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B.Tech

SEM: III - THEORY EXAMINATION (2025 - 2026)

Subject: Computational Statistic

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 100

General Instructions:

IMP: Verify that you have received the question paper with the correct course, code, branch etc.

1. This Question paper comprises of **three Sections -A, B, & C**. It consists of Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ's) & Subjective type questions.

2. Maximum marks for each question are indicated on right -hand side of each question.

3. Illustrate your answers with neat sketches wherever necessary.

4. Assume suitable data if necessary.

5. Preferably, write the answers in sequential order.

6. No sheet should be left blank. Any written material after a blank sheet will not be evaluated/checked.

SECTION-A

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1. Attempt all parts:-

1-a. The inverse of the covariance matrix is known as: (CO1,K1)

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- (a) Correlation matrix
- (b) Precision matrix
- (c) Identity matrix
- (d) Hessian matrix

1-b.

If $X \sim N_2(\mu, \Sigma)$, where $\mu = [2 \ 2]'$ and then the variance of X_2 is (CO1,K3)

$$\Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

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- (a) 4
- (b) 2
- (c) 3
- (d) 5

1-c. The maximum number of discriminant functions you can obtain is:(CO2,K2)

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- (a) Number of predictors
- (b) Number of observations
- (c) Number of categorical variables
- (d) Number of groups minus one

1-d. The following is a key benefit of using LDA. (CO2,K2)

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- (a) Reduces file size
- (b) Enhances noise
- (c) Improves classification performance

- (d) Increases contrast
- 1-e. If the covariance matrix is $\Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$, then the sum of eigenvalues:(CO3,K2) 1
- (a) 5
- (b) 6
- (c) 4
- (d) 2
- 1-f. PCA can have the following no. of principal components:(CO3,K2) 1
- (a) One less than the number of original features
- (b) Equal to the number of original features
- (c) More than the number of original features
- (d) None Of the these
- 1-g. The total of all eigen values will equal to:(CO4,K2) 1
- (a) 0
- (b) Covariance
- (c) Variance
- (d) The number of variables in the analysis
- 1-h. The factor transformation method is commonly used to make factor loadings interpretable by rotating the factors.(CO4,K2) 1
- (a) Principal Component Analysis (PCA)
- (b) Varimax rotation
- (c) Hierarchical Cluster Analysis
- (d) Cronbach's Alpha
- 1-i. Agglomerative clustering is an example of :(CO5,K1) 1
- (a) Hierarchical
- (b) Distance-based clustering
- (c) Both a and b
- (d) K means
- 1-j. The following type of clustering is suitable for finding clusters of varying shapes and sizes, and does not require specifying the number of clusters beforehand.(CO5,K2) 1
- (a) K-Means Clustering
- (b) Fuzzy Clustering
- (c) DBSCAN
- (d) None of them
2. Attempt all parts:-
- 2.a. Write down the Condition that must satisfy covariance matrix Σ in a multivariate normal distribution (CO1,K2) 2
- 2.b. Write down the main purpose of discriminant analysis in statistics. (CO2,K2) 2
- 2.c. Name two methods to decide how many principal components to retain in PCA.(CO3,K1) 2

- 2.d. Given: Communality for $X_1 = 0.60$, for $X_2 = 0.75$ Find Uniqueness for both variables. (CO4, K3) 2
- 2.e. Define overlapping clustering.(CO5,K1) 2

SECTION-B 30

3. Attempt all parts:-

3.a. Answer any one of the following:-

- 3.a.(i) Let X follows $N_2(\mu, \Sigma)$ where 6

$$\mu = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find the mean and variance of $Y = (3X_1 - X_2)$ (CO1,K3)

- 3.a.(ii) Define Multivariate normal distribution and also explain the quadratic form in Multivariate normal distribution. (CO1,K2) 6

3.b. Answer any one of the following:-

- 3.b.(i) Define discriminant analysis and Give the reasons to use discriminant analysis rather than regression analysis. (CO2,K2) 6

- 3.b.(ii) Suppose you have two groups (C and D) and two variables (X and Y): 6

Group	X (mean)	Y (mean)
C	8	12
D	5	9

$$\text{and } \Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

Calculate the linear discriminant function coefficients. (CO2,K3)

3.c. Answer any one of the following:-

- 3.c.(i) Define PCA and Discuss the real life examples of PCA. (CO3,K2) 6

- 3.c.(ii) Differentiate between Unsupervised learning and Supervised learning with example. (CO3,K4) 6

3.d. Answer any one of the following:-

- 3.d.(i) Explain the types of factor rotation in factor analysis.(CO4,K2) 6

- 3.d.(ii) Define factor analysis and also discuss the need of factor analysis.(CO4,K2) 6

3.e. Answer any one of the following:-

- 3.e.(i) Differentiate between Partitional and Hierarchical clustering.(CO5,K2) 6

- 3.e.(ii) Explain the steps of DBSCAN algorithm.(CO5,K2) 6

SECTION-C 50

4. Answer any one of the following:-

- 4-a. If X distributed as $N_3(\mu, \Sigma)$, where (CO1,K3) 10

$$\mu = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Check the following random vectors are independent or not.

- i. (X_1, X_3) and
- ii. (X_1, X_2)
- iii. (X_2, X_3)
- iv. (X_1, X_3) and X_2
- v. X_1 and $(-X_1 + 3X_2 - 2X_3)$

4-b. If X distributed as $N_3(\mu, \Sigma)$, where (CO1,K3) 10

$$\mu = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 3 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 4 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

then find the conditional distribution of $(X_1/X_2 = 1, X_3 = 10)$

5. Answer any one of the following:-

5-a. Let there are two classes C_1 and C_2 with the following 2D sample: (CO2,K3) 10

$C_1: [2,3], [3,3]$ and $C_2: [2,1], [3,2]$

Compute the class means and within-class scatter S_w .

5-b. Let there are two classes with 1D data points: (CO2,K3) 10

$C_1: x_1=2, x_2=3, x_3=3, x_4=5$

$C_2: x_5=6, x_6=7$

Compute the LDA projection vector w (in 1D, it's just the direction).

6. Answer any one of the following:-

6-a. Explain the terms : 1) Eigen vectors 2) Eigen values 3) Orthogonality 4) Principal 10

Components. (CO3,K2)

6-b. Given data : $X = \{ 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 \}$; $Y = \{ 1, 5, 3, 6, 7, 8 \}$. 10

Compute the Eigenvalues, Eigenvectors and first principal component

direction using PCA Algorithm. (CO3,K3)

7. Answer any one of the following:-

7-a. Define Factor Analysis Model and Discuss the method of determining number of 10

factors in factor analysis. (CO4,K2)

7-b. Differentiate between Exploratory Factor analysis and Confirmatory Factor 10

analysis. (CO4,K4)

8. Answer any one of the following:-

8-a. Differentiate between classification and clustering in detail with examples. 10

(CO5,K2)

8-b. The given dataset of 8 data points in a two-dimensional space :, 10

$A_1: (2, 3), A_2: (3, 2), A_3: (5, 6), A_4: (6, 5), A_5: (8, 6), A_6: (9, 7), A_7: (1, 1), A_8: (2, 2)$

Perform K-Means clustering with $K = 2$, starting with the initial cluster centroids at

$(1, 1)$ and $(2, 2)$. (CO5,K3)