

Q.1 Let X be a discrete random variable taking values $\{a_1, a_2, \dots\}$ s.t. $P(X=a_n) = p_n$. Also, let $Z = g(X, Y)$. Then show that:

$$E[Z] = \sum_n E[g(a_n, Y) | X=a_n] p_n.$$

Q.2 X and Y are independent random variables s.t. $X \sim \text{Uniform}(0,1)$ and also $Y \sim \text{Uniform}(0,1)$. Let $W = \max(X, Y)$ and $Z = \min(X, Y)$. Find the density for (a) $W-Z$ and (b) $W+Z$.

Q.3 Let X and Y be independent and identically distributed (i.i.d.) $G(0,1)$ random variables. Let $Z = a_1 X + a_2 Y$ and $W = b_1 X + b_2 Y$, where a_1, a_2, b_1 and b_2 are reals. Find $f_{ZW}(\cdot, \cdot)$.

Q.4 Let X & Y be independent random variables s.t. $X \sim \exp(\lambda_1)$ and $Y \sim \exp(\lambda_2)$ for $\lambda_1, \lambda_2 > 0$. Find $F_Z(\cdot)$ for (1) $Z = aX + Y$ (2) $Z = aX - Y$ (3) $Z = X/Y$ (4) $Z = \max\{X, Y\}$ and (5) $Z = \min\{X, Y\}$.

Q.5 Let $f_{XY}(x, y) = \begin{cases} 2e^{-(x+y)} & 0 < x < y < \infty \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$

Let $Z = X+Y$ and $W = Y/X$. Prove or disprove: Z and W are independent.

Q.6 X & Y are identically distributed random variables. Prove or disprove:
 $\text{Cov}(X+Y, X-Y) = 0$.

Q.7 $f_{X,Y}(x,y) = e^{-y}/y$ for $x \in (0,y)$ & $y \in (0,\infty)$
 $= 0$ o.w.

(i) Are r.v.'s X & Y independent?

(ii) Compute $E[X^3 | Y=y]$.

Q.8 Let $Z \sim G(0,1)$. Find $\text{Cov}(Z, Z^2)$.

Q.9 $X \sim \text{Poisson}(\lambda_1)$ and $Y \sim \text{Poisson}(\lambda_2)$, and X and Y are independent. Find F_Z when $Z = X+Y$

Q.10 X & Y are independent and identically distributed $G(0, \sigma^2)$. Define,
 $Z = aX + bY$ and $W = bX - aY$, where a, b are non-zero reals.

By looking at the definitions of Z & W , state your opinion about whether Z and W are independent. Now, verify your opinion with hard analysis.