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# Random Numbers

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### 1 Uniform Random Numbers

Let U be a uniform random variable between 0 and 1.

1.1 Generate  $10^6$  samples of U using a C program and save into a file called uni.dat .

**Solution:** Download the following files and execute the C program.

wget https://github.com/Pranavb060504/
Random\_numbers/blob/main/1.1/exrand.c
wget https://github.com/Pranavb060504/
Random\_numbers/blob/main/1.1/coeffs.h

Use the below command in the terminal to run the code

cc exrand.c -lm ./a.out

1.2 Load the uni.dat file into python and plot the empirical CDF of *U* using the samples in uni.dat. The CDF is defined as

$$F_U(x) = \Pr\left(U \le x\right) \tag{1.1}$$

**Solution:** The graph 1.2 is obtained by running the below code

https://github.com/Pranavb060504/ Random\_numbers/blob/main/1.2/uni\_cdf. py

Run the following command in the terminal to run the code.

python3 uni\_cdf.py

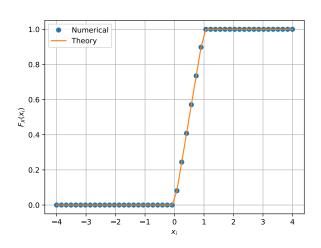


Fig. 1.2: The CDF of U

1.3 Find a theoretical expression for  $F_U(x)$ . **Solution:** Since U is an uniform random variable distribution,  $P_U(x_i) = P_U(x_j) = k, \forall i, j$ CDF of  $P_U(x) = F_U(x)$ 

$$= \int P_U(x)dx \tag{1.2}$$

$$= \int k dx \tag{1.3}$$

$$\operatorname{wkt} \int_0^1 k dx = 1 \tag{1.4}$$

$$\therefore k = 1 \tag{1.5}$$

$$\therefore F_U(x) = x \tag{1.6}$$

1.4 The mean of U is defined as

$$E[U] = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^{N} U_i$$
 (1.7)

and its variance as

$$var[U] = E[U - E[U]]^2$$
 (1.8)

Write a C program to find the mean and variance of U.

## **Solution:**

wget https://github.com/Pranavb060504/ Random numbers/blob/main/1.4/ mean var.c

Use below command to run file,

running the code gives us Mean =0.500137, Variance =0.083251

1.5 Verify your result theoretically given that

$$E\left[U^{k}\right] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^{k} dF_{U}(x) \tag{1.9}$$

$$dF_U(x) = dx (1.10)$$

$$\therefore E[U^k] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^k dx \tag{1.11}$$

$$E[U] = \int_0^1 x dx = \frac{1}{2}$$
 (1.12)

$$E[U^2] = \int_0^1 x^2 dx = \frac{1}{3}$$
 (1.13)

$$\therefore P_X(x) = 0, \forall x \in (1, \infty) \cap (-\infty, 0)$$
 (1.14)

$$Var(X) = E[U^2] - (E[U])^2 = \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{12}$$
 (1.15)

## 2 Central Limit Theorem

2.1 Generate 10<sup>6</sup> samples of the random variable

$$X = \sum_{i=1}^{12} U_i - 6 \tag{2.1}$$

using a C program, where  $U_i$ , i = 1, 2, ..., 12are a set of independent uniform random variables between 0 and 1 and save in a file called gau.dat

## **Solution:**

wget https://github.com/Pranavb060504/ Random numbers/blob/main/1.1/exrand.c wget https://github.com/Pranavb060504/ Random numbers/blob/main/1.1/coeffs.h

Running the above codes generates uni.dat and gau.dat file. Use the command

2.2 Load gau.dat in python and plot the empirical CDF of X using the samples in gau.dat. What properties does a CDF have?

