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**Paper Code: BTCSE OE23/BTCSEAI OE3**

**Note: Programmable calculator is not allowed.**

**Time: 3 Hours**  
**MM: 75**

**PART -A**

(All questions are compulsory) (7 X 5 = 35)

| S. No.                 | Questions                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | Marks                  | Course Outcome | Blooms Level |              |   |              |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |        |    |    |    |    |    |   |     |    |
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| Q.1                    | A firm manufactures two type of products A and B, and sells them at a profit of Rs. 2 on type A and Rs. 3 on type B. Each product is processed on two machines G and H. Type A requires one minute of processing time on G and two minutes on H; type B requires one minute on G and one minute on H. The machine G is available for not more than 6 hour 40 minutes while machine H is available for 10 hours during any working day. Formulate the problem as a linear programming problem.                                                                                                                            | 5                      | CO1            | L5           |              |   |              |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |        |    |    |    |    |    |   |     |    |
| Q.2                    | Write the dual of the primal problem:<br>Max $Z = 5x_1 + 12x_2 + 4x_3$ , Subject to the constraints: $x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 \leq 5$ ,<br>$2x_1 - x_2 + 3x_3 = 2$ , and $x_1 \geq 0, x_2 \geq 0, x_3 \geq 0$ .                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | 5                      | CO2            | L3           |              |   |              |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |        |    |    |    |    |    |   |     |    |
| Q.3                    | Find the initial basic feasible solution of the following transportation problem (Vogel's Approximation Method). <table border="1"><tr><th>Warehouse→<br/>Factory↓</th><th>A</th><th>B</th><th>C</th><th>D</th><th>Availability</th></tr><tr><td>E</td><td>7</td><td>3</td><td>5</td><td>5</td><td>34</td></tr><tr><td>F</td><td>5</td><td>5</td><td>7</td><td>6</td><td>15</td></tr><tr><td>G</td><td>8</td><td>6</td><td>6</td><td>5</td><td>12</td></tr><tr><td>I</td><td>6</td><td>1</td><td>6</td><td>4</td><td>19</td></tr><tr><td>Demand</td><td>21</td><td>25</td><td>17</td><td>17</td><td>80</td></tr></table> | Warehouse→<br>Factory↓ | A              | B            | C            | D | Availability | E | 7 | 3 | 5 | 5 | 34 | F | 5 | 5 | 7 | 6 | 15 | G | 8 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 12 | I | 6 | 1 | 6 | 4 | 19 | Demand | 21 | 25 | 17 | 17 | 80 | 5 | CO3 | L4 |
| Warehouse→<br>Factory↓ | A                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | B                      | C              | D            | Availability |   |              |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |        |    |    |    |    |    |   |     |    |
| E                      | 7                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | 3                      | 5              | 5            | 34           |   |              |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |        |    |    |    |    |    |   |     |    |
| F                      | 5                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | 5                      | 7              | 6            | 15           |   |              |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |        |    |    |    |    |    |   |     |    |
| G                      | 8                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | 6                      | 6              | 5            | 12           |   |              |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |        |    |    |    |    |    |   |     |    |
| I                      | 6                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | 1                      | 6              | 4            | 19           |   |              |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |        |    |    |    |    |    |   |     |    |
| Demand                 | 21                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | 25                     | 17             | 17           | 80           |   |              |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |        |    |    |    |    |    |   |     |    |
| Q.4                    | Construct graphical representation of the LPP Max $Z = x_1 + x_2$ , Subject to the constraints:<br>$2x_1 + x_2 \leq 10, x_1 + 2x_2 \leq 8, x_1 \leq 12$ and $x_1 \geq 0, x_2 \geq 0$ . Hence, find its solution.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | 5                      | CO2            | L5           |              |   |              |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |    |        |    |    |    |    |    |   |     |    |

