- (c) A Stenographer has 5 persons from whom he performs the works. Arrival rate is poisson and service time is exponential. Average arrival rate is 4/Hr. Average service time is 10 minutes. Cost of waiting is Rs. 8/Hr. Servicing cost is Rs. 2.50 each. Find average waiting time of an arrival and length of waiting time.
- (d) Draw a network diagram based on the following information :

Activity	Α	В	С	D	Ε	F	G	Н
Predecessors	-	-	Α	В	CD	CD	Е	F

#### 6. Answer any one question :

- 8 X 1
- a) A project having the following activities and time estimates as under

Activity	Estimated duration in weeks				
	Optimistic	Most likely	Pessimistic		
1-2	3	6	15		
1-3	2	5	14		
1-4	6	12	30		
2-5	2	5	8		
2-6	5	11	17		
3-6	3	6	15		
4-7	3	9	27		
5-7	1	4	7		
6-7	4	19	28		

- You are to require draw the project network, expected duration and variance of each activities, determine the critical path and what is the probability that the project will be completed in 38 weeks.
- b) Define inventory. State the reasons for carrying inventories.

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### UNIT - I

1. Answer any two questions:

2 X 2

(a) Write the Dual of the following L.P.P.-

 $\begin{array}{l} \text{Min } Z = 40x_1 + 120x_2 \\ \text{Subject to, } -x_1 + 2x_2 \geq -8 \\ 3x_1 + 5x_2 = 90 \\ 15x_1 + 44x_2 \leq 660 \\ \text{Provided that } x_1, x_2 \geq 0 \end{array}$ 

- (b) A retired person wants to invest up to an amount of Rs. 30,000/- in the fixed income securities. His broker recommends investing in two bonds – bond A yielding 7% p.a. and bond B yielding 10% p.a. After some consideration he decides to invest at the most Rs. 12,000/- in bond B and at least Rs. 6,000/- in bond A.
- (c) What is 'Degeneracy' condition of a Transportation problem?
- (d) What do you mean by 'Matrix Reduction' of an Assignment Problem?

### 2. Answer any two questions:

2 X 4

(a) Solve the following assignment problem of minimizing total time for doing all the jobs :

Jobs	1	2	3	4	5
Operators					
1	6	2	5	3	6
2	2	5	8	7	7
3	7	8	6	9	8
4	6	2	3	4	5
5	9	3	8	9	7
6	4	7	4	6	8

(b) In a sales emporium, 4 salesmen A, B, C & D are available from four counters W, X, Y & Z. Each salesman can handle any counter. The services of salesman given in the following table

Salesman	А	В	С	D
Counter				
W	41	72	39	52
Х	22	29	49	65
Y	27	39	60	51
Z	45	50	48	52

How should the salesmen be allocated to appropriate counters to minimize the service time.

(c) The cost of producing two units A & B is Rs. 60 & 80 respectively. As per agreement at least 200 units of B has to supply to the customer. A requires one machine hour and product B has abundant machine hours. Total machine hour available for product A are 400 hours. Product A and B requires one labor hour each and total 500 labor hour are available.

The company wants to minimize the cost of production. Show the problem as a L.P.P.

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- (3)
- (d) What do you mean lay unbalanced Transportation Problem? Give the advantages of Duality in L.P.P.

# 3. Answer any one question: 8 X 1

a) Solve the following L.P.P using Simplex Method

Min Z =  $4x_1 + 8x_2 + 2x_3$ Subject to,  $1/2x_1 + 2x_2 + 4x_3 \ge 4$  $x_1 + x_2 - 2x_3 \ge 6$ Provided that  $x_1, x_2, x_3 \ge 0$ 

b) A company is spending Rs. 1000/- on transportation of its units from three plants to four distribution centres. The supply and demand of units with unit cost of transportation are given as :

Centres	D-1	D-2	D-3	D-4	Availability
Plant 🔨					
P1	19	30	50	12	7
P2	70	30	40	60	10
P3	40	10	60	20	18
Requirements	5	8	7	15	

What can be the minimum saving by optimal scheduling? (Use MODI Method to solve the problem)

## UNIT – II

### 4. Answer any two questions:

- 2 X 2
- (a) Explain the meaning of Predecessor and Successor Activities;
- (b) Briefly explain the objectives of Inventory Management.
- (c) State the assumption of Single Channel Queuing Model.
- (d) Briefly indicate what do you mean by 'Slack'?

### 5. Answer any two questions: 4 X 2

- (a) Distinguish between PERT and CPM .
- (b) Excel Ltd. has to supply the customer 600 units of a product p.a. Shortages are not allowed and the inventory carrying cost amounted to Re. 0.60 p/unit p.a. the setup cost per run is Rs. 80/-. Find EOQ and minimum average yearly cost.

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