**Solution:** The CDF of X is plotted in 2.2,Properties of the CDF:

- $\Phi(x) = P(Z \le x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{x} \exp\left\{-\frac{u^2}{2}\right\} du$   $\lim_{\substack{x \to \infty \\ x \neq 0}} \Phi(x) = 1, \quad \lim_{\substack{x \to -\infty \\ x \neq 0}} \Phi(x) = 0$
- $\Phi(0) = \frac{1}{2}$
- $\Phi(-x) = 1 \Phi(x)$

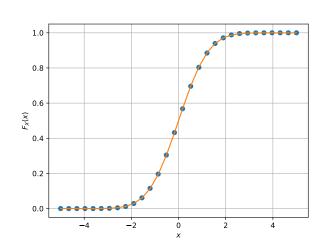


Fig. 2.2: The CDF of X

2.3 Load gau.dat in python and plot the empirical PDF of X using the samples in gau.dat. The PDF of X is defined as

$$p_X(x) = \frac{d}{dx} F_X(x) \tag{2.2}$$

What properties does the PDF have?

**Solution:** The PDF of X is plotted in 2.3 using the code below

https://github.com/Pranavb060504/ Random numbers/blob/main/2.3/pdf.py

Use the below command to run the code:

python3 pdf.py

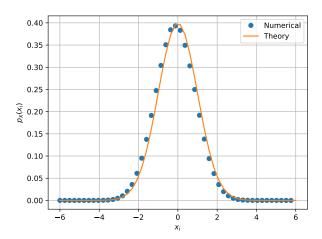


Fig. 2.3: The PDF of X

Properties of PDF:

- PDF is symmetric about x = 0
- graph is bell shaped
- mean of graph is situated at the apex point of the bell
- 2.4 Find the mean and variance of *X* by writing a C program.

**Solution:** Running the below code gives Mean = -0.000417 Variance= 0.999902

wget https://github.com/Pranavb060504/ Random\_numbers/blob/main/2.4/ mean\_var(gau).c

Command used:

cc mean\_var(gau).c -lm ./a.out

2.5 Given that

$$p_X(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left(-\frac{x^2}{2}\right), -\infty < x < \infty, \quad (2.3)$$

repeat the above exercise theoretically.

Given 
$$p_X(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}}$$
  

$$E[x] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x p_X(x) dx$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} x e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}}$$

$$\therefore x e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}} \text{ is a odd function,}$$

$$E[x] = 0$$

$$E[x^2] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^2 p_X(x) dx$$
$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} x (xe^{-\frac{-x^2}{2}}) dx$$

Using integration by parts:

$$= x \int xe^{-\frac{-x^2}{2}} dx - \int \frac{d(x)}{dx} \int xe^{-\frac{-x^2}{2}} dx \qquad (2.4)$$

$$I = \int xe^{-\frac{-x^2}{2}} \tag{2.5}$$

$$Let \frac{x^2}{2} = t \tag{2.6}$$

$$\implies xdx = dt$$
 (2.7)

$$\Longrightarrow = \int e^{-t}dt = -e^{-t} + c \tag{2.8}$$

$$\therefore \int xe^{-\frac{x^2}{2}} = -e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}} + c \tag{2.9}$$

Using (2.9) in (2.4)

$$= -xe^{-\frac{-x^2}{2}} + \int e^{-\frac{-x^2}{2}} dx \tag{2.10}$$

Also, 
$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}} dx = \sqrt{2\pi}$$
 (2.11)

$$\therefore$$
 substituting limits we get,  $E[x^2] = 1$  (2.12)

$$Var(X) = E[x^2] - (E[x])^2 = 1 - 0$$
 (2.13)

3 From Uniform to Other

3.1 Generate samples of

$$V = -2\ln(1 - U) \tag{3.1}$$

and plot its CDF.

