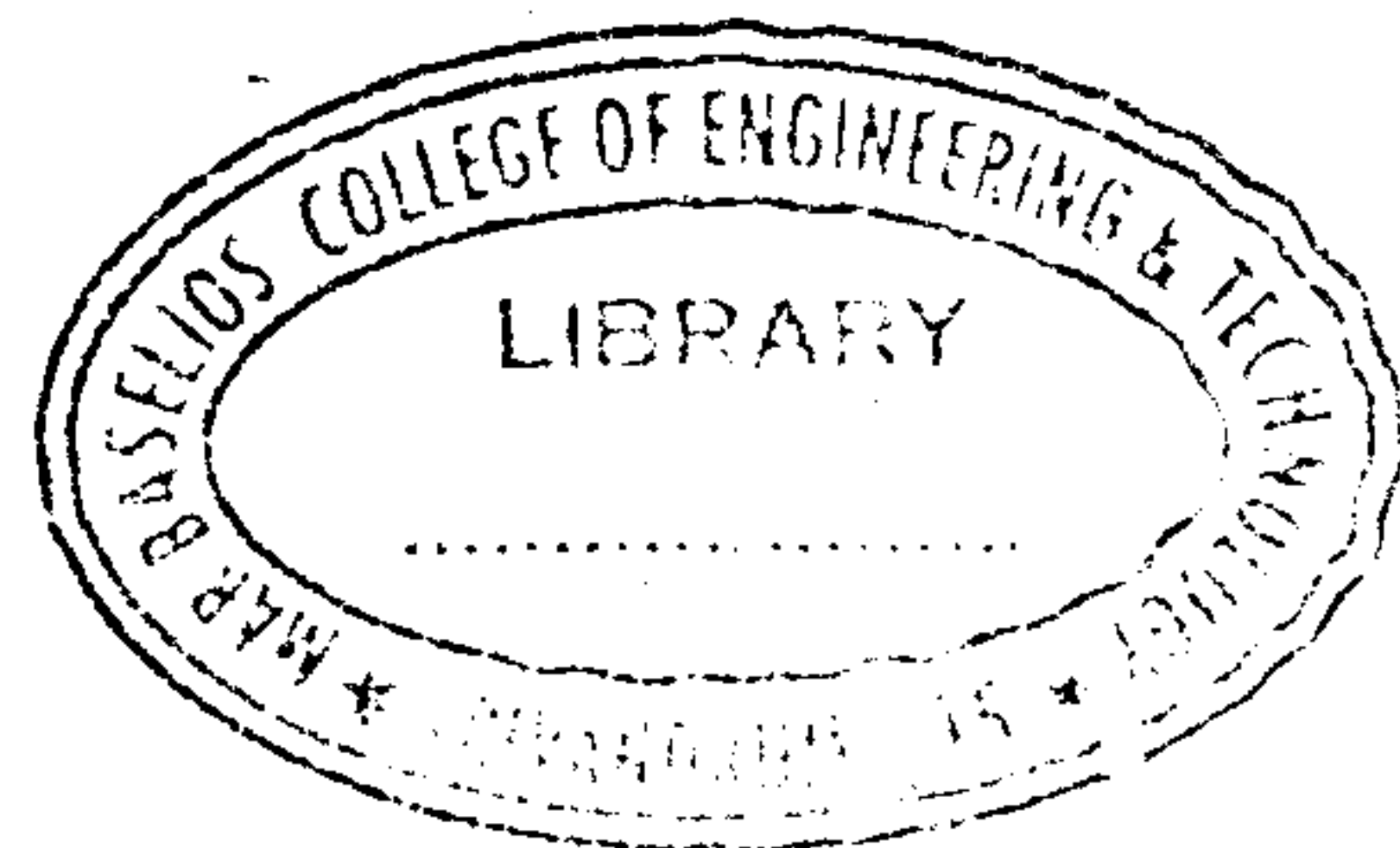
$$3x + 2y = 4.5, 2x + 3y - z = 5, -y + 2z = -0.5.$$

Use Initial approximation $x_0 = 0.4, y_0 = 1.6, z_0 = 0.4$. 7

(c) Evaluate $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin x \, dx$ using :

(i) Trapezoidal rule

(ii) Simpson's rule with 10 equal intervals. 6



OR

13. (a) Solve by Gauss Elimination method :

$$x + 2y + z = 3, 2x + 3y + 3z = 10, 3x - y + 2z = 13.$$

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(b) Using Newton's forward interpolation formula estimate $\sin 47^\circ$ given

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| θ | 45 | 50 | 55 | 60 | 65 |
| $\sin \theta$ | 0.7071 | 0.7660 | 0.8192 | 0.8660 | 0.9036 |

(c) Using Newton-Raphson's method solve the equation $\cos x + 1 = 3x$ correct to 4 decimal places.

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