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THIRD SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2022 STATISTICS FMST3E11 – TIME SERIES ANALYSIS

Time: 3 Hours

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

- 1. What is the difference between the autoregressive model and the moving average model?
- 2. Define spectral density. What is the purpose of spectral density?
- 3. How do you choose an AR or MA model? Explain model checking using the graphical method.
- 4. Explain Exponential smoothing.
- 5. Find the Conditional Likelihood of an ARIMA Process.
- 6. Explain the scope of Residual analysis in Time series
- 7. Define periodogram. What is bias in periodogram?

 $(4 \times 2 = 8 \text{ weightage})$

Part B: Answer any *four* questions. Each carries *three* weightage.

- 8. Define smoothing techniques. Explain forecasting based on smoothing.
- 9. Explain Holt-Winter smoothing.
- 10. Establish the stationarity conditions for autoregressive processes.
- 11. Explain Yule-Walker estimation for AR Processes.
- 12. How do we conduct the residual analysis and diagnostic checks in time series analysis?
- 13. Explain Spectral analysis of the weakly stationary process.
- 14. Define weakly stationary process.

 $(4 \times 3 = 12 \text{ weightage})$

Part C: Answer any two questions. Each carries five weightage.

- 15. Derive invertibility and stationarity conditions for both AR and MA models.
- 16. Describe the various approaches for residual analysis and diagnostic checks in time series analysis.
- 17. Explain least squares estimation for ARMA Processes.
- 18. Describe the ARCH and GARCH models and explain the need of nonlinear time series.

Maximum Weightage: 30