**Solution:** Running the below code generates samples of V from file uni.dat(U).

https://github.com/Pranavb060504/ Random\_numbers/blob/main/3.1/V.py

Use the below command in the terminal to run the code:

python3 V.py

Now these samples are used to plot (3.1) by running the below code,

https://github.com/Pranavb060504/ Random\_numbers/blob/main/3.1/V\_cdf. py

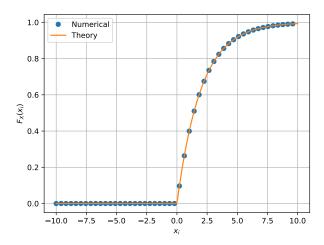


Fig. 3.1: CDF for (3)

Use the below command to run the code:

## 3.2 Find a theoretical expression for $F_V(x)$ .

$$F_V(x) = P(V \le x) \tag{3.2}$$

$$= P(-2ln(1-U) \le x) \tag{3.3}$$

$$= P(1 - e^{\frac{-x}{2}} \ge U) \tag{3.4}$$

$$P(U < x) = \int_0^x dx = x$$
 (3.5)

$$\therefore P(1 - e^{\frac{-x}{2}} \ge U) = 1 - e^{\frac{-x}{2}}, \forall x \ge 0 \quad (3.6)$$

## 4 Triangular Distribution

## 4.1 Generate

$$T = U_1 + U_2 (4.1)$$

**Solution:** Run the below code to generate T.dat

https://github.com/Pranavb060504/ Random\_numbers/blob/main/4.1/ T\_gen\_dat.py

Run the command below in the terminal

## 4.2 Find the CDF of T.

$$F_T(t) = P(T < t) \tag{4.2}$$

$$= P(U_1 + U_2 < t) \tag{4.3}$$

we know that  $0 \le U_1 \le 1$  and  $0 \le U_2 \le 1$  $\therefore 0 \le U_1 + U_2 \le 2$ , so

$$\forall t > 2, P(U_1 + U_2 < t) = 1$$
  
 $\forall t < 0, P(U_1 + U_2 < t) = 0$   
for  $0 < t < 2$  let us split it into 2 c

for  $0 \le t \le 2$  let us split it into 2 cases, for  $0 \le t \le 1$  and  $1 < t \le 2$ 

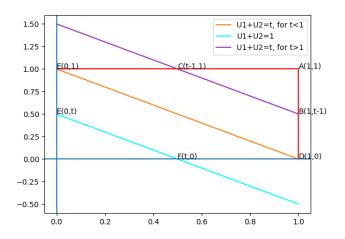


Fig. 4.2: Plot

The above figure is produced by the following code

https://github.com/Pranavb060504/ Random\_numbers/blob/main/4.2/T\_plot. py

Run the following command in the terminal to run the code

# python3 T plot.py

From Fig (4.2)

$$P(U_1 + U_2 < t, 0 \le t \le 1) = \frac{\Delta(EOF)}{\Delta(AEOD)}$$
 (4.4)

$$=\frac{t^2}{2}\tag{4.5}$$

$$P(U_1 + U_2 < t, 1 \le t \le 2) = \frac{\Delta(ABC)}{\Delta(AEOD)}$$
 (4.6)

$$=1-\frac{(2-t)^2}{2}\tag{4.7}$$

$$\therefore F_T(t) = P(U_1 + U_2 < t) = \begin{cases} 0 & t < 0 \\ \frac{t^2}{2} & 0 \le t \le 1 \\ 1 - \frac{(2-t)^2}{2} & 1 < t \le 2 \\ 1 & t > 2 \end{cases}$$
(4.8)

4.3 Find the PDF of T.

**Solution:** 

$$P_T(t) = \frac{d(F_T(t))}{dt} \tag{4.9}$$

$$\therefore P_T(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & t < 0 \\ t & 0 \le t \le 1 \\ 2 - t & 0 < t \le 2 \\ 0 & t > 2 \end{cases}$$
 (4.10)

4.4 Find the theoretical expressions for the PDF and CDF of T.

**Solution:** 

$$P_T(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & t < 0 \\ t & 0 \le t \le 1 \\ 2 - t & 0 < t \le 2 \\ 0 & t > 2 \end{cases}$$
 (4.11)

$$F_T(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & t < 0\\ \frac{t^2}{2} & 0 \le t \le 1\\ 1 - \frac{(2-t)^2}{2} & 1 < t \le 2\\ 1 & t > 2 \end{cases}$$
(4.12)

