

Q1.

(i) Two events $A \neq B$ s.t. $AB = \emptyset$.

$$P\left(\bigcup_{i=1}^n E_i\right) = \sum_{i=1}^n P[E_i]$$

Proof: Given $\{A_i\}$ for $i=1, \dots, \infty$ s.t.

$$A_i = E_i \text{ for } i=1, \dots, n$$

$$A_i = \emptyset \text{ for } i > n.$$

Since the collection $\{A_i\}$ consists of ME. events,
so axiom(3) applies :

$$\bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i = (\bigcup_{i=1}^n E_i) \cup A_{i+1} \cup A_{i+2} \cup \dots$$

$$\text{Note } \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i = \bigcup_{i=1}^n E_i \Rightarrow P\left[\bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i\right] = P\left[\bigcup_{i=1}^n E_i\right]$$

$$P\left(\bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i\right) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} P(A_i) = \sum_{i=1}^n P(A_i) + \sum_{i=n+1}^{\infty} P(A_i)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n P(A_i) = \sum_{i=1}^n P(E_i)$$

$$\Rightarrow P\left(\bigcup_{i=1}^n E_i\right) = \sum_{i=1}^n P[E_i]$$

(ii), we say event A is indep of B if

$$P(A|B) = P(A)$$

Proof: $P(A^c \cap B) = P[B \setminus (A \cup B)] = P(B) - P(AB)$

$$= P(B) - P(A)P(B)$$

$$= P(B) \cdot P(A^c)$$

$\Rightarrow A^c$ indep of B .

$$\begin{aligned} P(A^c \cap B^c) &= P[(A \cup B)^c] = 1 - P(A \cup B) \\ &= 1 - P(A) - P(B) + P(AB) \\ &= 1 - P(A) - P(B) + P(A)P(B) \\ &= (1 - P(A))(1 - P(B)) = P(A^c)P(B^c) \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow A^c$ & B^c are indep.

(iii). Each urn contains the same number $n-1$ of balls, there are in total $n(n-1)$ balls. The second ball picked is equally likely. Denote as C_i the colour of the i th ball picked. $\Rightarrow P[C_2 = m] = \frac{1}{2}$.

$$(iv). P[C_2=m \mid C_1=m] = \frac{P[C_1, C_2=m]}{P[C_1=m]} = 2 P[C_1, C_2=m]$$

$$\text{in particular, } P[C_1, C_2=m] = \frac{\sum_{r=1}^n (n-r)(n-r-1)}{n(n-1)(n-2)}$$

$$\sum_{r=1}^n (n-r)^2 - (n-r), \text{ variable chang, } n-r=k.$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} (k^2 - k) = \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} k^2 - \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} k. \quad \frac{2(n-1)+1}{2n-1}$$

$$= \frac{(n-1)n(2n-1)}{6} - \frac{3n(n-1)}{6}$$

$$P[C_1, C_2 = m] = \frac{n(n-1)(2n-1) - 3n(n-1)}{n(n-1)(n-2)}$$

$$= \frac{2n-1-3}{6(n-2)} = \frac{2(n-2)}{6(n-2)} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow P[C_2=m \mid C_1=m] = \frac{2}{3}.$$

Q2.

Assume that each of the six orderings of the car and goats are equally likely. Let C_i be the event that the i^{th} door conceals the car, G the event that you see a goat, B the event that you see B

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(i)} P[C_3 | G] &= \frac{P[C_3 \cap G | C_1] P[C_1] + P[C_3 \cap G | C_1^c] P[C_1^c]}{P[G | C_1] P[C_1] + P[G | C_1^c] P[C_1^c]} \\ &= \frac{0 \times \frac{1}{3} + 1 \times \frac{2}{3}}{1 \times \frac{1}{3} + 1 \times \frac{2}{3}} = \frac{2}{3}. \end{aligned}$$

(ii)

$$P[C_3 | B] = \frac{P(C_3 \cap B)}{P(B)}$$

$$= \frac{P(C_3 \cap B | C_1) P(C_1) + P(C_3 \cap B | C_1^c) P(C_1^c)}{P(B | C_1) P(C_1) + P(B | C_1^c) P(C_1^c)}.$$

$$\text{Note } P(C_3 \cap B | C_1^c) = P(B | C_1^c) = \frac{1}{2}.$$

$$= \frac{0 + \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{2}{3}}{b \times \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{2}{3}} = \frac{\frac{1}{3}}{\frac{b}{3} + \frac{1}{3}} = \frac{1}{1+b}$$

(iii). This time

$$P(C_3 \cap G_1 | C_1^c) = P(G_1 | C_1^c) = \frac{1}{2},$$

Presenter needs to randomly select G_1 out of two gates, with equal likelihood. Hence $\frac{1}{2}$.

$$\Rightarrow P = \frac{0 + \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{2}{3}}{1 \cdot \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{2}{3}} = \frac{\frac{1}{3}}{\frac{2}{3}} = \frac{1}{2}.$$

(iv) Let $d \in [\frac{1}{2}, \frac{2}{3}]$, and suppose the presenter possesses a coin which falls with heads upwards with prob. $\beta = 6d - 3$. He flips the coin before the show, and adopts strategy (i) iff the coin shows heads, and otherwise strategy (iii). The prob. in question is now $\frac{2}{3}\beta + \frac{1}{2}(1-\beta) = d$. You never lose by swapping, but whether you gain depends on the presenter's protocol.

