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3. Attempt six questions in all.
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1. (a) Fill in the Blanks :

(i) In a symmetric distribution the mean and mode are \_\_\_\_\_ .

(ii) If A and B are independent events, then A and  $\bar{B}$  are \_\_\_\_\_ .

(iii) A distribution with two modes is called \_\_\_\_\_ and with more than two modes is called \_\_\_\_\_ .

(iv) If  $\beta_2 > 3$  the distribution is said to be \_\_\_\_\_ .

(v) If A and B are independent events then  $P(A \cup B) =$  \_\_\_\_\_ .

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- (b) If A, B and C are mutually exclusive events such that  $p_1 = P(A)$ ,  $p_2 = P(B)$ ,  $p_3 = P(A \cap B)$ , find in terms of  $p_1$ ,  $p_2$  and  $p_3$

(i)  $P(\bar{A} \cup B)$

(ii)  $P(A|B)$  (5)

- (c) The line of regression in a bivariate distribution are  $X + 9Y = 7$  and

$Y + 4X = \frac{49}{3}$ . Find (i) Coefficient of correlation and (ii) the ratio  $\sigma_x^2 : \sigma_y^2$ .

(5)

2. (a) Calculate the mean and standard deviation (s.d.) for the following frequency distribution.

Class-interval	0-8	8-16	16-24	24-32	32-40	40-48
Frequency	8	7	16	24	15	7

(6)

- (b) Show that for any discrete frequency distribution  $\beta_2 > 1$ .

(6)

3. (a) From the following table showing the wage distribution in a certain factory, calculate the mode of wages and median wage.

Weekly wages	20-40	40-60	60-80	80-100	100-120	120-140	140-160	160-180	180-200
No. of Employees	8	12	20	30	40	35	18	7	5

(6)

- (b) Prove that the sum of the squares of the deviations of a set of values is minimum when taken about mean.

(6)

4. (a) Let A and B be two events such that  $P(A) = \frac{3}{4}$  and  $P(B) = \frac{5}{8}$ . Show that

$$(i) P(A \cup B) \geq \frac{3}{4}$$

$$(ii) \frac{3}{8} \leq P(A \cap B) \leq \frac{5}{8} \quad (6)$$

- (b) State and prove addition theorem of probability for any two events A and B. (6)
5. (a) The odds that a book will be favourably reviewed by 3 independent critics are 5 to 2, 4 to 3 and 3 to 4 respectively. What is the probability that, of the three reviews, a majority will be favourable? (6)
- (b) State Bayes Theorem. In a bolt factory machines A, B and C manufacture respectively 25%, 35% and 40% bolts. Of their output 5, 4, 2 percentage are defective respectively. A bolt is drawn at random from the product and is found to be defective. What are the probabilities that it was manufactured by Machines A, B and C? (6)
6. (a) Define Karl Pearson correlation coefficient and obtain the limits for correlation coefficient. (6)
- (b) The variables X and Y are connected by the equation  $aX + bY + c = 0$ . Show that the correlation between them is  $-1$  if the signs of a and b are alike and  $+1$  if they are different. (6)

7. (a) In a bivariate distribution, it is given that

$$\bar{x} = 65, \bar{y} = 67, \sigma_x = 2.5, \sigma_y = 3.5, r = .8$$

Find the line of regression of Y on X and also obtain the value of Y corresponding to X = 70. (6)

- (b) If  $r_{12} = 0.80$ ,  $r_{13} = -0.40$ , and  $r_{23} = -0.56$ . Find the values of  $r_{12.3}$  and  $R_{1.23}$ . (6)