| Q.5            | <p>An investor is given the following investment alternatives and percentage rates of return.</p> <p>State of nature (Market conditions)</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <th></th><th>Low</th><th>Medium</th><th>High</th></tr> <tr> <td>Regular Shares</td><td>7%</td><td>10%</td><td>15%</td></tr> <tr> <td>Risky Shares</td><td>-10%</td><td>12%</td><td>25%</td></tr> <tr> <td>Property</td><td>-12%</td><td>18%</td><td>30%</td></tr> </table> <p>Over the past 300 days, 150 days have been medium market conditions and 60 days have had high market conditions. On the basis of these data, state the optimum investment strategy for the investment.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |          | Low      | Medium   | High     | Regular Shares | 7%       | 10%      | 15%         | Risky Shares | -10% | 12%  | 25%  | Property | -12% | 18%   | 30%     | 5        | CO5      | L4       |             |      |      |      |      |   |     |    |
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|                | Low                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | Medium   | High     |          |          |                |          |          |             |              |      |      |      |          |      |       |         |          |          |          |             |      |      |      |      |   |     |    |
| Regular Shares | 7%                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | 10%      | 15%      |          |          |                |          |          |             |              |      |      |      |          |      |       |         |          |          |          |             |      |      |      |      |   |     |    |
| Risky Shares   | -10%                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 12%      | 25%      |          |          |                |          |          |             |              |      |      |      |          |      |       |         |          |          |          |             |      |      |      |      |   |     |    |
| Property       | -12%                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 18%      | 30%      |          |          |                |          |          |             |              |      |      |      |          |      |       |         |          |          |          |             |      |      |      |      |   |     |    |
| Q.6            | <p>The occurrence of rain in a city on a day is dependent upon whether or not it rained on the previous day. If it rained on the previous day, the rain distribution is:</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <th>Event</th><th>No rain</th><th>1cm rain</th><th>2cm rain</th><th>3cm rain</th><th>4cm rain</th><th>5cm rain</th></tr> <tr> <td>Probability</td><td>0.5</td><td>0.25</td><td>0.15</td><td>0.05</td><td>0.03</td><td>0.02</td></tr> </table> <p>If it did not rain on the previous day, the rain distribution is:</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <th>Event</th><th>No rain</th><th>1cm rain</th><th>2cm rain</th><th>3cm rain</th></tr> <tr> <td>Probability</td><td>0.75</td><td>0.15</td><td>0.06</td><td>0.04</td></tr> </table> <p>Simulate the city's whether for 10 days and determine by simulation the total days without rain as well as the total rainfall during the period. Use the following random numbers: 67 63 39 55 29 78 70 06 78 76 for simulation. Assume that for the first day of the simulation it had not rained the day before.</p> | Event    | No rain  | 1cm rain | 2cm rain | 3cm rain       | 4cm rain | 5cm rain | Probability | 0.5          | 0.25 | 0.15 | 0.05 | 0.03     | 0.02 | Event | No rain | 1cm rain | 2cm rain | 3cm rain | Probability | 0.75 | 0.15 | 0.06 | 0.04 | 5 | CO5 | L5 |
| Event          | No rain                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | 1cm rain | 2cm rain | 3cm rain | 4cm rain | 5cm rain       |          |          |             |              |      |      |      |          |      |       |         |          |          |          |             |      |      |      |      |   |     |    |
| Probability    | 0.5                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | 0.25     | 0.15     | 0.05     | 0.03     | 0.02           |          |          |             |              |      |      |      |          |      |       |         |          |          |          |             |      |      |      |      |   |     |    |
| Event          | No rain                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | 1cm rain | 2cm rain | 3cm rain |          |                |          |          |             |              |      |      |      |          |      |       |         |          |          |          |             |      |      |      |      |   |     |    |
| Probability    | 0.75                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 0.15     | 0.06     | 0.04     |          |                |          |          |             |              |      |      |      |          |      |       |         |          |          |          |             |      |      |      |      |   |     |    |
| Q.7            | <p>Rewrite in standard form the following LPP:</p> <p>Minimize <math>Z = 2x_1 + x_2 + 4x_3</math>,<br/> Subject to the constraints: <math>-2x_1 + 4x_2 \leq 4</math>,<br/> <math>x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 \geq 8</math>, <math>2x_1 + 3x_3 \leq 2</math>,<br/> <math>x_1 \geq 0</math>, <math>x_2 \geq 0</math>, and <math>x_3</math> unrestricted in sign.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | 5        | CO1      | L2       |          |                |          |          |             |              |      |      |      |          |      |       |         |          |          |          |             |      |      |      |      |   |     |    |

## PART - B

(Attempt any Four Questions out of Six) (4 X 10 = 40)

