

Quiz 2 Solutions

1. sol:-

$$\begin{aligned} & P(A \text{ is taller than } B \mid A \text{ is shorter than } c) \\ &= P(X_1 > X_2 \mid X_1 < X_3) \\ &= \frac{P(X_2 < X_1 < X_3)}{P(X_1 < X_3)} \end{aligned}$$

Note that $P(X_1 < X_2 < X_3) + P(X_1 < X_3 < X_2) + P(X_2 < X_3 < X_1) + P(X_2 < X_1 < X_3) + P(X_3 < X_1 < X_2) + P(X_3 < X_2 < X_1) = 1$.

We claim that all these probabilities are equal by symmetry, i.e., by using the independent and identically distributed nature.

$$P(X_1 < X_2 < X_3) = \int_{x_1=-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{x_2=x_1}^{\infty} \int_{x_3=x_2}^{\infty} f_{X_1, X_2, X_3}(x_1, x_2, x_3) dx_1 dx_2 dx_3$$

$$= \int_{x_1=-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{x_2=x_1}^{\infty} \int_{x_3=x_2}^{\infty} f_x(x_1) f_x(x_2) f_x(x_3) dx_1 dx_2 dx_3$$

$$= \int_{s=-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{t=s}^{\infty} \int_{u=t}^{\infty} f_x(s) f_x(t) f_x(u) ds dt du$$

$$= P(X_i < X_j < X_k)$$

$$\text{for } (i, j, k) = (\underline{1}, \underline{2}, \underline{3}), (\underline{1}, \underline{3}, \underline{2}), (\underline{2}, \underline{1}, \underline{3}), (\underline{2}, \underline{3}, \underline{1}), \\ (\underline{3}, \underline{1}, \underline{2}), (\underline{3}, \underline{2}, \underline{1}).$$

$$\therefore P(X_i < X_j < X_k) = 1/6.$$

$$P(X_1 < X_3) = P(X_2 < X_1 < X_3) + P(X_1 < X_2 < X_3) \\ + P(X_1 < X_3 < X_2) \\ = 3/6 = 1/2$$

$$\therefore P(A \text{ is taller than } B \mid A \text{ is shorter than } c)$$

$$= 1/6 / 1/2 = 1/3.$$

2. Sol:- For $t < 0$ $F_Z(t) = P(Z \leq t) = 0$.

For $t > 0$ we have

$$F_Z(t) = P(Z \leq t)$$

$$= P(XY \leq t)$$

$$= P((X, Y) \in \{(x, y) : xy \leq t\})$$

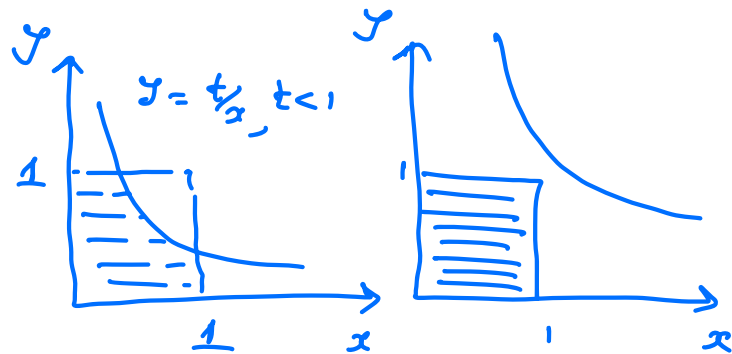
$$= \int_{(x, y) : xy \leq t} f_{X,Y}(x, y) dx dy$$

$(x, y) : xy \leq t$

$$= \begin{cases} t + \int_{x=t}^1 \int_{y=0}^{t/x} dx dy & \text{if } t < 1 \\ \int_{x=0}^1 \int_{y=0}^1 dx dy & \text{if } t > 1 \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} t - t \log t & \text{if } t < 1 \\ 1 & \text{if } t > 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore f_Z(t) = \begin{cases} -\log t & \text{if } 0 < t < 1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$



3. Sol:- $y_1 = x_1 + x_2$ $y_2 = \frac{x_2}{x_1 + x_2}$

$$y_1 = g_1(x_1, x_2) = x_1 + x_2$$

$$y_2 = g_2(x_1, x_2) = \frac{x_2}{x_1 + x_2}$$

$$y_2 = \frac{x_2}{y_1} \Rightarrow x_2 = y_1 y_2, \quad x_1 = y_1 - y_1 y_2$$

$$x_1 = h_1(y_1, y_2) = y_1 - y_1 y_2$$

$$x_2 = h_2(y_1, y_2) = y_1 y_2$$

$$J(x_1, x_2) = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial g_1(x_1, x_2)}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial g_1(x_1, x_2)}{\partial x_2} \\ \frac{\partial g_2(x_1, x_2)}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial g_2(x_1, x_2)}{\partial x_2} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ \frac{-x_2}{(x_1 + x_2)^2} & \frac{x_1}{(x_1 + x_2)^2} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{x_1 + x_2}$$

$$f_{y_1, y_2}(y_1, y_2) = \frac{f_{x_1, x_2}(x_1, x_2)}{|J(x_1, x_2)|} \left| \begin{array}{l} x_1 = h_1(y_1, y_2) \\ x_2 = h_2(y_1, y_2) \end{array} \right.$$

$$= \begin{cases} y_1 f_x(y_1 - y_1, y_2) f_x(y_1, y_2) & , \text{ if } y_1 > y_2 \\ 0 & , \text{ otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} \frac{1}{y_1^3 y_2^2 (1 - y_2^2)} & , \text{ if } y_1 > y_2 \\ 0 & , \text{ otherwise} \end{cases}$$