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MASTER'S DEGREE (C.S.S) EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2024 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 ADMISSIONS SUPPLEMENTARY SEMESTER I - CORE COURSE Applied Statistics and Data Analytics ST1C01TM - Probability and Measure Theory

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Weight: 30

Part A

I. Answer any Eight questions. Each question carries 1 weight

(8x1=8)

- 1. Prove that every Borel set is measurable.
- 2. Prove that outer measure of a singleton set is zero.
- 3. Define Counting measure
- 4. Define independence of a sequence of random variables.
- 5. State continuity property of probability measure
- State Tchebychev's inequality
- 7. State Holder's Inequality.
- 8. State Jensen's inequality.
- 9. state Liaponov's Central limit theorem
- 10. State Lindberg-Feller central limit theorem.

Part B

II. Answer any Six questions. Each question carries 2 weight

(6x2=12)

- 11. State and prove Fatou's lemma.
- 12. Define a measurable function and explain its properties.
- 13. Prove that the set of discontinuity points of distribution function is atmost countable.
- 14. Differentiate between discrete and continuous probability spaces, and outline the key characteristics associated with each.
- 15. Define convergence is probability and convergence in distribution regarding a sequence of random variables $\{Xn, n \ge 1\}$ to a random variable X. Show that the former implies the latter
- 16. State and prove Basic inequality.
- 17. Show that Liaponov's condition implies Lindberg-Feller condition for CLT.
- 18. Let sequence $\{X_n\}$ be a sequence of independent random variables with

$$P\left[X_k=\pm k\right]=\frac{k^{-\lambda}}{2}, P\left(X_k=0\right)=1-k^{-\lambda} \text{ . Identify the range of values of λ for which $\{X_n\}$ holds CLT.}$$

III. Answer any Two questions. Each question carries 5 weight

(2x5=10)

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- 1. State and prove Lebesgue Monotone Convergence theorem.
- 2. Prove that μ^* is an outer measure.
- 20. Derive Jordan decomposition theorem.
- 21. (a) Show how Chebychev's inequality be obtained from Markov's inequality. Also, show that values of Karl Pearson's correlation coefficient lies between -1 and 1.
 - (b) Show that convergence in probability implies that convergence in distribution under conditions to be stated, and give an example. Establish the converse of this result

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- a. State and prove Chebychev's WLLN.
- b. State and prove Khinchine WLLN.

