

6. (a) If X and Y are two independent random variables with probability density functions.

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}}, -\infty < x < \infty \text{ and}$$

$$f(y) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{8\pi}} e^{-\frac{(y-5)^2}{8}}, -\infty < y < \infty$$

respectively, find the variance of random variable

$$T = 2X + Y.$$

- (b) The mean yield for one-acre plot is 662 kilos with s.d. 32 kilos. Assuming normal distribution, how many one-acre plots in a batch of 1000 plots, would you expect to have yield (i) over 700 kilos, and (ii) below 650 kilos?

Given  $P(0 \leq Z \leq 1.19) = 0.3830$ ,  $P(0 \leq Z \leq 0.38) = 0.1480$ ,

where Z is a standard normal variate.

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Simple calculator can be used.

1. (a) Find the distribution function for the following probability distribution :

| X = x | P(X = x) |
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| 0     | 1/16     |
| 1     | 4/16     |
| 2     | 6/16     |
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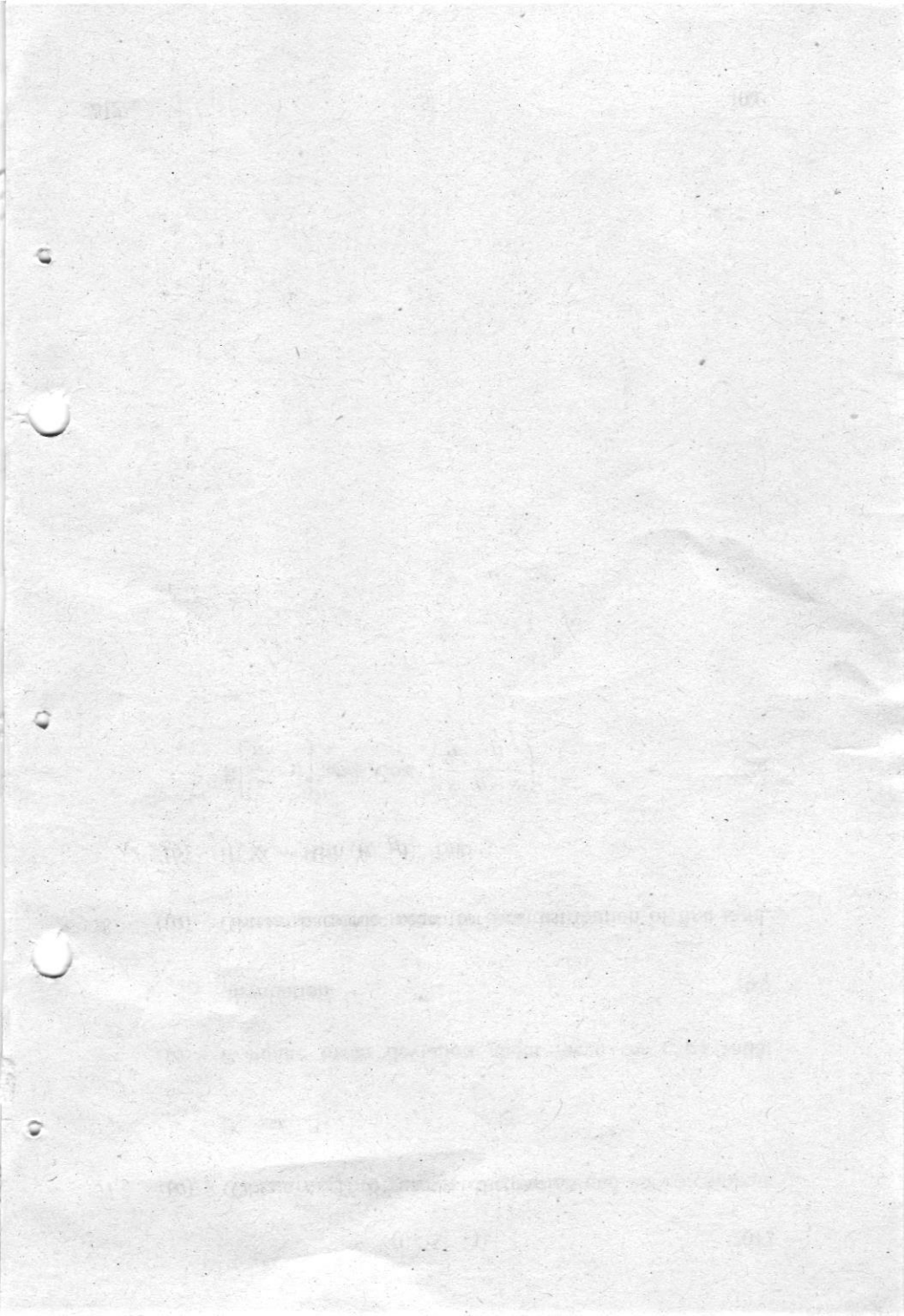
- (b) m.g.f. of a random variable  $X$  is  $M_x(t) = \exp\{3(e^t - 1)\}$ . Using the uniqueness property of m.g.f.'s identify the distribution. Find its parameters and coefficient of skewness.
- (c) If  $X$  and  $Y$  are independent standard normal variates, then find the distribution of  $X - 2Y$ .
- (d) Find the  $r^{\text{th}}$  moment about origin for beta distribution of second kind.
- (e) Determine the binomial distribution for which mean is 4 and variance is 3. Also obtain its mode. 3,3,3,3
2. (a) Prove that geometric mean  $G$  of the following distribution

$$dF = 6(2-x)(x-1)dx, 1 \leq x \leq 2$$

is given by  $6 \log(16G) = 19$ .

- (b) Find m.g.f. of the standard binomial variate  $\frac{x-np}{\sqrt{npq}}$  and show that it tends to  $\exp(t^2/2)$  as  $n$  tends to infinity. 6,6

3. (a) In four tosses of coin, let  $X$  be the number of heads. Tabulate 16 possible outcomes with the corresponding values of  $X$ . Derive the probability distribution of  $X$  and hence, calculate the expected value of  $X$ .
- (b) Show that in Poisson distribution with unit mean, mean deviation about mean is  $(2/e)$  times the standard deviation. 6,6
4. (a) Define negative binomial distribution. Compute its m.g.f. and hence compute its mean and variance.
- (b) State and prove De-Moivre's theorem. 6,6
5. (a) For geometric distribution  $p(x) = 2^{-x}; x = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ , prove that Chebychev's inequality gives  $P\{|x-2| \leq 2\} > \frac{1}{2}$ , while the actual probability is  $15/16$ .
- (b) Show that hypergeometric distribution with parameters  $(N, M, n)$  tends to binomial distribution with parameters  $(n, p)$  as  $N \rightarrow \infty$  and  $\frac{M}{N} \rightarrow p$  6,6





7. (a) Obtain m.g.f. of gamma distribution and hence compute  $\beta_1$  and  $\beta_2$ .
- (b) Compute mean deviation about mean for exponential distribution. 6,6
8. (a) Obtain harmonic mean for beta distribution of first kind.
- (b) If  $X \sim \text{Bin}(n, p)$ , find :

$$E\left[\frac{x}{n} - p\right]^2 \text{ and } \text{Cov}\left(\frac{x}{n}, \frac{n-x}{n}\right). \quad 6,6$$