Q3.

$$Q) P[Y < y | Y < 4] = \frac{P[Y < y \cap Y < 4]}{P[Y < 4]}$$

$$P[Y < 4] = \int_0^4 f(y) dy = 0.352.$$

$$P[Y < y \cap Y < 4] = P[Y < y] \text{ for } 0 \leq y \leq 4$$

$$= \int_0^y \frac{60y - 6y^2}{100} dy$$

$$= \frac{1}{100} \left[30y^2 - 2y^3 \right] \Big|_0^y = \frac{30y^2 - 2y^3}{100}$$

$$\Rightarrow P[Y < y | Y < 4] = \left(\frac{30y^2 - 2y^3}{100} \right) \times \frac{125}{44}$$

For $y > 4$, $\Rightarrow P[Y < y | Y < 4] = 1$.

$$Q) f_{Y|Y<4}(y|Y<4) = \frac{dP[Y < y | Y < 4]}{dy} = \frac{15}{88}y - \frac{3}{176}y^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(iii), } E[Y|Y<4] &= \int_0^4 y \cdot f(y|y<4) dy = \\
 &= \int_0^4 y \cdot \frac{15}{88} y - \frac{3}{176} y^3 dy \\
 &= \frac{1}{88} \int_0^4 15y^2 - \frac{3}{2} y^3 dy = \frac{1}{88} \left[5y^3 - \frac{3}{8} y^4 \right] \Big|_0^4 \\
 &= \frac{1}{88} \left[5 \times 64 - \frac{3}{8} \times \cancel{256} \right] = \frac{28}{11}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$E[Y^2|Y<4] = \int_0^4 y^2 \cdot f(y|y<4) dy = \frac{408}{55} .$$

$$\text{Var}[Y|Y<4] = \frac{408}{55} - \left(\frac{28}{11}\right)^2 = 0.98886.$$

$$\text{(iv)} \quad P[Y<y | 1 < Y < 4] = \frac{P[Y < y \cap 1 < Y < 4]}{P[1 < Y < 4]}$$

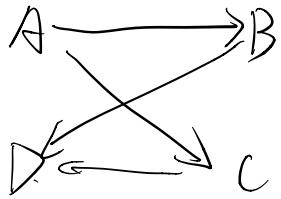
$$P[1 < Y < 4] = \frac{44}{125} - P[Y < 1] = \frac{44}{125} - \frac{7}{250} = \frac{81}{250}$$

$$\text{For } y < 1 \Rightarrow 0$$

$$1 \leq y \leq 4 \Rightarrow \left(\frac{30y^2 - 2y^3}{1000} \right) \left(\frac{28}{81} \right)$$

$$y > 4 \Rightarrow 1$$

Q4.



Use $A \leftrightarrow D$ for information is transferred from A to D., EF for the event that there is not fog between E and F.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(i) } P[A \leftrightarrow D | AD^c] &= P[A \leftrightarrow D | AD^c \cap BC^c] p \\
 &\quad + P[A \leftrightarrow D | AD^c \cap BC] (1-p) \\
 &= \{1 - (1 - (1-p)^2)^2\} p + (1-p^2)^2 (1-p)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(ii) } P[A \leftrightarrow D | BC^c] &= P[A \leftrightarrow D | AD^c \cap BC^c] p \\
 &\quad + P[A \leftrightarrow D | BC^c \cap AD] (1-p) \\
 &= \{1 - (1 - (1-p)^2)^2\} p + (1-p)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$(i) P[A \leftrightarrow D | AB^c] = P[A \leftrightarrow D | AB^c \cap AD^c]P + P[A \leftrightarrow D | AB^c \cap AD]P$$

$$= (1-p) \{ 1 - P[1 - (1-p)^2] \} p + (1-p)$$

$$(ii) P[A \leftrightarrow D] = P[A \leftrightarrow D | AD^c]p + P[A \leftrightarrow D | AD](1-p)$$

$$= \{ 1 - (1 - (1-p)^2)^2 \} p^2 + (1-p)^2 p(1-p) + (1-p).$$

Q5.

