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OPERATION RESEARCH

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INSTRUCTIONS 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

1. Answer briefly :

- Mathematics of OR is the mathematics of optimization. Discuss briefly.
- Distinguish between transportation and assignment model.
- Briefly explain integral programming concept.
- Explain the necessity of sensitivity analysis.
- How is PERT useful?
- What is the significance of dual variables?
- Briefly describe the role 'Theory of games' for scientific decision making.
- Explain the basic concept of a queue.
- List methods of solving linear goal programming problems.
- Write advantages of simulation.

SECTION-B

2. Seed Ltd . has two products Rice & Wheat. To produce one unit of Rice, 2 units of material X and 4 units of material Y are required. To produce one unit of Wheat, 3 units of material X and 2 units of material Y are required. At least 16 units of each material must be used in order to meet the committed sales of Rice & Wheat. Due to moderate marketing facilities not more than 8 units of product Wheat can be sold. Cost per unit of material X and Y are Rs.2.50 per unit and Rs.0.25 per unit respectively. The selling price per unit of Rice and Wheat are Rs.12 and Rs.16 respectively. Formulate LPP model.
3. “*Model-building is the essence of Operations Research approach*”. Discuss.

4. Describe method of solving a zero-sum-two person game as linear programming problem.
5. With respect to queue system, explain the following terms :
 - a) Queue discipline
 - b) Capacity of the system
 - c) Balking
 - d) Jockeying
 - e) queue length
6. Describe **any one** method of integral programming.

SECTION-C

7. a) State dual theorem and its implications. What is the essential difference between regular simplex method and dual simplex method?
 b) Prove that the dual of a given primal is again primal.
8. In a grocery store, the daily demand of bread over 100 days period has the following frequency distribution :

Daily Demand	0	1	2	3	4	5
No. of Days	5	25	35	20	5	10

Using the above data, simulate a 10 day sequence of the demand of bread. Consider the following sequence of ten random numbers : 27,13,80,10,54,60,49,78, 66 and 44

9. A project has the following activities :

Activity-	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
Immediate predecessors	--	--	--	A	A	B	C	D	E, F
Activity Duration (Days)	7.8	20	33	18	20	9	9.8	8	4

Determine the following :

- a) Draw the network and find Earliest start time, Earliest finish time, Latest start time and Latest finish time for each activity.
- b) The critical path and total project duration.

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