- 1. Consider random variables X and Y with joint pdf f(x,y) = C(x+2y), 0 < x < 2, 0 < y < 1.
  - (a) Find C so that f is a valid pdf.
  - (b) Find the marginal pdf of X,  $f_X(x)$ .
  - (c) Find the marginal pdf of Y,  $f_Y(y)$ .
  - (d) Find the conditional pdf  $f_{Y|X}(y|x)$ .
  - (e) Find the probability that P(0 < X < 1, 0 < Y < 2).
  - (f) Find  $\mathbb{E}X$ .
  - (g) Find  $\mathbb{E}Y$ .
  - (h) Find  $\mathbb{E}XY$ .
  - (i) Find Cov(X, Y).
- 2. Suppose  $X_1, X_2, \cdots, X_{12} \stackrel{iid}{\sim} Pois(3)$ . Use the Central Limit Theorem to approximate  $P(\bar{X} > 4)$ .
- 3. Let  $X_1, X_2$  be iid from a continuous distribution. Prove that  $P(X_1 < X_2) = \frac{1}{2}$ .
- 4. Consider the sequence of random variables  $\{\bar{X}_n = \frac{1}{n}X_n\}, n \in \mathbb{N}$ , where  $X_n \sim Binom(n,p)$ .
  - (a) Why can the CLT be applied to this sequence? What is the limiting distribution of the sequence?
  - (b) What is the approximate distribution of the sample odds:  $\frac{\bar{X}_n}{1-\bar{X}_n}$ ?
  - (c) What is the approximate distribution of the log odds:  $\log\left(\frac{\bar{X}_n}{1-\bar{X}_n}\right)$ ?

Note: The population  $\log odds$ , equal to  $\log(\frac{p}{1-p}) = \operatorname{logit}(p)$ , plays a central role in logistic regression and is an important quantity in many epidemiological studies.

- 5. Suppose  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  be a random sample from  $Exp(\lambda)$ .
  - (a) Using the CLT, describe the asymptotic distribution of  $\bar{x}_n$ ?
  - (b) Use the Delta Method to find the asymptotic distribution of  $\frac{1}{\bar{x}}$ .
- 6. One way to write Chebychev's Inequality is

$$P(|\bar{X}_n - \mu| \ge k\sigma) \le \frac{1}{nk^2}.$$

Consider a sample  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} N(0, 1)$ .

- (a) What is the distribution of  $\bar{X}_n = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$ ?
- (b) If n = 9, what is the Chebychev bound for the probability that the sample is more than 2 standard deviations from the true population mean?
- (c) How do you think the Chebychev bound compares to the true probability  $P(|\bar{X}_n| > 2)$  (using the distribution you identified in (a) above)?
- 7. Suppose  $\bar{X}$  is the mean of 100 observations from a population with mean  $\mu$  and variance  $\sigma^2 = 9$ . Find limits between which  $\bar{X} \mu$  will lie with probability at least .90. Use both Chebychev's Inequality and the Central Limit Theorem and comment on each.