

Show **all** of your work on this assignment and answer each question fully in the given context.

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1. Chapter 5, Exercise 14 parts (a) and (b) only (page 325)
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3. Chapter 5, Exercise 31 (page 329)
4. Suppose that X is a random variable with probability density function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} c \cdot x^2 & -2 \leq x \leq 2 \\ 0 & \text{o.w.} \end{cases}$$

- a. Find the value of c that makes $f(x)$ a valid probability density function.
 - b. Sketch the cumulative density function, $F(x)$.
 - c. Find the probability that $|X| \geq 1$.
5. Consider a continuously distributed random variable, W , with a probability density function given by

$$f(w) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{5(1-e^{-2})} e^{-w/5} & 0 \leq w \leq 10 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

- a. Graph the probability density function (carefully labeling important features).
- b. Show that the function $f(w)$ is a valid probability density function (i.e., show that (i) $f(w)$ is non-negative and (ii) $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(w)dw = 1$).
- c. Find $P(W \leq 2)$
- d. Find $P(2 \leq W \leq 10)$
- e. Find $E(X)$