

Continuing off of Problem 63, let  $Y$  be a random variable indicating whether a randomly sampled item is defective or not. In all cases,  $Y|\Theta$  is a Bernoulli random variable with parameter  $\theta$ .

**Part a**

Find the marginal distribution of  $Y$  with  $\Theta$  having a Uniform(0, 1) prior when  $X$  is unknown, and when  $X = 3$ .

When  $X$  is unknown, the marginal distribution of  $\Theta$  is Uniform(0, 1). Thus

$$P(Y = 0) = \int P(Y = 0|\Theta = \theta)f_{\Theta}(\theta)d\theta = \int_0^1 1 - \theta d\theta = \frac{1}{2}$$

From the previous results,  $\Theta|X = 3$  follows a Beta(4, 98) distribution. Thus

$$P(Y = 0|X = 3) = \int P(Y = 0|\Theta = \theta, X = 3)f_{\Theta|X}(\theta|X = 3)d\theta$$

$$\frac{102!}{98!4!} \int_0^1 (1 - \theta)\theta^3(1 - \theta)^{97}d\theta = \frac{1}{4}$$

Thus  $P(Y = 1|X = 3) = \frac{3}{4}$ .

**Part b**

Find the marginal distribution of  $Y$  with  $\Theta$  having a Beta(1/2, 5) prior when  $X$  is unknown, and when  $X = 3$ .

Defining  $\alpha = \frac{\Gamma(11/2)}{\Gamma(1/2)\Gamma(5)}$ ,

$$P(Y = 0) = \int P(Y = 0|\Theta = \theta)f_{\Theta}(\theta)d\theta = \alpha \int_0^1 (1 - \theta)\theta^{-\frac{1}{2}}(1 - \theta)^4d\theta$$