

1. Let X denote the number on a chip drawn at random from an urn containing three chips, numbered 1, 2, and 3. Let Y be the number of heads that occur when a fair coin is tossed X times. Find $p_{X,Y}(x,y)$.

$$P_X(x) = \frac{1}{3} \quad X = \{1, 2, 3\}$$

$$Y|X \sim \text{Bin}(x, \frac{1}{2})$$

$$P_{Y|X}(y|x) = \binom{x}{y} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^y \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{x-y}$$

$$P_{Y|X}(y|x) = \frac{P_{X,Y}(x,y)}{P_X(x)}$$

$$P_{X,Y}(x,y) = P_{Y|X}(y|x) \cdot P_X(x)$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \cdot \binom{x}{y} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^y \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{x-y}$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \binom{x}{y} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x \quad X = \{1, 2, 3\}$$

$$Y \leq X$$

4. Let Z be a standard normal random variable, $Z \sim N(0,1)$, and $X = \mu + \sigma Z$. Then $X \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$. The pdf of Z is given by

$$f_Z(z) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{z^2}{2}},$$

and the pdf of X is given by

$$f_X(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}}.$$

(a) Find the mgf of Z .

(b) Noting that X is a linear transformation of Z , find the mgf of X .

(c) Using (b), show that a random variable with distribution $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ has mean μ and variance σ^2 .

$$Z \sim N(0,1)$$

$$f_Z(z) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{z^2}{2}}, \text{ p.d.f.}$$



$$M_Z(t) = E_Z(e^{tZ})$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{t \cdot z} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{z^2}{2}} dz$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{z^2 - 2 \cdot t \cdot z}{2}} dz$$

$$z^2 - 2 \cdot t \cdot z + t^2 - t^2$$

MGF r.v. X

$$M_X(t) = E_X(e^{t \cdot X})$$

conti. $E_X(e^{tX}) = \int e^{tx} f_X(x) dx$

discrete. $E_X(e^{tX}) = \sum e^{tx} P_X(x)$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_X(x) \cdot dx = 1 \quad \text{r.v. } X$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{(z-t)^2}{2}} dz.$$

$$\boxed{f_X(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}}} \quad N(\mu, \sigma^2)$$

$$= e^{\frac{t^2}{2}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{(z-t)^2}{2}} dz.$$

$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \cdot e^{-\frac{(z-\mu)^2}{2}}$
p.d.f of $N(t, 1)$

$$= e^{\frac{t^2}{2}}$$

$$Z \sim N(t, 1) \quad \sigma^2 = 1$$

$$f_Z(z) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \cdot 1} \cdot e^{-\frac{(z-t)^2}{2}} \quad \mu = t$$

(b)

$$\boxed{X = \mu + \sigma Z.} \quad \mu, \sigma \text{ fixed.}$$

$$Z \quad M_Z(t) = e^{\frac{t^2}{2}} = \mathbb{E}_Z(e^{t \cdot Z}) = M_Z(\tau)$$

$$M_X(t) = \mathbb{E}_X(e^{t \cdot X}) = \mathbb{E}_Z(e^{t \cdot (\mu + \sigma \cdot Z)})$$

$$= \mathbb{E}_Z(\boxed{e^{t \cdot \mu}} e^{t \cdot \sigma \cdot Z})$$

$$= e^{t \cdot \mu} \cdot \mathbb{E}_Z(e^{t \cdot \sigma \cdot Z}) = M_Z(t \cdot \sigma)$$

$$= e^{t \cdot \mu} \cdot e^{\frac{(t \cdot \sigma)^2}{2}}$$

$$\tau = t \cdot \sigma.$$

$$\begin{aligned} M_Z(t \cdot \sigma) &= \mathbb{E}_Z(e^{t \cdot \sigma \cdot Z}) \\ &= e^{\frac{(t \cdot \sigma)^2}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

$$(c) \quad M'_X(0) = \mathbb{E}(X)$$

$$M''_X(0) = \mathbb{E}(X^2)$$

$$M'_X(t) = e^{t \cdot \mu + \frac{t^2 \cdot \sigma^2}{2}} \cdot \left(\mu + \frac{2 \cdot t \cdot \sigma^2}{2} \right)$$

$$M_X(t) = e^{t \cdot \mu + \frac{t^2 \cdot \sigma^2}{2}}$$

$$M'_X(0) = \mu = \mathbb{E}(X)$$

$$M''_X(t) = e^{t \cdot \mu + \frac{t^2 \cdot \sigma^2}{2}} (\mu + t \cdot \sigma^2)^2 + e^{t \cdot \mu + \frac{t^2 \cdot \sigma^2}{2}} \cdot \sigma^2$$

$$M''_X(0) = \mu^2 + \sigma^2 = \mathbb{E}(X^2)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Var}(X) &= \mathbb{E}(X^2) - (\mathbb{E}(X))^2 \\
 &= \mu_X''(0) - (\mu_X'(0))^2 \\
 &= \mu^2 + \sigma^2 - \mu^2 = \sigma^2
 \end{aligned}$$