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Random Numbers

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Abstract—This is the solution manual of Class Assignment.

1 Unifom 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:

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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 following code plots Fig. 1.2

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1.3 Find a theoretical expression for $F_U(x)$. Solution:

$$f_U(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & x \in (0,1) \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$
 (1.2)

$$F_U(x) = \int_{-\infty}^x f_U(x) \ dx \tag{1.3}$$

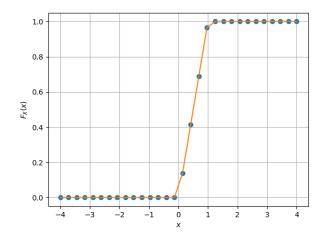


Fig. 1.2: The CDF of U

Hence, If $x \leq 0$,

$$F_U(x) = \int_{-\infty}^x f_U(x) \ dx \tag{1.4}$$

$$F_U(x) = \int_{-\infty}^x 0 \, dx \tag{1.5}$$

= 0 (1.6)

If 0 < x < 1,

$$F_U(x) = \int_0^x f_U(x) \ dx$$
 (1.7)

$$F_U(x) = \int_0^x 1 \, dx \tag{1.8}$$

$$= x \tag{1.9}$$

If $x \ge 1$,

$$F_U(x) = \int_1^x f_U(x) \ dx \tag{1.10}$$

$$F_U(x) = \int_1^x 0 \, dx \tag{1.11}$$

$$=0 (1.12)$$

1.4 The mean of U is defined as

$$E[U] = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^{N} U_i$$
 (1.13)

and its variance as

$$var[U] = E[U - E[U]]^2$$
 (1.14)

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

Solution:

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Assignments/blob/main/

Class_Assignments/Section1/

mean variance.c

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Class_Assignments/Section1/coeffs.h

1.5 Verify your result theoretically given that

$$E\left[U^{k}\right] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^{k} dF_{U}(x) \tag{1.15}$$

Solution:

$$F_U(x) = \begin{cases} x, & x \in (0,1) \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$
 (1.16)

$$dF_U(x) = \begin{cases} dx, & x \in (0,1) \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$
 (1.17)

$$E[U^k] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^k dF_U(x) \tag{1.18}$$

$$E[U^k] = \int_0^1 x^k dx$$
 (1.19)

$$=\frac{1}{k+1}$$
 (1.20)

To verify the result obtained for mean and variance from the C code and by the integral:

The result given by the C code was,

Mean = 0.50007 and Variance = 0.083301.

Now, using the formula

$$E[U^k] = \frac{1}{k+1} \tag{1.21}$$

$$E[U] = \frac{1}{1+1} = \frac{1}{2} \tag{1.22}$$

$$E[U^2] = \frac{1}{2+1} = \frac{1}{3} \tag{1.23}$$

Therefore, Mean = E[U] = 0.50Variance =

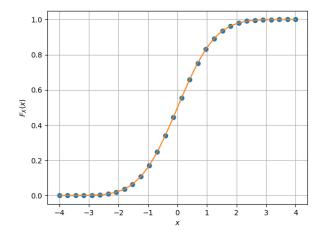


Fig. 2.2: The CDF of X

$$E[U^2] - (E[U])^2 = \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4}$$
 (1.24)

$$=\frac{1}{12}$$
 (1.25)

$$= 0.0833$$
 (1.26)

Hence the values of mean and variance are almost similar, and is hence theoretically verified.

2 Central Limit Theorem

2.1 Generate 10⁶ 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, ..., 12 are a set of independent uniform random variables between 0 and 1 and save in a file called gau.dat

Solution:

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Class Assignments/Section2/coeffs.h

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 Fig. 2.2 The CDF of a random variable U has the

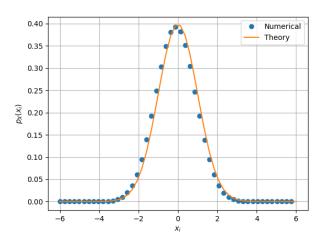


Fig. 2.3: The PDF of X

following properties:

- a) $F_U(x)$ is a non decreasing function of x where $-\infty < x < \infty$
- b) $F_U(x)$ ranges from 0 to 1
- c) $F_U(x) = 0$ as $x \to -\infty$
- d) $F_U(x) = 1$ as $x \to \infty$
- 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 Fig. 2.3 using the code below

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The PDF of a random variable X has the following properties:

- a) The probability density function is nonnegative for all the possible values.
- b) $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx = 1$
- c) f(x) = 0 as $x \to -\infty$
- d) f(x) = 0 as $x \to \infty$
- 2.4 Find the mean and variance of *X* by writing a C program.

