



# TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF MOMBASA

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## UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION FOR:

AMA 5106: TEST OF HYPOTHESIS

## END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION

**SERIES:** MAY 2016

**TIME:** 3 HOURS

**DATE:** MAY

### Instructions to Candidates

You should have the following for this examination

-Answer Booklet, examination pass and student ID

This paper consists of five questions. Attempt QUESTION ONE and any other TWO.

**Do not write on the question paper.**

### Question ONE

- a. State and prove Neyman-Pearson Lemma (8 marks)
- b. A manufacturer is interested in the output voltage of a power supply used in a PC. Output voltage is assumed to be normally distributed, with standard deviation 0.25 Volts, and the manufacturer wishes to test  $H_0; \mu = 5$  Volts against  $H_1; \mu \neq 5$  Volts, using 8 units.
  - i. The acceptance region is  $4.85 \leq \bar{x} \leq 5.15$  Find the level of significance. (4marks)
  - ii. Find the power of the test for detecting a true mean output voltage of 5.1 Volts. (5marks)
- c. Show that the class of all test functions is a convex function (3marks)
- d. Define the power function of a test (4marks)
- e. Show that 1-parameter exponential family has a monotone likelihood ratio. (6marks)

### Question TWO

- a. Let  $x$  be a random variable with probability density function  $f(x)$ . Find a size  $\alpha$  test for;  
(7marks)

$$H_0; f(x) = f_0(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}}$$

$$H_1; f(x) = f_1(x) = \frac{1}{\pi} \frac{1}{1+x^2}$$

- b. Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  be independently identically distributed  $N(0, \sigma^2)$  random variables. Determine whether there exists a uniform most powerful test for the hypothesis of the form  $H_0; \sigma^2 = \sigma_0^2$  against  $H_1; \sigma^2 = \sigma_1^2$  (8 marks)
- c. Show that for testing  $H_0; \theta_1 \leq \theta \leq \theta_2$  against  $H_1; \theta < \theta_1$  or  $\theta > \theta_2$  there exists a uniform most powerful unbiased size  $\alpha$  test given by  $\phi(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } T(x) > c_1 \\ v & \text{if } T(x) = c_2 \\ 0 & \text{if } c_1 < T(x) < c_2 \end{cases}$  (5 marks)

### Question THREE

- a. Define an unbiased test (5 marks)
- b. If the *pdf*  $f(x; \theta)$  are such that the power function of every test is continuous and if  $\phi_0$  is uniform most powerful among all tests satisfying some conditions and is level  $\alpha$  test, then show that  $\phi_0$  is unbiased. (5 marks)
- c. Let  $X \sim \text{bin}(n, p)$ , find an unbiased size  $\alpha$  test for  $H_0; p = p_0$  against  $H_1; p = p_1$  (10 marks)

### Question FOUR

- a. Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  be independently identically distributed  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$  random variables, Let  $y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n$  be independently identically distributed  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$  random variables. Where  $\sigma^2$  is common. Suppose  $X'_i$ 's and  $Y'_i$ 's are independent. Determine a size  $\alpha$  LRT test for  $H_0; \mu = \mu_0$  against  $H_1; \mu \neq \mu_0$  (10 marks)
- b. Let  $x_{i1}, x_{i2}, \dots, x_{in}$  be independent normally distributed random variables with mean  $\mu_i$  and variance  $\sigma_i^2$ . Determine a  $\alpha$  likelihood ratio test for the hypothesis of the form  $H_0; \sigma_i^2 = \sigma_j^2$  against  $H_1; \sigma_i^2 \neq \sigma_j^2$  (10 marks)

### Question FIVE

- a. Determine a  $\alpha$  likelihood ratio test for the hypothesis of the form  $H_0; \sigma^2 = \sigma_0^2$  against  $H_1; \sigma^2 = \sigma_1^2$  ( $\mu$  is unknown) (10marks)
- b. Let  $y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n$  be independently identically distributed  $N(\beta, \theta^2)$  random variables. Find a size  $\alpha$  likelihood ratio test for testing  $H_0; \beta = \beta_0$  against  $H_1; \beta \neq \beta_0$  (10 marks)