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SECOND SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2021 STATISTICS

FMST2C07: REGRESSION ANALYSIS

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Weightage: 30

Part A: All questions can be answered. Each carries two weightage (Ceiling 6 weightage).

- 1. What is a simple linear regression model? What are the assumptions for this model?
- 2. Define coefficient of determination. How do you calculate it from the sum of squares? What are its implications on the model?
- 3. What is the role of residual analysis in model checking?
- 4. Explain any three transformations for linearizing the model.
- 5. What do you mean by polynomial regression? How do you select the order of the model?
- 6. What do you mean by a Generalized linear model (GLM)? What are the assumptions in this model? Explain the limitations of GLM.
- 7. Explain logistic regression model.

Part B: All questions can be answered. Each carries four weightage (Ceiling 12 weightage).

- 8. Obtain the 95% confidence interval for the regression coefficients in simple linear regression model.
- 9. Explain hypothesis testing for the slope and intercept of the simple linear regression model.
- 10. Given that Y_1, Y_2, Y_3 are random variables with means $\mu_1 + \mu_2$, $\mu_1 + \mu_3$ and $\mu_3 + \mu_2$ respectively and a common variance σ^2 . Then show that $l_1\mu_1 + l_2\mu_2 + l_3\mu_3$ is estimable if and only if $l_1 = l_2 + l_3$.
- 11. Describe the method of locally weighted regression.
- 12. What are indicator variables? Explain in detail its use in multiple regression model.
- 13. Describe Poisson regression model and its estimation.
- 14. Explain link functions and linear predictors with respect to GLM.

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Part C: All questions can be answered. Each carries six weightage (Ceiling 12 weightage).

- 15. Let $Y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i + \epsilon_i$ for i=1,2,...,n where $E(\epsilon) = 0$ and $var(\epsilon) = \sigma^2 I_n$. Find the least square estimators of β_0 and β_1 . Also find covariance between the estimators.
- 16. State and prove Gauss Markov theorem for a simple linear regression.
- 17. Describe the method of fitting orthogonal polynomials.
- 18. Explain Forward selection, Backward elimination and Stepwise regression methods.