

## Problems 6-7

For problems 6-7, when it says to find the "simulated value of the" mean/median, is it referring to the mean/median of the distribution of the range (from problem 4) or does it want us to basically repeat problem 4 with the mean and median on the interval  $2 \leq m \leq 100$ ?

- (20 points) Use the rejection method to sample from a beta distribution with parameters  $\alpha = 5$  and  $\beta = 3$ .
- (10 points) Perform a simulation study to estimate the distribution of the range (i.e. maximum - minimum value) of  $m$  observations from the target beta distribution (i.e.  $\alpha = 3$  and  $\beta = 5$ ). Display a histogram for the distribution of the range for  $m = 5$ ,  $m = 10$ , and  $m = 25$ ?
- (10 points) What is the expected value of the range when  $m = 5$ ?  $m = 10$ ?  $m = 25$ ?
- (10 points) Create a plot that has the value of  $m$  on the x-axis and your simulated value of the MEAN on the y-axis for values of  $m$  from 2 through 100.
- (10 points) Create a plot that has the value of  $m$  on the x-axis and your simulated value of the MEDIAN on the y-axis for values of  $m$  from 2 through 100.

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S the students' answer, where students collectively construct a single answer

Thanks!

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**Gregory J. Matthews** 4 years ago

Mean/median of the distribution of the range.

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