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## MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES - Paper VI (a)

(OPERATIONAL RESEARCH)

(Statistical Quality Control and Forecasting)

Time: 3 hours Maximum Marks: 30

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Answer any five questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

- Define the time series. Describe the components of Time Series.
- 2. (a) Explain how the Principle of Least Squares is used to estimate trend in a Time Series.
  - (b) From the following data estimate the production for 2010, by fitting a linear trend.

Year	Production	
2005	2.0	
2006	3.2	
2007	4.2	
2008	8.3	
2009	12.5	

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3. In a Time Series, why are Moving Averages calculated? How is the period of a Moving Averages calculated?

Determine the period of Moving Average for the following data and calculate Moving Averages for that period.

Year	Value
1	240
2	235
3	227
4	238
5	250
6	242
7	228
8	226
9	245
10	. 268
11	274
12	258
13	280

- 4. (a) Write short notes on Single Exponential Smoothing method for forecasting and how it is different from Double Exponential Smoothing method.
  - (b) The consumption date of a item is given below:

Year	Consumption		
	(No. of Units)		
2005	512		
2006	630		
2007	605		
2008	605		
2009	602		

Forecast the consumption for the year 2010 by Simple Exponential Smoothing Method assume initial forecast as 512 and  $\alpha = 0.4$ .

- 5. (a) Explain the use of  $\overline{X}$  and R-charts in Quality Control.
  - (b) Control on measurements of pitch diameter of Threads in Aircraft. Fittings is checked with 5 successive items measured on regular intervals. 5 such sample are given:

Sample	Measurements of 5 items per hour						
No.	(in 0.0001 inches)						
1	45	44	43	42	41		
2	40	40	43	41	40		
3	40	41	42	40	42		
4	42	48	43	42	. 45		
5	42	44	47	47	45		

Construct the  $\overline{X}$  and R-charts, also discuss the state of control in the Production Process.

- 6. (a) What do you mean by Double Sampling Plan?
  How it is different from Single Sampling Plan?
  - (b) What are chance and assignable causes of variation in process?
- 7. Explain the following:
  - (a) ISO 9000
  - (b) Statistical Quality Control and its advantages
  - (c) C-Chart for no. of defects