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Name of the Paper : Linear Models

Name of the Course : B.Sc. (H) Statistics

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Attempt *six* questions in all,

selecting *three* questions from each Section.

Section I

1. State and prove Cochran's theorem. 12½
2. Derive the analysis of variance for two-way classified data with one observation per cell under fixed effect model. 12½

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3. (a) Consider $y_{ij} = \mu + \alpha_i + \epsilon_{ij}$, $i = 1, 2, j = 1, 2, 3$. Write the normal equations for estimating μ and α_i . Are $\mu + \alpha_1$, $\alpha_1 + \alpha_2$, $\alpha_1 - \alpha_2$, $\mu + \alpha_1 + \alpha_2$ estimable and why ?
- (b) Describe the general linear model and discuss briefly the different studies derived from it. 6½,6
4. (a) Consider the model $E(Y_1) = 2\beta_1 + \beta_2$, $E(Y_2) = \beta_1 - \beta_2$, $E(Y_3) = \beta_1 - \beta_3$ with usual assumptions. Obtain the BLUE of $\beta_1 + 2\beta_2$ and its variance.
- (b) For a given model $Y_{n \times 1} = X_{n \times p} \beta_{p \times 1} + \epsilon_{n \times 1}$ with $E(\epsilon) = 0$, $V(\epsilon) = \sigma^2 I$ and $\rho(X) = p < n$. Obtain an unbiased estimator of σ^2 . 7½,5

Section II

5. (a) For a Simple linear regression model $Y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 X_i + \epsilon_i$, find the 100 $(1 - \alpha)\%$ confidence interval for the mean response at a particular value of the regressor variable X .

- (b) Show that, for any linear model :

$$\sum_{i=1}^n V(\hat{Y}_i) / n = \text{trace} \frac{\{X(X'X)^{-1}X'\} \sigma^2}{n} = p\sigma^2 / n$$

where p is the number of unknown parameters. 6,6½

6. (a) Discuss the problem of testing for lack of fit in simple linear regression model.
- (b) What do you mean by bias in regression estimates ? Suppose we postulate the model $E(Y) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 X$ but the model $E(Y) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 X + \beta_{11} X^2$ is actually the true response function, unknown to us. If we use observations of Y at $X = -1, 0, 1$ to estimate β_0 and β_1 in the postulated model, what biases will be introduced in them ? 6,6½
7. (a) Which specific regressors seem important in multiple regression ? How will you address this question ? Discuss.

- (b) We fit a straight line model to a set of data using the formulas $b = (X'X)^{-1}X'Y$, $\hat{Y} = Xb$ with the usual definitions. We define $H = X(X'X)^{-1}X'$. Show that :

$$SS(\text{due to regression}) = Y'HY = \hat{Y}'\hat{Y} = \hat{Y}'H^3\hat{Y}. \quad 6.6\frac{1}{2}$$

8. Write notes on any two of the following : 6.6 $\frac{1}{2}$

- (a) Role of orthogonal polynomials in fitting polynomial models

in one variable

- (b) Stepwise regression method

- (c) No intercept regression model.

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