

# Math 741 Assignment 12 (Quiz)

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7.3.1. solution: To prove that  $f_U(u)$  is a probability density function.  
NTS  $\int_0^\infty f_U(u)du = 1$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\int_0^\infty f_U(u)du &= \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{2^{m/2}\Gamma(\frac{m}{2})} u^{m/2-1} e^{-u/2} du \\ &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{m}{2})} \int_0^\infty \left(\frac{u}{2}\right)^{m/2-1} e^{-u/2} \frac{du}{2}\end{aligned}$$

Let  $x = u/2, dx = du/2$ , then the above equation becomes

$$= \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{m}{2})} \cdot \Gamma(\frac{m}{2}) = 1$$

since

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

Hence proved.

7.3.2. solution: Need to find the moment generating function and computer first, second moment.

$$\begin{aligned}M_X(t) &= E(e^{tx}) = \int_{-\infty}^\infty e^{tx} \frac{1}{2^{m/2}\Gamma(\frac{m}{2})} x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2^{m/2}\Gamma(\frac{m}{2})} \int_{-\infty}^\infty e^{tx} x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2} dx \\ &\Rightarrow M_{\chi^2}(t) = (1 - 2t)^{-m/2} \\ M'_{\chi^2}(t) &= m(1 - 2t)^{-m/2-1} = m, t = 0\end{aligned}$$

$$M''_{\chi^2}(t) = m(m+2)(1-2t)^{-m/2-2} = m(m+2), t=0$$

Hence,  $E(\chi^2) = m$ ,  $\text{Var}(\chi^2) = m(m+2) - m^2 = 2m$ . It is the same to say that  $E(\chi^2) = n$ ,  $\text{Var}(\chi^2) = 2n$ .

7.3.3. solution: Let  $Z_i = \frac{Y_i - 50}{10}$ , then  $\sum_{i=1}^3 Z_i^2 \sim \chi^2(3)$ . Let  $\alpha = 0.05$

$$\sum_{i=1}^3 Z_i^2 = \sum_{i=1}^3 \left(\frac{Y_i - 50}{10}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{65 - 50}{10}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{30 - 50}{10}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{55 - 50}{10}\right)^2 = 6.5$$

$$\text{P-value} = P(0 < \chi_3^2 < 6.5) = 0.9103 > \alpha = 0.05$$

Therefore, it is believable.

7.3.4.(H) solution: We know that the variance of a chi square random variable with  $k$  df is  $2k$ . Then

$$\text{Var}\left(\frac{(n-1)S^2}{\sigma^2}\right) = 2(n-1)$$

Moreover,

$$\text{Var}\left(\frac{(n-1)S^2}{\sigma^2}\right) = \left(\frac{n-1}{\sigma^2}\right)^2 \text{Var}(S^2) = 2(n-1)$$

Hence,

$$\text{Var}(S^2) = \frac{2\sigma^4}{n-1}$$

7.3.5. solution: We know that the expected value of a chi square random variable with  $k$  df is  $k$ . Then

$$E\left(\frac{(n-1)S^2}{\sigma^2}\right) = n-1$$

$$E\left(\frac{(n-1)S^2}{\sigma^2}\right) = \frac{n-1}{\sigma^2} E(S^2) = n-1 \Rightarrow E(S^2) = \sigma^2$$

Moreover,

$$\text{Var}(S^2) = \frac{2\sigma^4}{n-1}$$

By Chebyshev's inequality, let  $\epsilon > 0$ .

$$P(|S^2 - \sigma^2| < \epsilon) \geq 1 - \frac{\text{Var}(S^2)}{\epsilon^2} = 1 - \frac{2\sigma^4}{\epsilon^2(n-1)}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P(|S^2 - \sigma^2| < \epsilon) \geq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} 1 - \frac{2\sigma^4}{\epsilon(n-1)} = 1$$

Therefore,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P(|S^2 - \sigma^2| < \epsilon) = 1$ . Hence,  $S^2$  is consistent for  $\sigma^2$ .

7.3.6. solution: From the given information,

$$P(Z \leq \frac{y - 200}{\sqrt{2 \cdot 200}}) = 0.4$$

Therefore,  $y = 194.933$ .

