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Mathematics Methods, Year 12, 2018

Test 3 – Further differentiation and applications, Integrals, Discrete Random Variables, 20 minutes working time.

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Calculator Free Section ~~(no notes, no calculators)~~ SCSA Formula sheet allowed

1. [3 marks]

A probability distribution of a certain random variable X is given by:

$$P(X=x) = \frac{x}{10}, \text{ where } x = 1, 2, 3, 4.$$

Show that a probability distribution is formed.

$$\frac{1}{10} + \frac{2}{10} + \frac{3}{10} + \frac{4}{10} = \frac{10}{10} = 1$$

✓✓

∴ Probability distribution formed.

✓

2. [2 marks]

Give two reasons why the following cannot be a probability distribution.

x	2	3	5	0	1	2
$P(X=x)$	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.4

1. $x=2$ occurs twice - not allowed ✓

2. probabilities add to $1.1 > 1$. ✓

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3. [4 marks: 1, 3]

A data scientist tracked how many cups of coffee she drank every day at work over the course of a year. She used the data to build a probability distribution where the random variable x represents the number of cups of coffee she drank on a given day. Here is the partially completed distribution:

x	1	2	3	4	5
$P(X = x)$	0.2	0.25	k	0.15	0.1

a) Find k . $1 - 0.7 = 0.3 \quad \therefore k = 3$ ✓

b) Find the expected value from the given table.

$$\begin{aligned}
 E(x) &= 1 \times 0.2 + 2 \times 0.25 + 3 \times 0.3 + 4 \times 0.15 + 5 \times 0.1 \\
 &= 0.2 + 0.5 + 0.9 + 0.6 + 0.5 \\
 &= 2.7 \quad \checkmark \checkmark
 \end{aligned}$$

4. [4 marks: 1, 3]

Each of the following represent discrete probability functions. Determine the value of k for each.

(a) $P(x) = \frac{1}{k}; x = 1, 2, 3, \dots, 12$ $k = 12$ ✓

(b) $P(x) = \frac{x}{2k-1}; x = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6$

$$\frac{1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5 + 6}{2k-1} = 1 \quad \checkmark$$

$$21 = 2k - 1$$

$$2k = 22$$

$$k = 11 \quad \checkmark \checkmark$$

5. 3 [2 marks]

Determine the integral of $\int_0^4 e^{-3x} dx$

Leave your answer with positive indices.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^4 e^{-3x} dx &= \left[-\frac{e^{-3x}}{3} \right]_0^4 = -\frac{e^{-12}}{3} - \left(-\frac{e^0}{3} \right) \\ &= -\frac{e^{-12}}{3} + \frac{1}{3} \end{aligned}$$

6. [4 marks: 3, 1]

If $\frac{dA}{dt} = 6t^2 - 4e^{2t}$, and $A = 3$ when $t = 0$, find

a) A in terms of t

$$\begin{aligned} A &= 2t^3 - \frac{4e^{2t}}{2} + C \\ &= 2t^3 - 2e^{2t} + C \\ 3 &= 0 - 2e^0 + C \\ C &= 5 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore A = 2t^3 - 2e^{2t} + 5$

b) the exact value of A , when $t = 1$.

$$\begin{aligned} A &= 2(1)^3 - 2e^2 + 5 \\ &= 7 - 2e^2 \end{aligned}$$

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35 minutes working time. Calculator Assumed Section (notes allowed), SCQA

Formula sheet and calculators allowed

1. ⁴₃ marks: 1, ~~1~~

Nick takes a free throw for basketball n times. The probability, p , of Nick scoring is constant and all free throws are independent.

Let X be the number of times Nick scores a free throw in the n attempts.

The mean of X is 32 and the standard deviation is 4.

a) State the distribution of X .

Binomial

✓

b) Determine n and p .

$$\text{Mean of } X = n \times p = 32$$

$$\text{sd of } X = \sqrt{n \times p \times (1-p)} = 4$$

$$n p (1-p) = 16$$

✓

$$32(1-p) = 16$$

$$1-p = 0.5$$

$$p = 0.5$$

✓

$$n \times 0.5 = 32$$

$$n = 64$$

✓

2. ¹² marks - 1, 2, 2, 2, 1, 3]

The probability that a new drug on the market will be effective against a particular disease is 0.8. Fifteen people suffering from this disease are given the drug.

