

Assignment 4

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1 GATE 2021 (ST), Q.17 (STATISTICS SECTION)

If the marginal probability density function of the k^{th} order statistic of a random sample of size 8 from a uniform distribution on $[0, 2]$ is

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{7}{32} x^6 (2-x), & 0 < x < 2, \\ 0, & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

then k equals _____

2 SOLUTION

Method 1:

Let $X \in [0, 2]$ be a random variable of uniform order statistic distribution of sample size 8 then

$$\int_0^2 \Pr(x) dx = 1 \quad (2.0.1)$$

$$\Pr(x) = \frac{1}{2} \quad (\because \text{Uniform order}) \quad (2.0.2)$$

The PDF for X is

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2}, & 0 < x < 2, \\ 0, & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases} \quad (2.0.3)$$

The CDF for X is

$$F(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & x \leq 0, \\ \frac{x}{2}, & 0 < x < 2, \\ 1, & x > 2 \end{cases} \quad (2.0.4)$$

Theorem 2.1. Let $\{X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n\}$ be n i.i.d random variables with common CDF $= F(x)$ and common PDF $= f(x)$, then the marginal probability density of k^{th} order statistic (PDF) is denoted by $f_{(k,n)}(x)$ and it is given by

$$f_{(k,n)}(x) = n {}^{n-1}C_{k-1} f(x) (F(x))^{k-1} (1-F(x))^{n-k} \quad (2.0.5)$$

PDF of k^{th} order statistic of given sample from equation (2.0.5)

$$f_{(k,n)}(x) = n {}^{n-1}C_{k-1} \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^{k-1} \left(1 - \frac{x}{2}\right)^{n-k} \quad (2.0.6)$$

$$f_{(k,8)}(x) = \frac{8}{2^{(1+(k-1)+(8-k))}} \times {}^7C_{k-1} x^{k-1} (2-x)^{8-k} \quad (2.0.7)$$

$$f_{(k,8)}(x) = {}^7C_{k-1} \frac{1}{32} x^{k-1} (2-x)^{8-k} \quad (2.0.8)$$

Comparing the PDF obtained in equation (2.0.8) with the equation given in question

$$\frac{1}{32} {}^7C_{k-1} (2-x)^{8-k} x^{k-1} = \frac{7}{32} (2-x) x^6 \quad (2.0.9)$$

$$\therefore k = 7 \quad (2.0.10)$$

Hence the marginal probability density given is 7^{th} order statistic and **the value of k is 7**

Method 2:

we know that, PDF of k^{th} order statistic of a uniform distribution on $[0, 1]$ follows beta distribution

$$\int_0^2 f(x) dx = \int_0^2 \frac{7}{32} x^6 (2-x) dx \quad (2.0.11)$$

$$\int_0^2 f(x) dx = \int_0^2 56 \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^6 \left(1 - \frac{x}{2}\right) d\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \quad (2.0.12)$$

Let new random variable be t such that $t = x/2$,
New sample be $\{T_1, \dots, T_8\}$ such that $T_i = X_i/2$.

$$f(t) = 56 t^6 (1 - t) \quad (2.0.13)$$

$$\int_0^2 f(x) dx = \int_0^1 f(t) dt = 1 \quad (2.0.14)$$

The Uniform distribution of new random sample is on $[0, 1]$ such that PDF = 1 and CDF = t
Given k^{th} order statistic (after conversion)

$$f_{(k,8)}(t) = \begin{cases} 56 t^6 (1 - t), & 0 < t < 1, \\ 0, & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases} \quad (2.0.15)$$

Since equation (2.0.15) is a Beta distribution with $r = k$, $s = n - k + 1$

$$r - 1 = k - 1 = 6 \quad (2.0.16)$$

$$\therefore k = 7 \quad (2.0.17)$$

Hence the **value of k is 7**

Presentation link :

<https://github.com/Suraj11050/Assignments-AI1103/tree/main/Assignment4presentation>

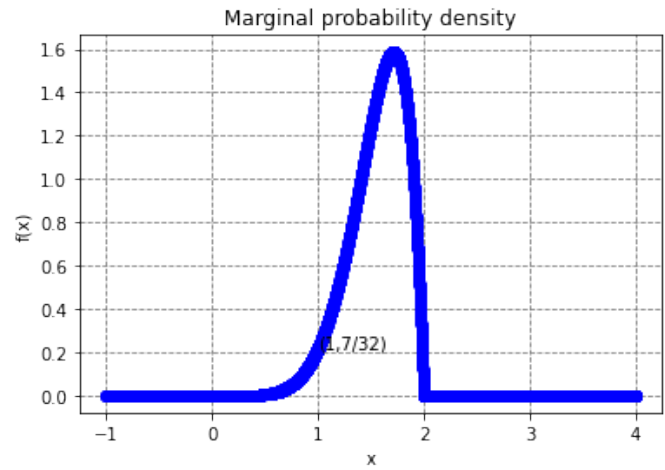


Fig. 1: PDF of $f_{(7,8)}(x)$

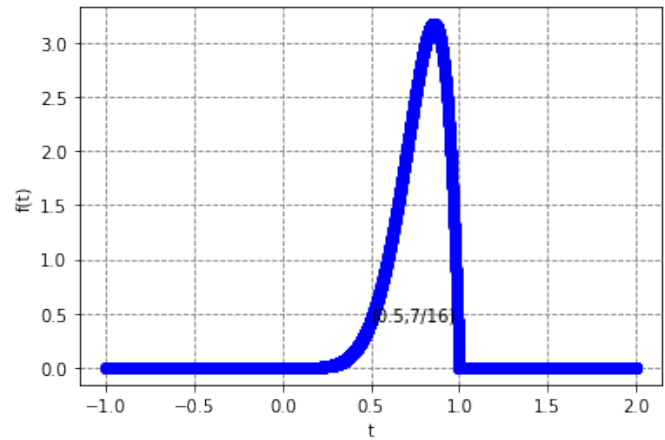


Fig. 2: PDF of $f_{(7,8)}(t)$