Solution:

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Class_Assignments/Section2/ mean_variance.c wget https://github.com/PrashamW/AI1110-Assignments/blob/main/ Class Assignments/Section2/coeffs.h

2.5 Given that

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

repeat the above exercise theoretically.

Solution: By definition,

$$p_X(x) dx = dF_U(x) (2.4)$$

Also, by definition,

$$E\left[U^{k}\right] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^{k} dF_{U}(x) \tag{2.5}$$

Hence,

$$E[U] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x dF_U(x) \ dx \tag{2.6}$$

$$E[U] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x p_X(x) \ dx \tag{2.7}$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} exp\left(-\frac{x^2}{2}\right) dx \qquad (2.8)$$

$$=0 (2.9)$$

Since the function is an odd function its integral over real numbers would be 0 Also,

variance =
$$E[U^2] - (E[U])^2$$
 (2.10)

$$E\left[U^{2}\right] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^{2} p_{X}(x) dx \qquad (2.11)$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^2 \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} exp\left(-\frac{x^2}{2}\right) dx \qquad (2.12)$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} xx \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} exp\left(-\frac{x^2}{2}\right) dx \qquad (2.13)$$

Using integration by parts,

(2.14)

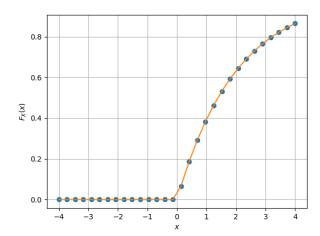


Fig. 3.1: The CDF of X

$$= \Big|_{-\infty}^{\infty} - x \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{\left(-\frac{x^2}{2}\right)} + \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} exp\left(-\frac{x^2}{2}\right)$$
(2.15)
$$= 0 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \sqrt{2\pi}$$
(2.16)
$$= 1$$
(2.17)
$$\implies \text{variance} = 1$$
(2.18)

Also,

$$F_{U}(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{x} p_{X}(x) dx$$
 (2.19)
=
$$\int_{-\infty}^{x} e^{-\frac{x^{2}}{2}} dx$$
 (2.20)

3 From Uniform to Other

3.1 Generate samples of

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

and plot its CDF.

Solution:

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The CDF of X is plotted in Fig. 3.1

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

$$F_V(x) = \Pr(V \le x)$$
 (3.2)
= $\Pr(-2ln(1 - U) \le x)$ (3.3)

=
$$\Pr\left(ln(1-U) \ge -\frac{x}{2}\right)$$
 (3.4)

$$= \Pr\left(1 - U \ge e^{-\frac{x}{2}}\right) \tag{3.5}$$

$$= \Pr\left(U \le 1 - e^{-\frac{x}{2}}\right) \tag{3.6}$$

Let $y = 1 - e^{-\frac{x}{2}}$

$$= \Pr\left(U \le y\right) \tag{3.7}$$

$$= F_U(y) \tag{3.8}$$

$$F_U(y) = \begin{cases} y, & y \in (0,1) \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$
 (3.9)

$$0 \le 1 - e^{-\frac{x}{2}} \le 1 \tag{3.10}$$

$$0 \le e^{-\frac{x}{2}} \le 1 \tag{3.11}$$

$$\implies x > 0 \tag{3.12}$$

Therefore,

$$F_V(x) = F_U(y) = \begin{cases} 1 - e^{-\frac{x}{2}}, & x > 0\\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$
(3.13)

4 Triangular Distribution

4.1 Generate

$$T = U_1 + U_2 \tag{4.1}$$

Solution:

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4.2 Find the CDF of T.

Solution: The CDF of T is plotted in Fig. 4.2

4.3 Find the PDF of *T*.

Solution: The PDF of *T* is plotted in Fig. 4.3

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

Solution: The CDF of T is given by

$$F_T(t) = \Pr(T \le t) = \Pr(U_1 + U_2 \le t)$$
 (4.2)

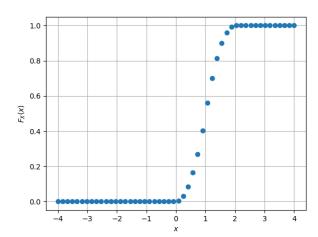


Fig. 4.2: The CDF of T

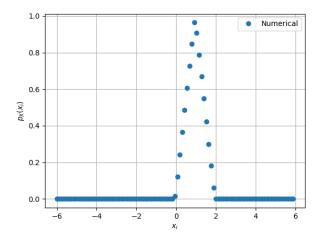


Fig. 4.3: The PDF of T

Since $U_1, U_2 \in [0, 1] \implies U_1 + U_2 \in [0, 2]$ Therefore, if $t \ge 2$, then $U_1 + U_2 \le t$ is always true and if t < 0, then $U_1 + U_2 \le t$ is always false.