Determine the probability that the drug is effective for:

a) 9 people

$$P(X=9) = {}^{15}C_9 \times (0.8)^9 \times (0.2)^6 = 0.0430 \quad \checkmark$$

b) 8 or 10 people

$$P(X=8) + P(X=10) = 0.0138 + 0.1032 = 0.1170 \quad \checkmark$$

c) More than 5 but less than 13 people

$$P(5 < X < 13) = P(6 \leq X \leq 12) = 0.6019 \quad \checkmark$$

d) At least 8 people

$$P(X \geq 8) = 0.9958 \quad \checkmark$$

e) At most 10 people

$$P(X \leq 10) = 0.1642 \quad \checkmark$$

f) Less than 10 people given that it was effective for more than 7 people

$$\begin{aligned} P(X < 10 \mid X > 7) &= \frac{P(8 \leq X \leq 9)}{P(X \geq 8)} \quad \checkmark \\ &= \frac{0.0568}{0.9958} \quad \checkmark \\ &= 0.0571 \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

3. [7 marks: 3, 4]

In the following table, x is a score in a game and $P(X)$ is the probability of getting that score. The expected mean of the discrete probability distribution is 2.8.

a) Find the values of m and n .

x	1	2	3	4	5
$P(X=x)$	0.2	m	0.3	n	0.1

$$0.2 + m + 0.3 + n + 0.1 = 1$$

$$m + n = 0.4$$

$$m = 0.4 - n$$

$$1(0.2) + 2(m) + 3(0.3) + 4(n) + 5(0.1) = 2.8$$

$$0.2 + 2m + 0.9 + 4n + 0.5 = 2.8$$

$$2m + 4n + 1.6 = 2.8$$

$$2m + 4n = 1.2$$

$$m + 2n = 0.6 \quad m = 0.6 - 2n$$

$$0.4 - n = 0.6 - 2n$$

$$n = 0.2$$

$$m = 0.2$$

b) Calculate the standard deviation of the scores.

$$\text{Var} = 0.2 \times (1 - 2.8)^2 + 0.2 \times (2 - 2.8)^2 + 0.3 \times (3 - 2.8)^2 + 0.2 \times (4 - 2.8)^2 + 0.1 \times (5 - 2.8)^2$$

$$= 0.648 + 0.128 + 0.012 + 0.288 + 0.484$$

$$= 1.56$$

$$\text{SD} = \sqrt{1.56} = 1.249$$

4. [7 marks: 2, 2, 3]

The probability distribution of x where random variable, X is the sum of the uppermost numbers when two fair die are rolled is tabulated below.

x	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
$P(X=x)$	$\frac{1}{36}$	$\frac{2}{36}$	$\frac{3}{36}$	$\frac{4}{36}$	$\frac{5}{36}$	$\frac{6}{36}$	$\frac{5}{36}$	$\frac{4}{36}$	$\frac{3}{36}$	$\frac{2}{36}$	$\frac{1}{36}$

Find:

$$a) \quad P(X > 6) = \frac{6}{36} + \frac{5}{36} + \frac{4}{36} + \frac{3}{36} + \frac{2}{36} + \frac{1}{36} = \frac{21}{36} = \frac{7}{12}$$

$$b) \quad P(X < 10) = \frac{1}{36} + \frac{2}{36} + \frac{3}{36} + \frac{4}{36} + \frac{5}{36} + \frac{6}{36} + \frac{5}{36} + \frac{4}{36} = \frac{30}{36} = \frac{5}{6}$$

$$c) \quad P(X < 10 | X > 6) = \frac{P(6 < X < 10)}{P(X > 6)} = \frac{\frac{20}{36}}{\frac{21}{36}} = \frac{20}{21}$$

5. [5 marks]

Given that $y = \frac{3t}{2e^p}$, $t = \frac{3x+2}{5x+4}$ and $p = \frac{3x+2}{5x+4}$, find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ and $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dt} \times \frac{dt}{dp} \times \frac{dp}{dx}$$

$$= 3 \times 2e^{2p} \times 3 \quad \checkmark$$

$$= 18e^{2p} \quad \checkmark$$

$$= 18e^{2(3x+2)}$$

$$= 18e^{6x+4} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 18e^{6x+4} \times 6$$

$$= 108e^{6x+4} \quad \checkmark$$