

Sec 5.4

Last Time:

Convolution formula  
for sum

$$f_{X+Y}(z) = \int_{x=-\infty}^{x=\infty} f_X(x) f_Y(z-x) dx$$

Gamma  $r > 0, \lambda > 0$

$$f_X(x) = \frac{\lambda^r}{\Gamma(r)} x^{r-1} e^{-\lambda x}, \quad x > 0$$

where  $\Gamma(r) = \int_0^{\infty} x^{r-1} e^{-x} dx, \quad r > 0$

Beta  $r > 0, s > 0$

$$f_X(x) = \frac{\Gamma(r+s)}{\Gamma(r)\Gamma(s)} x^{r-1} (1-x)^{s-1} dx$$

still need to show that this is a density!

$$\begin{aligned} & \left. \begin{aligned} X &\sim \text{gamma}(r, \lambda) \\ Y &\sim \text{gamma}(s, \lambda) \end{aligned} \right\} \text{indep}, r, s > 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$Z = X + Y$$

$$f_Z(z) = \int_0^z f_X(x) f_Y(z-x) dx, \quad z > 0$$

$$= \int_0^z \frac{\lambda^r}{\Gamma(r)} x^{r-1} e^{-\lambda x} \cdot \frac{\lambda^s}{\Gamma(s)} (z-x)^{s-1} e^{-\lambda(z-x)} dx$$

$$= \int_0^z \frac{\lambda^{r+s}}{\Gamma(r)\Gamma(s)} x^{r-1} (z-x)^{s-1} e^{-\lambda x} dx$$

$$= \frac{\lambda^{r+s}}{\Gamma(r)\Gamma(s)} e^{-\lambda z} \int_0^z x^{r-1} (z-x)^{s-1} dx$$

let  $u = \frac{x}{z}$  to change limit of integration to 1

$$x = uz, dx = z du$$

$$= \frac{\lambda^{r+s}}{\Gamma(r)\Gamma(s)} e^{-\lambda z} \int_0^1 (uz)^{r-1} (z-uz)^{s-1} z du$$

$$\Rightarrow f_z(z) = \frac{\lambda^{r+s}}{\Gamma(r)\Gamma(s)} \left( \int_0^1 u^{r-1} (1-u)^{s-1} du \right) \cdot z^{r+s-1} \cdot e^{-\lambda z}$$

constant part  
(no  $z$ )

variable part  
( $z$ )

We see variable part is from  $\text{gamma}(r+s, \lambda)$

so,  $f_z(z)$  must be  $\text{gamma}(r+s, \lambda)$ .

So constant part must be

$$\frac{\lambda^{r+s}}{\Gamma(r+s)}$$

$$\text{i.e. } \frac{\lambda^{r+s}}{\Gamma(r)\Gamma(s)} \int_0^1 u^{r-1} (1-u)^{s-1} du = \frac{\lambda^{r+s}}{\Gamma(r+s)}$$

$$\text{i.e. } \int_0^1 \frac{\Gamma(r+s)}{\Gamma(r)\Gamma(s)} u^{r-1} (1-u)^{s-1} du = 1$$

So we shown 2 things.

(1)  $Z = X + Y \sim \text{Gamma}(r+s, \lambda)$ ,  $r, s > 0$

(2)  $\frac{\Gamma(r+s)}{\Gamma(r)\Gamma(s)} u^{r-1} (1-u)^{s-1}$  is a density

called beta  $(r, s)$ ,  $r, s > 0$ .

## Distribution of ratios

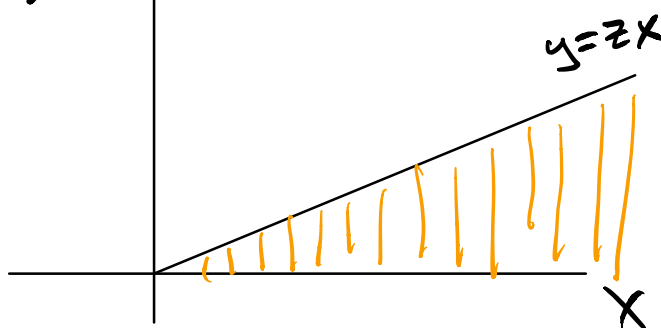
let  $X, Y$  indep positive RV

$$\text{let } Z = \frac{Y}{X}$$

find  $f_Z(z)$

cdf method:

$$\begin{aligned} F_Z(z) &= P(Z \leq z) = P\left(\frac{Y}{X} \leq z\right) \\ &= P(Y \leq zX) \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned} &= \int_{x=0}^{x=\infty} \int_{y=0}^{y=zx} f_X(x) f_Y(y) dy dx \\ &= \int_0^{\infty} f_X(x) \left( \int_{y=0}^{y=zx} f_Y(y) dy \right) dx \end{aligned}$$

$F_Y(zx)$

$$= \int_0^{\infty} f_x(x) F_y(zx) dx, \quad \frac{d}{dz} F_y(\overset{y(z)}{\underset{\text{"}}{zx}}) = \underbrace{F'_y(y(z))}_{f_y(zx)} \cdot y'(z)$$

$$\frac{d}{dz} F(z) = \int_0^{\infty} f_x(x) \frac{d}{dz} F_y(zx) dx$$

$$= \int_0^{\infty} f_x(x) f_y(zx) x dx$$

Convolution  
formula  
for  
ratios,

# Stat 134

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1. Let  $X, Y$  be i.i.d.  $\text{expon}(1)$  and  $Z = Y/X$ .

The integrand in the convolution formula

$$f(z) = \int_0^{\infty} f_X(x) f_Y(zx) x dx$$

is:

a  $\text{gamma}(1, z+1)$

b  $\text{gamma}(2, z+1)$

c  $\text{gamma}(2, z)$

d none of the above

$$X \sim \text{Gamma}(r, \lambda)$$

$$f_X(x) = \frac{\lambda^r}{\Gamma(r)} x^{r-1} e^{-\lambda x}$$

$$X, Y \sim \text{exp}(1)$$

$$f_X(z) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-x} e^{-zx} x dx$$

$$= \int_0^{\infty} x e^{-(z+1)x} dx$$

$\text{gamma}(2, z+1)$

using the fact that the integrand is  $\text{gamma}(2, z+1)$  we can solve the integral with a trick

$$= \frac{\Gamma(2)}{(z+1)^2}$$

$$\int_0^{\infty} \frac{(z+1)^2}{\Gamma(2)} x^{2-1} e^{-(z+1)x} dx = \frac{\Gamma(2)}{(z+1)^2} = \frac{1}{(z+1)^2}$$