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(Regular/Improvement/Supplementary)  
STATISTICS  
FMST3C12: TESTING OF STATISTICAL HYPOTHESES

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Weightage: 30

Part A: Answer any four questions.  
Each carries 2 weightage.

1. Outline the methodology of a sequential probability ratio test.
2. Define a UMP test. Will it always exist? Justify your answer with the help of an example.
3. Define type I error, type II error, size and power of test.
4. Define  $\alpha$ -similar tests. Explain tests with Neyman structure.
5. Narrate various advantages and disadvantages of using non-parametric tests.
6. Explain chi-square test for goodness of fit.
7. Explain: (a) locally most powerful test (b) locally most powerful unbiased test.  
(4 x 2 = 8 weightage)

Part B: Answer any four questions.  
Each carries 3 weightage.

8. Let  $X \sim N(\mu, 4)$ ;  $\mu$  is unknown. To test  $H_0 : \mu = -1$  against  $H_1 : \mu = 1$  based on a sample of size 10 from this population, we use the critical region  $x_1 + 2x_2 + \dots + 10x_{10} \geq 0$ . What is its size? What is the power of the test?
9. Show that each of the following families has an MLR.
  - (a)  $N(\theta, \sigma^2)$  family with  $\sigma^2$  known.
  - (b)  $P(\lambda)$  family

10. Compare Chi-square test of goodness of fit with Kolmogorov-Smirnov test.
11. A sample of size 1 is taken from the pdf

$$f_{\theta}(x) = \frac{2}{\theta^2}(\theta - x), \quad 0 < x < \theta$$

Find an MP test of  $H_0 : \theta = \theta_0$  against  $H_1 : \theta_1$  ( $\theta_1 < \theta_0$ ).

12. Define OC function and ASN function of SPRT. Show that SPRT terminates with probability one under certain assumptions.
13. How Wilcoxon's signed-rank test differ from sign test and how to perform it?
14. Explain general method of construction of likelihood ratio test. Obtain likelihood ratio test for testing  $H_0 : \mu = \mu_0$  against  $H_1 : \mu = \mu_1$  where  $X_i \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ ,  $\sigma^2$  unknown.

(4 x 3 = 12 weightage)

**Part C: Answer any two questions.**  
Each carries 5 weightage.

15. a) Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  be random sample from  $U(0, \theta)$ . Obtain MP test for testing  $H_0 : \theta = 1$  against  $H_1 : \theta = 2$  with  $\alpha = 0.05$ .  
b) Show that Cauchy distribution does not have MLR property.
16. Using Neyman-Pearson lemma, find the best critical region for the test of hypothesis  $H_0 : \mu = \mu_0$  vs  $H_1 : \mu = \mu_1$  for the  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$  population, when  $\sigma^2$  is known in the cases  
(i)  $\mu_0 < \mu_1$  (ii)  $\mu_0 > \mu_1$   
Also find the power of the test.
17. State and prove the properties of SPRT.
18. Point out the advantages of SPRT over classical tests. Find OC function of the SPRT for testing  $H_0 : \theta = 0.2$  against  $H_1 : \theta = 0.4$  where is the probability of success of Bernoulli trial. Take  $\alpha = \beta = 0.05$ .

(2 x 5 = 10 weightage)