7.3.9. solution: a)

$$P(0.109 < F_{4,6} < x) = 0.95 \Rightarrow P(F_{4,6} < x) - P(0 < F_{4,6} < 0.109) = 0.95$$

$$\Rightarrow P(F_{4,6} < x) = 0.975111 \Rightarrow x = 6.2394$$

b)

$$P(0.427 < F_{11,7} < 1.69) = x \Rightarrow x = 0.65083$$

c)

$$P(F_{x,x} > 5.35) = 0.01 \Rightarrow P(0 < F_{x,x} < 5.35) = 0.99 \Rightarrow x = 9$$

d)

$$P(0.115 < F_{3,x} < 3.29) = 0.9 \Rightarrow x = 15$$

e)

$$P(x < \frac{V/2}{U/3}) = 0.25 \Rightarrow P(x < F_{2,3}) = 0.25 \Rightarrow x = 2.2798$$

7.3.11. solution:

$$F = \frac{V/m}{U/n} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{F} = \frac{U/n}{V/m}$$

Therefore,  $\frac{1}{F}$  has  $n$  and  $m$  degree of freedom.

7.3.13.(H) solution: NTS

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n+1}{2})}{\sqrt{n\pi}\Gamma(\frac{n}{2})(1 + \frac{t^2}{n})^{(n+1)/2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-t^2/2}, -\infty < t < \infty$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\frac{n+1}{2} - 1)!}{\sqrt{n\pi}(\frac{n}{2} - 1)!(1 + \frac{t^2}{n})^{(n+1)/2}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\frac{n-1}{2})!}{\sqrt{n\pi}(\frac{n-2}{2})!(1 + \frac{t^2}{n})^{(n+1)/2}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\frac{n-1}{2})!}{\sqrt{n\pi}(\frac{n-2}{2})!} \cdot \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{(1 + \frac{t^2}{n})^{(n+1)/2}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\frac{n-1}{2})!}{\sqrt{n\pi}(\frac{n-2}{2})!} \cdot \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{(1 + \frac{t^2/2}{n/2})^{(n+1)/2}} \\
&= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\frac{n-1}{2})!}{\sqrt{n\pi}(\frac{n-2}{2})!} \cdot e^{-t^2/2} = e^{-t^2/2} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sqrt{2\pi}^{\frac{n-1}{2}} (\frac{n-1}{2})^{(n-1)/2} e^{-(n-1)/2}}{\sqrt{n\pi} \sqrt{2\pi}^{\frac{n-2}{2}} (\frac{n-2}{2})^{(n-2)/2} e^{-(n-2)/2}} \\
&= \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} e^{-t^2/2} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \frac{\sqrt{2\pi}^{\frac{n-1}{2}}}{\sqrt{2\pi}^{\frac{n-2}{2}}} \cdot \frac{(\frac{n-1}{2})^{(n-1)/2}}{\sqrt{n}(\frac{n-2}{2})^{(n-2)/2}} \cdot \frac{e^{-(n-1)/2}}{e^{-(n-2)/2}} \right] \\
&= \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \cdot e^{-t^2/2} \cdot e^{-1/2} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\frac{n-1}{2})^{(n-1)/2}}{\sqrt{n}(\frac{n-2}{2})^{(n-2)/2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-t^2/2}
\end{aligned}$$

Since

$$\begin{aligned}
\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\frac{n-1}{2})^{(n-2)/2} (\frac{n-1}{2})^{1/2}}{\sqrt{n}(\frac{n-2}{2})^{(n-2)/2}} &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{n-1}{n-2} \right)^{(n-2)/2} \left( \frac{n-1}{2n} \right)^{1/2} \\
&= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( 1 + \frac{1/2}{(n-2)/2} \right)^{(n-2)/2} \left( \frac{n-1}{n} \right)^{1/2} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} e^{1/2}
\end{aligned}$$

7.3.14.(H) solution: Given the student  $t$  distribution with 1 df. Then  $X \sim t(1)$  and

$$\begin{aligned}
f(x) &= \begin{cases} \frac{\Gamma(1)}{\sqrt{\pi}\Gamma(1/2)} \frac{1}{1+x^2} & -\infty < x < \infty \\ 0 & o.w. \end{cases} \\
\Rightarrow \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx &= \frac{\Gamma(1)}{\sqrt{\pi}\Gamma(1/2)} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx
\end{aligned}$$

Since student  $t$  distribution is symmetric, and  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx = 1$

$$2 \int_0^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = \frac{\sqrt{\pi}\Gamma(1/2)}{\Gamma(1)} \Rightarrow \int_0^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = \frac{\pi}{2}$$