Now, fix the value of U_1 to be some x

$$x + U_2 \le t \implies U_2 \le t - x \tag{4.3}$$

If $0 \le t \le 1$, then x can take all values in [0, t]

$$F_T(t) = \int_0^t \Pr(U_2 \le t - x) \, p_{U_1}(x) \, dx \quad (4.4)$$

$$= \int_0^t F_{U_2}(t-x)p_{U_1}(x) dx \tag{4.5}$$

$$0 \le x \le t \implies 0 \le t - x \le t \le 1 \tag{4.6}$$

$$\implies F_{U_2}(t-x) = t-x$$
 (4.7)

$$F_T(t) = \int_0^t (t - x) \cdot 1 \cdot dx \tag{4.8}$$

$$= tx - \frac{x^2}{2} \bigg|_{0}^{t} \tag{4.9}$$

$$=\frac{t^2}{2}$$
 (4.10)

If 1 < t < 2, x can only take values in [0, 1] as $U_1 \le 1$

$$F_T(t) = \int_0^1 F_{U_2}(t - x) \cdot 1 \cdot dx \tag{4.11}$$

$$0 \le x \le t - 1 \implies 1 \le t - x \le t \tag{4.12}$$

$$t - 1 \le x \le 1 \implies 0 < t - 1 \le t - x \le 1$$
(4.13)

$$F_T(t) = \int_0^{t-1} 1 \, dx + \int_{t-1}^1 (t - x) \, dx \qquad (4.14)$$

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

$$= t - 1 + 2t - t^2 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{t^2}{2} + \frac{1}{2} - t \qquad (4.16)$$

$$= -\frac{t^2}{2} + 2t - 1 \qquad (4.17)$$

Therefore,

$$F_T(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & t < 0\\ \frac{t^2}{2} & 0 \le t \le 1\\ 2t - \frac{t^2}{2} - 1 & 1 < t < 2\\ 1 & t \ge 2 \end{cases}$$
(4.18)

The PDF of T is given by

$$p_T(t) = \frac{d}{dt} F_T(t) \tag{4.19}$$

$$\therefore p_T(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & t < 0 \\ t & 0 \le t \le 1 \\ 2 - t & 1 < t < 2 \\ 0 & t \ge 2 \end{cases}$$
 (4.20)

4.5 Verify your results through a plot.

Solution: The following codes have been used to plot the CDF and PDF

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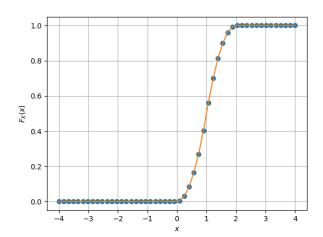


Fig. 4.5: The CDF of T

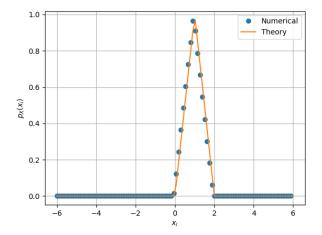


Fig. 4.5: The PDF of T

Class_Assignments/Section4/cdf_plot.py wget https://github.com/PrashamW/AI1110-Assignments/blob/main/ Class Assignments/Section4/pdf plot.py

The CDF of T is plotted in Fig. 4.5 The PDF of T is plotted in Fig. 4.5

5 MAXIMUM LIKELIHOOD

- 5.1 Generate equiprobable $X \in \{1, -1\}$.
- 5.2 Generate

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

where A = 5 dB, and $N \sim 01$.

- 5.3 Plot Y using a scatter plot.
- 5.4 Guess how to estimate *X* from *Y*.

5.5 Find

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

and

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

- 5.6 Find P_e assuming that X has equiprobable symbols.
- 5.7 Verify by plotting the theoretical P_e with respect to A from 0 to 10 dB.
- 5.8 Now, consider a threshold δ while estimating X from Y. Find the value of δ that maximizes the theoretical P_e .
- 5.9 Repeat the above exercise when

$$p_X(0) = p \tag{5.4}$$

5.10 Repeat the above exercise using the MAP criterion.

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 α .

6.3 Plot the CDF and PDf of

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

7 CONDITIONAL PROBABILITY

7.1 Plot

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

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

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

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

7.4 Plot P_e in problems 7.1 and 7.3 on the same graph w.r.t γ . 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

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

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.