

# Assignment 3

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## 1 PROBLEM

(GATE(MA)2011-49Q)) Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be two continuous random variables with the joint probability density function

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} 2, & 0 < x + y < 1, x > 0, y > 0, \\ 0, & \text{elsewhere.} \end{cases} \quad (1.0.1)$$

$E\left(X|Y = \frac{1}{2}\right)$  is

- (A)  $1/4$
- (B)  $1/2$
- (C)  $1$
- (D)  $2$

## 2 SOLUTION

The PDF of  $X$  and  $Y$  is,

$$f(X = x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x, y) dy \quad (2.0.1)$$

$$f(X = x) = \int_0^{1-x} 2 dy \quad (2.0.2)$$

$$f(X = x) = 2 - 2x \quad (2.0.3)$$

$$f(Y = y) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x, y) dx \quad (2.0.4)$$

$$f(Y = y) = \int_0^{1-y} 2 dx \quad (2.0.5)$$

$$f(Y = y) = 2 - 2y \quad (2.0.6)$$

$$f\left(Y = \frac{1}{2}\right) = 1 \quad (2.0.7)$$

by using Bayes theorem,

$$f\left(X|Y = \frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{f\left(x, \frac{1}{2}\right)}{f\left(Y = \frac{1}{2}\right)} \quad (2.0.8)$$

$$f\left(X|Y = \frac{1}{2}\right) = \begin{cases} 2, & 0 < x < \frac{1}{2}, \\ 0, & \text{elsewhere.} \end{cases} \quad (2.0.9)$$

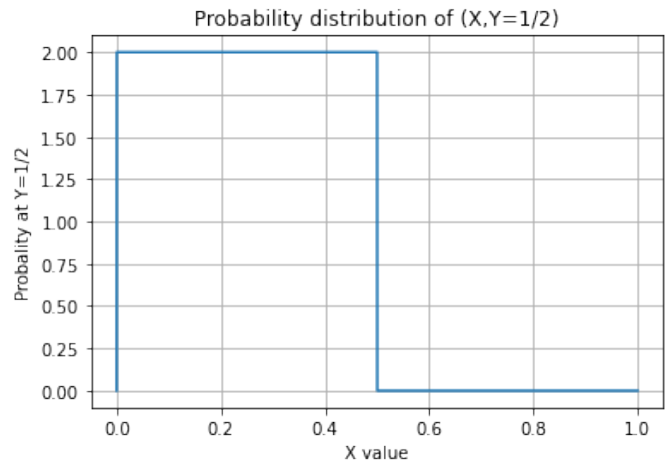


Fig. 4. Plot of of probability function

It is in the form of Bernoulli distribution, the expectation value is given by,

$$E\left(X|Y = \frac{1}{2}\right) = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} k f\left(X = k|Y = \frac{1}{2}\right) \quad (2.0.10)$$

$$E\left(X|Y = \frac{1}{2}\right) = \int_{-\infty}^0 x(0) dx + \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} x(2) dx + \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{\infty} x(0) dx \quad (2.0.11)$$

$$E\left(X|Y = \frac{1}{2}\right) = \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} 2x dx \quad (2.0.12)$$

$$E\left(X|Y = \frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{4} \quad (2.0.13)$$

**Option (A)** is correct.

Expected Value–

simulated: 0.25008392175344957,

actual: 0.25