Homework #6

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a)

$$P(X > 3) = \int_{3}^{\infty} \int_{0}^{\infty} f(x, y) dy dx$$

$$= \int_{3}^{\infty} \int_{0}^{\infty} x e^{-x(1+y)} dy dx$$

$$= \int_{3}^{\infty} x e^{-x} \int_{0}^{\infty} e^{-xy} dy dx$$

$$= \int_{3}^{\infty} x e^{-x} \left[\frac{e^{-xy}}{-x} \right]_{0}^{\infty} dx$$

$$= \int_{3}^{\infty} e^{-x} dx$$

$$= \left[-e^{-x} \right]_{3}^{\infty}$$

$$= .05$$

b)

X:

$$f(x) = \int_{y} f(x, y) dy$$

$$= \int_{0}^{\infty} x e^{-x(1+y)} dy$$

$$= x e^{-x} \int_{0}^{\infty} e^{-xy} dy$$

$$= x e^{-x} \left[\frac{e^{-xy}}{-x} \right]_{0}^{\infty}$$

$$= e^{-x} \Leftrightarrow x \ge 0$$

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Y:

$$f(y) = \int_{x} f(x,y)dx$$

$$= \int_{0}^{\infty} xe^{-x(1+y)}dx$$

$$= \left[x\left(\frac{e^{-x(1+y)}}{-1-y}\right) - \frac{e^{-x(1+y)}}{(1+y)^{2}}\right]_{0}^{\infty}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(1+y)^{2}} \Leftrightarrow y \ge 0$$

No. The joint PDF is not a factor of the product of the marginal PDFs.

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$$P(\max(X,Y) > 3) = 1 - P(\max(X,Y) \le 3) = 1 - \int_0^3 x e^{-x} \left(\int_0^3 e^{-xy} dy \right) dx = 1 - \int_0^3 e^{-x} (1 - e^{-3x}) dx = e^{-3} + 1 - \frac{1}{4} e^{-12} \ge .3$$

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0.1.1 a)

$$f(x_1, x_3) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x_1, x_2, x_3) dx_2$$

$$= \int_{0}^{1-x_1-x_3} kx_1 x_2 (1-x_3) dx_2$$

$$= 72x_1 (1-x_3) (1-x_1-x_3)^2 \Leftrightarrow x_1, x_3 \ge 0; x_1+x_3 \le 1.$$

b)

$$P(X_1 + X_3 \le .5) = \int_0^5 \int_0^{5-x_1} 72x_1(1-x_3)(1-x_1-x_3)^2 dx_1 dx_2 = .5312$$
. Calculated using Wolfram Alpha.

c)

$$f_{x_1}(x_1) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x_1, x_3) dx_3 = \int 72x_1(1 - x_3)(1 - x_1 - x_3)^2 dx_3 = 18x_1 - 48x_1^2 + 36x_1^3 - 6x_1^5 \Leftrightarrow 0 \le x_1 \le 1.$$

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a)

b)
$$E(\max(X,Y) = \sum_{x} \sum_{y} \max(x+y)p(x,y) = 0 * .02 + 5 * .06 + 5 * .04 + ... + 15 * .01 = 9.6$$

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