4.5 Verify your results through a plot.

Solution: Run the below code to get the cdf

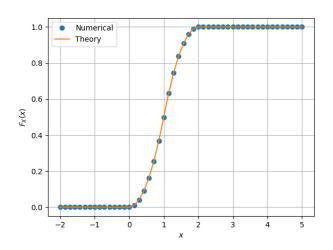


Fig. 4.5: CDF for (4)

https://github.com/Pranavb060504/ Random\_numbers/blob/main/4.5/T\_cdf. py

Use the following command in the terminal to run the code

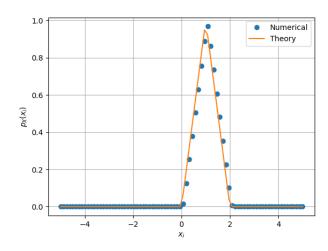


Fig. 4.5: PDF for (4)

Run the below code to get the pdf

https://github.com/Pranavb060504/ Random\_numbers/blob/main/4.5/T\_pdf. py

Use the following command in the terminal to run the code

python3 T\_pdf.py

#### 5 Maximul Likelihood

5.1 Generate

$$Y = AX + N, (5.1)$$

where A = 5 dB,  $X_1\{1, -1\}$ , is Bernoulli and  $N \sim 01$ .

- 5.2 Plot *Y*.
- 5.3 Guess how to estimate X from Y.
- 5.4 Find

$$P_{e|0} = \Pr(\hat{X} = -1|X = 1)$$
 (5.2)

and

$$P_{e|1} = \Pr(\hat{X} = 1|X = -1)$$
 (5.3)

- 5.5 Find  $P_e$ .
- 5.6 Verify by plotting the theoretical  $P_e$ .

## 6 Gaussian to Other

6.1 Let  $X_1 \sim 01$  and  $X_2 \sim 01$ . Plot the CDF and PDF of

$$V = X_1^2 + X_2^2 \tag{6.1}$$

6.2 If

$$F_V(x) = \begin{cases} 1 - e^{-\alpha x} & x \ge 0 \\ 0 & x < 0, \end{cases}$$
 (6.2)

find  $\alpha$ .

6.3 Plot the CDF and PDf of

$$A = \sqrt{V} \tag{6.3}$$

7 CONDITIONAL PROBABILITY

7.1

7.2 Plot

$$P_e = \Pr(\hat{X} = -1|X = 1) \tag{7.1}$$

for

$$Y = AX + N, (7.2)$$

where A is Raleigh with  $E\left[A^2\right] = \gamma, N \sim 01, X \in (-1, 1)$  for  $0 \le \gamma \le 10$  dB.

- 7.3 Assuming that N is a constant, find an expression for  $P_e$ . Call this  $P_e(N)$
- 7.4 For a function g,

$$E[g(X)] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(x)p_X(x) dx \qquad (7.3)$$

Find  $P_e = E[P_e(N)]$ .

7.5 Plot  $P_e$  in problems 7.2 and 7.4 on the same graph w.r.t  $\gamma$ . Comment.

8 Two Dimensions

Let

$$\mathbf{y} = A\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{n},\tag{8.1}$$

where

$$x \in (\mathbf{s}_0, \mathbf{s}_1), \mathbf{s}_0 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{s}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$
 (8.2)

$$\mathbf{n} = \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \end{pmatrix}, n_1, n_2 \sim 01. \tag{8.3}$$

8.1 Plot

$$\mathbf{y}|\mathbf{s}_0$$
 and  $\mathbf{y}|\mathbf{s}_1$  (8.4)

on the same graph using a scatter plot.

- 8.2 For the above problem, find a decision rule for detecting the symbols  $s_0$  and  $s_1$ .
- 8.3 Plot

$$P_e = \Pr\left(\hat{\mathbf{x}} = \mathbf{s}_1 | \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{s}_0\right) \tag{8.5}$$

with respect to the SNR from 0 to 10 dB.

8.4 Obtain an expression for  $P_e$ . Verify this by comparing the theory and simulation plots on the same graph.