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### Quiz 1: CSC456: Stochastic Processes: BS(SE)-VIII (Fall 2025)

**Instructions:**

- Please choose the most correct option by filling or ticking or crossing the box.
- Spoiled or overwritten selection has no credit.
- Please don't use whitener or any other eraser.
- **Correct:** 3 Marks, **Incorrect:** Zero Mark, **Not Attempt:** 1 Mark

**Q. 1.** Which of the following best describes a stochastic process?

- A sample space of an experiment
- A deterministic mathematical function
- A single random variable
- A sequence of random variables over time

**Q. 2.** If a Markov chain has the transition matrix  $P = \begin{bmatrix} 0.1 & 0.9 \\ 0.8 & 0.2 \end{bmatrix}$ , what is  $P_{10}$ ?

- 0.8
- 0.2
- 0.9
- 0.1

**Q. 3.** For two events  $E$  and  $F$  in a sample space  $S$ , if

$$P(E|F) = P(E),$$

then  $E$  and  $F$  are:

- Independent
- Mutually exclusive
- Exhaustive
- Complementary

**Q. 4.** The sample space for flipping three coins has how many outcomes?

- 6
- 8
- 4
- 10

**Q. 5.** Suppose cards numbered one through ten are placed in a hat, mixed up, and then one of the cards is drawn. Find the probability if we are told that the number on the drawn card is at least five.

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**Q. 6.** Write the Transition Probability Matrix from the following diagram. Also find  $P_{10}^3$ .

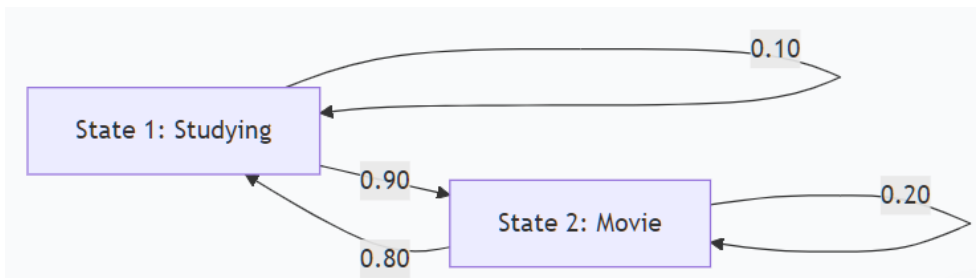


Figure 1: State Transition Diagram

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