

Example 3

$X_1, X_2 \sim \text{UNIF}(0,1)$ and $X_1 \perp X_2$.

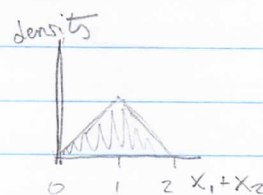
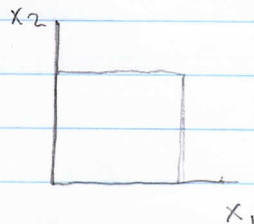
Consider $Y = X_1 + X_2$.

Determine the pdf of Y .

$Y \in (0,2)$. For $t \in (0,2)$,

$$P[Y \leq t] = P[X_1 + X_2 \leq t]$$

pdf of $X_1 + X_2$



imagine what happens
as we increase n when we have
 $\sum_{i=1}^n X_i$

Example 4 Back to $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$

Take a random sample

$X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$.

Then $\bar{X} = \frac{1}{n} \sum X_i \sim N(,)$

$$M_{\bar{X}}(t) = E[e^{t\bar{X}}] = E[e^{\frac{t}{n}(X_1)} \dots e^{\frac{t}{n}(X_n)}]$$

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$$= \left(E[e^{\frac{t}{n}(X_1)}] \right)^n$$

$$= \left[e^{\left(\mu \left(\frac{t}{n} \right) + \frac{\sigma^2 \left(\frac{t}{n} \right)^2}{2} \right)} \right]^n = e^{\left(\mu t + \frac{\left(\frac{\sigma^2}{n} \right) \cdot t^2}{2} \right)}$$

$$\sim N\left(\mu, \frac{\sigma^2}{n}\right)$$