

1. Suppose X_1, X_2, X_3 are independent exponential random variables with parameter $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3$, respectively. Let $X = X_1 + X_2, Y = X_2 + X_3$ Find the joint distribution of X and Y .
2. Suppose the distribution of Y conditional on $X = x$ is $N(x, x^2)$ and that marginal distribution of X is $U(0, 1)$ Find $Cov(X, Y)$ and show that $\frac{Y}{X}$ and X are independent.
3. Suppose X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n are independent standard normal random variables. Let $Y_1 = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i X_i, Y_2 = \sum_{i=1}^n b_i X_i$ Show that Y_1 and Y_2 are independent if and only if $\sum_{i=1}^n a_i b_i = 0$
4. Suppose X and Y are random variables with finite variances. Show that
 1. X and $Y - E[Y|X]$ are uncorrelated.
 2. $Var(Y - E[Y|X]) = E[Var(Y|X)]$
5. Suppose X_1, X_2, \dots are i.i.d random variables with the distribution $U(-1, 1)$

$$S_n = \sum_{i=1}^n \arcsin |X_i|$$
 1. Solve $P(|S_{1200}| < 1200\pi)$
 2. Find the maximum value of n such that $P(|S_n| \leq 150\pi) \geq 0.9$
6. Suppose random variables X and Y satisfy a bivariate normal distribution $N(\mu_x, \mu_y, \sigma_x^2, \sigma_y^2, \rho)$
 1. Show that X and Y are independent if and only if $\rho = 0$
 2. Show that for all α, β which satisfies $\alpha^2 + \beta^2 \neq 0$ $Z = \alpha X + \beta Y$ is a normal random variable. Find $E[Z], Var(Z)$
 3. If $\mu_x = 0, \mu_y = 0, \sigma_x^2 = 1, \sigma_y^2 = 1$ Show that $E[\max(X, Y)] = \sqrt{\frac{1-\rho}{\pi}}$
7. Suppose X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n are independent random variables with variance σ_i^2 , respectively. Find the weights a_i ($\sum_{i=1}^n a_i = 1$) to minimize the variance of $\sum_{i=1}^n a_i X_i$