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B.Tech. (ME) (E-I 2012 Onwards) (Sem.-6) OPTIMIZATION TECHNIQUES

Subject Code: DE/ME-3.2 M.Code: 71264

Time: 3 Hrs. Max. Marks: 60

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES:

- 1. SECTION-A is COMPULSORY consisting of TEN questions carrying TWO marks each.
- 2. SECTION-B contains FIVE questions carrying FIVE marks each and students have to attempt any FOUR questions.
- 3. SECTION-C contains THREE questions carrying TEN marks each and students have to attempt any TWO questions.

SECTION-A

Answer briefly:

- 1. What do you mean by unbounded solution in graphical method?
- 2. Define key row and key column in simplex method.
- 3. What are the limitations of Graphical Methods?
- 4. Write the advantages of linear programming.
- 5. Define assignment model.
- 6. What is sensitivity analysis in assignment problem?
- 7. Define total time in the system in queuing model.
- 8. What do you understand by critical activities?
- 9. List two uses of replacement model.
- 10. Name any four mathematical models.

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SECTION-B

- 11. Discuss probabilistic dynamic programming.
- 12. Use Big M method to:

$$Minimize Z = 12X_1 + 20X_2$$

Subject to:
$$6X_1 + 8X_2 > 100$$

$$7X_1 + 12X_2 > = 120$$

$$X_i, X_2 > = 0$$

13. Solve the assignment problem:

	1	2	3	4	5
A	11	17	8	16	20
В	9	7	12	6	15
C	13	16	15	12	16
D	21	24	17	28	26
E	14	10	12	11	13

- 14. Find the cost per period of individual replacement policy of an installation of 300 lights bulbs, given the following:
 - a) Cost of replacing individual bulb is Rs. 2.
 - b) Conditional probability of failure:

Week No.	0	1	2	3	4
Conditional probability of failure:	0	0.1	0.3	0.7	1

Also calculate the number of light bulbs that would fail during each of the four weeks.

15. Define Feasible solution, Basic Feasible solution, Optimal solution, Non-Degenerate Basic Feasible solution and Degenerate Basic Feasible solution in Transportation problem.

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SECTION-C

- 16. Discuss sensitivity analysis of models.
- 17. Explain Two Phase method in detail.
- 18. A Project schedule has the following characteristics:

Activity	t ₀	t _m	t _p
1-2	1	1	7
1-3	1	4	7
1-4	2	2	8
2-5	1	1	1
3-5	2	5	14
5-6	3	6	15
4-6	2	5	8

- a) Draw the project network and identify all the path through it.
- b) Compute Expected project length.
- c) Calculate standard deviation and variance.
- d) What is the probability that the project will be completed no more than 4 weeks later than expected?

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