**MA6451 PROBABILITY AND RANDOM PROCESSES L T P C 3 1 0 4 OBJECTIVES:** To provide necessary basic concepts in probability and random processes for applications such as random signals, linear systems etc in communication engineering. **UNIT I RANDOM VARIABLES 9+3** Discrete and continuous random variables – Moments – Moment generating functions – Binomial, Poisson, Geometric, Uniform, Exponential, Gamma and Normal distributions. **UNIT II TWO - DIMENSIONAL RANDOM VARIABLES 9+3** Joint distributions – Marginal and conditional distributions – Covariance – Correlation and Linear regression – Transformation of random variables. **UNIT III RANDOM PROCESSES 9+3** Classification – Stationary process – Markov process - Poisson process – Random telegraph process. **UNIT IV CORRELATION AND SPECTRAL DENSITIES 9+3** Auto correlation functions – Cross correlation functions – Properties – Power spectral density – Cross spectral density – Properties.

**UNIT V LINEAR SYSTEMS WITH RANDOM INPUTS 9+3**

Linear time invariant system – System transfer function – Linear systems with random inputs – Auto correlation and Cross correlation functions of input and output. **TOTAL (L:45+T:15): 60 PERIODS OUTCOMES:**

 The students will have an exposure of various distribution functions and help in acquiring skills in handling situations involving more than one variable. Able to analyze the response of random inputs to linear time invariant systems.

**TEXT BOOKS:**

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2. Stark. H., and Woods. J.W., "Probability and Random Processes with Applications to Signal Processing", 3rd Edition,Pearson Education, Asia, 2002.

3. Miller. S.L. and Childers. D.G., "Probability and Random Processes with Applications to Signal Processing and Communications", Academic Press, 2004.

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