

- Learn about the basic feasible solutions of linear programming problems.
- Understand the theory of the simplex method to solve linear programming problems.
- Learn about the relationships between the primal and dual problems.
- Solve transportation and assignment problems.
- Understand two-person zero sum game, games with mixed strategies and formulation of game to primal and dual linear programming problems to solve using duality.

SYLLABUS OF DSE-3(ii)

UNIT– I: Introduction to Linear Programming (12 hours)

Linear programming problem: Standard, Canonical and matrix forms, Geometric solution; Convex and polyhedral sets, Hyperplanes, Extreme points; Basic solutions, Basic feasible solutions, Correspondence between basic feasible solutions and extreme points.

UNIT– II: Optimality and Duality Theory of Linear Programming Problem (18 hours)

Simplex method: Optimal solution, Termination criteria for optimal solution of the linear programming problem, Unique and alternate optimal solutions, Unboundedness; Simplex algorithm and its tableau format; Artificial variables, Two-phase method, Big-M method. Duality Theory: Motivation and formulation of dual problem, Primal-Dual relationships, Fundamental theorem of duality; Complementary slackness.

UNIT – III: Applications (15 hours)

Transportation Problem: Definition and formulation, Northwest-corner, Least-cost, and Vogel's approximation methods of finding initial basic feasible solutions; Algorithm for solving transportation problem.

Assignment Problem: Mathematical formulation and Hungarian method of solving.

Game Theory: Two-person zero sum game, Games with mixed strategies, Formulation of game to primal and dual linear programming problems, Solution of games using duality.

Essential Readings

1. Bazaraa, Mokhtar S., Jarvis, John J., & Sherali, Hanif D. (2010). Linear Programming and Network Flows (4th ed.). John Wiley and Sons. Indian Reprint.
2. Hillier, Frederick S. & Lieberman, Gerald J. (2021). Introduction to Operations Research (11th ed.). McGraw-Hill Education (India) Pvt. Ltd.
3. Taha, Hamdy A. (2017). Operations Research: An Introduction (10th ed.). Pearson.

Suggestive Readings

- Hadley, G. (1997). Linear Programming. Narosa Publishing House. New Delhi.
- Thie, Paul R., & Keough, G. E. (2008). An Introduction to Linear Programming and Game Theory. (3rd ed.). Wiley India Pvt. Ltd. Indian Reprint 2014.

DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE – 3(iii): MATHEMATICAL STATISTICS

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/		

				Practice		
Mathematical Statistics	4	3	1	0	Class XII pass with Mathematics	DSC-3: Probability & Statistics DSC-11: Multivariate Calculus

Learning Objectives: The main objective of this course is to introduce:

- The joint behavior of several random variables theoretically and through illustrative practical examples.
- The theory underlying modern statistics to give the student a solid grounding in (mathematical) statistics and the principles of statistical inference.
- The application of the theory to the statistical modeling of data from real applications, including model identification, estimation, and interpretation.
- The idea of Fisher information to find the minimum possible variance for an unbiased estimator, and to show that the MLE is asymptotically unbiased and normal.

Learning Outcomes: The course will enable the students to:

- Understand joint distributions of random variables including the bivariate normal distribution.
- Estimate model parameters from the statistical inference based on point estimation and hypothesis testing.
- Apply Rao-Blackwell theorem for improving an estimator, and Cramér-Rao inequality to find lower bound on the variance of unbiased estimators of a parameter.
- Understand the theory of linear regression models and contingency tables.

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UNIT-I: Joint Probability Distributions

(15 hours)

Joint probability mass function for two discrete random variables, Marginal probability mass function, Joint probability density function for two continuous random variables, Marginal probability density function, Independent random variables; Expected values, covariance, and correlation; Linear combination of random variables and their moment generating functions; Conditional distributions and conditional expectation, Laws of total expectation and variance; Bivariate normal distribution.

UNIT-II: Sampling Distributions and Point Estimation

(15 hours)

Distribution of important statistics such as the sample totals, sample means, and sample proportions, Central limit theorem, Law of large numbers; Chi-squared, t , and F distributions; Distributions based on normal random samples; Concepts and criteria for point estimation, The methods of moments and maximum likelihood estimation (MLE); Assessing estimators: Accuracy and precision, Unbiased estimation, Consistency and sufficiency, The Neyman factorization theorem, Rao-Blackwell theorem, Fisher Information, The Cramér-Rao inequality, Efficiency,

UNIT-III: Confidence Intervals, Tests of Hypotheses and Linear Regression Analysis (15 hours)

Interval estimation and basic properties of confidence intervals, One-sample t confidence interval, Confidence intervals for a population proportion and population variance. Statistical hypotheses and test procedures, One-sample tests about a population mean and a population proportion, P -values for tests; The simple linear regression model and its estimating parameters; Chi-squared goodness-of-fit tests, Two-way contingency tables.

Essential Reading

1. Devore, Jay L., Berk, Kenneth N. & Carlton Matthew A. (2021). Modern Mathematical Statistics with Applications. (3rd ed.). Springer.

Suggestive Readings

- Devore, Jay L. (2016). Probability and Statistics for Engineering and the Sciences. Ninth edition, Cengage Learning India Private Limited, Delhi. Fourth impression 2022.
- Hogg, Robert V., McKean, Joseph W., & Craig, Allen T. (2019). Introduction to Mathematical Statistics. Eighth edition, Pearson. Indian Reprint 2020.
- Mood, A.M., Graybill, F.A., & Boes, D.C. (1974). Introduction the Theory of Statistics (3rd ed.). Tata McGraw Hill Pub. Co. Ltd. Reprinted 2017.
- Wackerly, Dennis D., Mendenhall III, William & Scheaffer, Richard L. (2008). Mathematical Statistics with Applications. 7th edition, Cengage Learning.