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MAIN EXAMINATION

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FACULTY OF SCIENCE

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SPECIAL / SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION

ACS 201: FUNDAMENTALS OF ACTUARIAL MATHEMATICS II

Date: JULY 2019

Duration: 2 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question ONE and any other TWO Questions

Q1

A. i. In the context of random variables, define T_x and K_x **2mks**

ii. A person is aged exactly 45 years old. Suppose that she dies when she is aged 84 years and 150 days old. What are the values of T_{45} AND K_{45} for this person? **2mks**

B. Define the UDD assumption and hence prove that ${}_t q_x \square {}_t q_x$ **6 mks**

C. Discuss the three forms of premium frequencies that insurance companies use in their contract pricing **6mks**

D. Calculate $A_{50:\overline{3}|}$

Basis:

Mortality

$$q_{50} = 0.05$$

$$q_{51} = 0.06$$

$$q_{51+t} = 1.1q_{50+t} \text{ for } t \geq 1$$

Interest 6% p.a.

7mks

E. Calculate $\ddot{a}_{40:\overline{4}|}$

Basis:

From the following life table extract

x	l_x
40	100,000
41	99,300
42	98,200
43	96,600
44	94,600

Interest 4.5% per annum

7mks

Q2

A. Prove that

$$A_{[x]} = vq_{[x]} + vp_{[x]}A_{[x]+1}$$

4mks

Hence otherwise, using AM92 tables at 6% p.a interest, compute

$$A_{[50]+1:\overline{9}|}$$

7mks

B. The table below is part of a mortality table used by a life insurance company to calculate survival probabilities for a special type of life insurance policy.

x	$l_{[x]}$	$l_{[x]+1}$	$l_{[x]+2}$	$l_{[x]+3}$	l_{x+4}
51	1537	1517	1502	1492	1483
52	1532	1512	1497	1487	1477
53	1525	1505	1490	1480	1470
54	1517	1499	1484	1474	1462
55	1512	1492	1477	1467	1453

- Calculate the probability that a policy holder who was accepted for insurance exactly 2 years ago and is now aged exactly 55 will die at age 57 next birthday. **4 mks**
- Calculate the corresponding probability for an individual of the same age who has been a policyholder for many years. **3 mks**
- Comment on your answers to (i) and (ii). **2 mks**

Q3

- A. Discuss five factors to consider when performing an insurance valuation. **10mks**
- B. If T_x and K_x are random variables measuring the complete and curtate future lifetimes, respectively, for a life aged x , write down expressions for the following symbols in terms of expected values.

I. A_x

II. $\bar{A}_{x:\overline{n}|}$

III. $A_{x:\overline{n}|}^1$

IV. \bar{a}_x

V. $\ddot{a}_{x:\overline{n}|}$

5mks

- C. A whole life assurance provides a benefit of 100,000 payable immediately on the death of a male life who is now aged 45 exact.

Calculate, showing all your workings: the EPV of this policy.

Basis:

Mortality AM92 Select

Rate of interest 4% p.a.

5mks

Q4

- A. Explain what the following represent:

i. $l_{[x-1]+1}$

ii. d_x

2 mks

- B. Calculate the values for the following functions, assuming AM92 mortality at 4% pa interest:

i. $\ddot{a}_{23:\overline{18}|}$

ii. $\frac{D_{50}}{D_{40}} a_{50}$

8 mks

- C. You are given that $P_{80} = 0.888$. Estimate ${}_{0.5}P_{80}$ assuming:
- A uniform distribution of death between integer ages
 - A constant force of mortality between integer ages

4mks

- D. Calculate the exact value of $\bar{A}_{70:\overline{1}|}$ assuming the force of mortality is constant between consecutive integer ages.

Basis: Mortality: ELT15 (Males)

Interest: 4.5% per annum

6 mks

Q5

- A. Calculate: ${}_{12}P_{[60]+1}$

Basis: AM92 Mortality

2mks

- B. A graph of $f_0(t)$, the probability density function for the random future lifetime, is plotted on the vertical axis, with t plotted on the horizontal axis, for data taken from the English Life Table No. 15(Males)

You are given that $f_0(t) = {}_tP_0\mu_t$. You observe that the graph rises to a peak at around $t=80$ and then falls. Explain why the graph falls at around $t=80$

3mks

- C. The mortality of a certain population is governed by the life table function $l_x = 100-x$, $0 \leq x < 100$. Calculate the values of the following expressions:

i. μ_{30}

ii. ${}_{10}P_{30}$

iii. $P(T_{30} > 20)$

iv. $P(K_{30} = 20)$

v. e_{30}^o

9mks

- D. An assurance contract provides a death benefit of £1,250 payable immediately on death. The following basis is used:

Force of mortality: $\mu_x = 0.045$ for all x

Force of interest: $\delta = 0.045$

Calculate the EPV.

6mks

END