

MATH 4581: F18.

HW1,

1) a)  $g(-t)$  b)  $e^t g(t)$  c)  $g(3t)$  d)  $e^{bt} g(at)$

2) mgf:  $g(t) = E[e^{tx}] = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} e^{tk} \frac{1}{e k!} = \frac{1}{e} e^{et}$

$$g'(t) = \frac{1}{e} e^{et} \cdot e^t$$

$$g'(0) = E[X] = 1$$

$$g''(t) = \frac{1}{e} e^{et} e^{2t} + \frac{1}{e} e^{et} e^t$$

$$g''(0) = E[X^2] = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{VAR}[X] = 1$$

3)  $g(t) = E[e^{tx}] = \int_0^{\infty} e^{tx} 9x e^{-3x} = \frac{9}{(3-t)^2} \quad (t < 3)$

$$g(t) = \frac{18}{(3-t)^2}$$

$$g'(0) = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$E[X] = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$g''(t) = \frac{3(18)}{(3-t)^3}$$

$$g''(0) = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\text{VAR}[X] = \frac{2}{9}$$

4) a)  $M_W(t) = M_{X+Y}(t) = M_X(t) M_Y(t) = (1-2t)^{-5}$

b)  $W \sim \chi^2(10)$

c)  $M_V(t) = M_X(t) M_Y(-t) = (1-4t^2)^{-5/2}$

d) No.