| S. No                  | Questions                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | Marks                  | Course Outcome | Blooms Level     |       |                  |       |    |    |    |     |       |    |    |     |     |       |    |    |    |    |                       |     |     |     |     |    |     |    |
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| Q.1                    | What is Operation Research? Account for the growing importance of O. R. in business decisions. Describe in detail the four areas for applications of O. R. Techniques in Financial Management.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | 10                     | CO1            | L2               |       |                  |       |    |    |    |     |       |    |    |     |     |       |    |    |    |    |                       |     |     |     |     |    |     |    |
| Q.2                    | <p>Solve the following transportation problem.</p> <table border="1" style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"> <thead> <tr> <th>Warehouse→<br/>Factory↓</th><th><math>W_1</math></th><th><math>W_2</math></th><th><math>W_3</math></th><th>Factory Capacity</th></tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td><math>F_1</math></td><td>16</td><td>20</td><td>12</td><td>200</td></tr> <tr> <td><math>F_2</math></td><td>14</td><td>18</td><td>160</td><td>160</td></tr> <tr> <td><math>F_3</math></td><td>26</td><td>24</td><td>16</td><td>90</td></tr> <tr> <td>Warehouse Requirement</td><td>180</td><td>120</td><td>150</td><td>350</td></tr> </tbody> </table>                                                                                                                                                                                        | Warehouse→<br>Factory↓ | $W_1$          | $W_2$            | $W_3$ | Factory Capacity | $F_1$ | 16 | 20 | 12 | 200 | $F_2$ | 14 | 18 | 160 | 160 | $F_3$ | 26 | 24 | 16 | 90 | Warehouse Requirement | 180 | 120 | 150 | 350 | 10 | CO3 | L4 |
| Warehouse→<br>Factory↓ | $W_1$                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | $W_2$                  | $W_3$          | Factory Capacity |       |                  |       |    |    |    |     |       |    |    |     |     |       |    |    |    |    |                       |     |     |     |     |    |     |    |
| $F_1$                  | 16                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | 20                     | 12             | 200              |       |                  |       |    |    |    |     |       |    |    |     |     |       |    |    |    |    |                       |     |     |     |     |    |     |    |
| $F_2$                  | 14                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | 18                     | 160            | 160              |       |                  |       |    |    |    |     |       |    |    |     |     |       |    |    |    |    |                       |     |     |     |     |    |     |    |
| $F_3$                  | 26                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | 24                     | 16             | 90               |       |                  |       |    |    |    |     |       |    |    |     |     |       |    |    |    |    |                       |     |     |     |     |    |     |    |
| Warehouse Requirement  | 180                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | 120                    | 150            | 350              |       |                  |       |    |    |    |     |       |    |    |     |     |       |    |    |    |    |                       |     |     |     |     |    |     |    |
| Q.3                    | <p>A departmental head had four subordinates, and four tasks to be performed. The subordinates differ in efficiency, and the tasks differ in their intrinsic difficulty. His estimate, of the time each man would take to perform each task, is given in the matrix below:</p> <table border="1" style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"> <thead> <tr> <th>Men →<br/>Tasks ↓</th><th>I</th><th>II</th><th>III</th><th>IV</th></tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>A</td><td>18</td><td>26</td><td>17</td><td>11</td></tr> <tr> <td>B</td><td>13</td><td>28</td><td>14</td><td>26</td></tr> <tr> <td>C</td><td>38</td><td>19</td><td>18</td><td>15</td></tr> <tr> <td>D</td><td>19</td><td>26</td><td>24</td><td>10</td></tr> </tbody> </table> <p>How should the tasks be allocated, one to one man, so as to minimize the total man-hours?</p> | Men →<br>Tasks ↓       | I              | II               | III   | IV               | A     | 18 | 26 | 17 | 11  | B     | 13 | 28 | 14  | 26  | C     | 38 | 19 | 18 | 15 | D                     | 19  | 26  | 24  | 10  | 10 | CO3 | L4 |
| Men →<br>Tasks ↓       | I                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | II                     | III            | IV               |       |                  |       |    |    |    |     |       |    |    |     |     |       |    |    |    |    |                       |     |     |     |     |    |     |    |
| A                      | 18                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | 26                     | 17             | 11               |       |                  |       |    |    |    |     |       |    |    |     |     |       |    |    |    |    |                       |     |     |     |     |    |     |    |
| B                      | 13                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | 28                     | 14             | 26               |       |                  |       |    |    |    |     |       |    |    |     |     |       |    |    |    |    |                       |     |     |     |     |    |     |    |
| C                      | 38                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | 19                     | 18             | 15               |       |                  |       |    |    |    |     |       |    |    |     |     |       |    |    |    |    |                       |     |     |     |     |    |     |    |
| D                      | 19                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | 26                     | 24             | 10               |       |                  |       |    |    |    |     |       |    |    |     |     |       |    |    |    |    |                       |     |     |     |     |    |     |    |

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| Q.4 | <p>Solve by using Big-M Method to the following LP problem:<br/> <math>\text{Max } Z = 6x_1 + 4x_2</math>,<br/>           Subject to the constraints:<br/> <math>2x_1 + 3x_2 \leq 30</math>, <math>3x_1 + 2x_2 \leq 24</math>,<br/> <math>x_1 + x_2 \geq 4</math>,<br/>           and <math>x_1 \geq 0</math>, <math>x_2 \geq 0</math>.</p>                                                                                                                           | 10 | CO2 | L3 |
| Q.5 | <p>Solve the LP problem (Using simplex method): <math>\text{Min } Z = x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3</math>,<br/>           Subject to the constraints:<br/> <math>x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 \leq 10</math>, <math>x_1 + x_2 \leq 5</math>,<br/>           and <math>x_1 \geq 0</math>, <math>x_2 \geq 0</math>, <math>x_3 \geq 0</math>.</p>                                                                                                                                              | 10 | CO2 | L3 |
| Q.6 | <p>Consider a box office ticket window managed by a single server Customer arrives to purchase ticket according to Poisson input process with a mean rate of 30/hr. the time required to serve a customer has an ED with a mean of 90 seconds determine: (i) Mean queue length. (ii) Mean waiting time in the system. (iii) The probability of the customer waiting in the queue for more than 10min. (iv) The fraction of the time for which the server is busy.</p> | 10 | CO4 | L4 |

BL – Bloom's Taxonomy Levels (1- Remembering, 2- Understanding, 3- Applying, 4- Analyzing, 5- Evaluating, 6- Creating)

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