- (i). For a Random variable X & some f^+ , $g(x) \geq 0$ and constant c

$$P[g(x) \geq c] \leq \frac{E[g(x)]}{c}$$

Proof: $E[g(x)] = \int_{\text{all } x} g(x)f(x)dx$

$$= \int_{\substack{\text{all } x \\ \text{s.t. } g(x) \geq c}} g(x)f(x)dx + \int_{\substack{\text{all } x \\ \text{s.t. } g(x) < c}} g(x)f(x)dx$$

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② ≥ 0 since $g(x) \geq 0$.

$$\Rightarrow E[g(x)] \geq \int_{\substack{\text{all } x \\ \text{s.t. } g(x) \geq c}} g(x)f(x)dx \geq \int_{\substack{\text{all } x \\ \text{s.t. } g(x) \geq c}} c f(x)dx$$

$$= c \int_{\substack{\text{all } x \\ \text{s.t. } g(x) \geq c}} f(x)dx = c P[g(x) \geq c]$$

$$\Rightarrow P[g(x) \geq c] \leq \frac{E[g(x)]}{c}$$

ii) Suppose we have some R.V. X for which $\text{Var}(X) = \sigma^2$ exists.

then $P[|X - \mu| \geq k\sigma] \leq \frac{1}{k^2}$,
where $\mu = E(X)$, $k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ usually $k \geq 1$.

Proof: Choose $g(x) = (x - \mu)^2$, $c = k^2\sigma^2$

$$\Rightarrow P[(X - \mu)^2 \geq k^2\sigma^2] \leq \frac{E[g(x)]}{c} = \frac{\sigma^2}{k^2\sigma^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow P[|X - \mu| \geq k\sigma] \leq \frac{1}{k^2}$$

iii) Consider a sequence of R.V. $\{X_n\}$. We say that the sequence converges in prob to the value c if for every $\epsilon > 0$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \text{Prob}[|X_n - c| < \epsilon] = 1$$

(iv) X_1, \dots , are iid distributed with a finite first moment μ , then for the sequence of averages $\bar{X}_n = \frac{1}{n} \sum X_i$, we have

$$\bar{X}_n \xrightarrow{P} \mu.$$

Proof: Assume X_i has a finite variance σ^2 .

$$\text{For } \bar{X}_n, E[\bar{X}_n] = \mu, \text{Var}(\bar{X}_n) = \frac{\sigma^2}{n}$$

$$\text{For any } \varepsilon > 0, \text{ choose } k \text{ s.t. } \frac{k\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} = \varepsilon, \text{ i.e. } k = \frac{\varepsilon\sqrt{n}}{\sigma}$$

$$\Rightarrow P[|\bar{X}_n - \mu| < \varepsilon] \geq 1 - \frac{\sigma^2}{n\varepsilon^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P[|\bar{X}_n - \mu| < \varepsilon] = 1. \quad \#$$

Question 6

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(i). } P[Y=k] &= \int_0^1 P[Y=k | X=x] f_X(x) dx \\
 &= \int_0^1 \binom{n}{k} x^k (1-x)^{n-k} \frac{x^{a-1} (1-x)^{b-1}}{B(a,b)} dx \\
 &= \binom{n}{k} \frac{B(a+k, n-k+b)}{B(a,b)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(ii), } E(Y) &= E_x [E_Y(Y|X=x)] = \int_0^1 E_Y(Y|X=x) f_X(x) dx \\
 &= \frac{n a}{a+b}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(iii) } E(Y^2) &= E_x [E_Y(Y^2|X=x)] = \int_0^1 E_Y(Y^2|X=x) f_X(x) dx \\
 &= \int_0^1 [nx(1-x) + n^2 x^2] \frac{x^{a-1} (1-x)^{b-1}}{B(a,b)} dx \\
 &= \int_0^1 \frac{n x^a (1-x)^b}{B(a,b)} + \frac{n^2 x^{a+1} (1-x)^{b-1}}{B(a,b)} dx \\
 &= \frac{n}{B(a,b)} \cdot B(a+1, b+1) + n^2 \cdot \frac{B(a+2, b)}{B(a,b)} \\
 &= \frac{a! b! n}{(a+b+1)(a+b)!} + \frac{(a+1) a! n^2}{(a+b+1)(a+b)!}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{abn + (a+1)an^2}{(a+b)(a+b+1)} - \frac{a^2n^2}{(a+b)^2}$$

$$\text{Var}(Y) = E(Y^2) - E(Y)^2$$

$$= \frac{abn(a+b) + (a+b)(a+1)an^2 - a^2n^2(a+b+1)}{(a+b)^2(a+b+1)}$$

$$= \frac{a^2bn + ab^2n + a^3n^2 + a^2n^2 + a^2bn^2 + abn^2 - an^3 - a^2bn}{(a+b)^2(a+b+1)}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{abn(a+b+n)}{(a+b+1)(a+b)^2}}$$

iv) X uniform $\Rightarrow a = b = 1$.

$$\text{Hence } P[Y=k] = \binom{n}{k} \frac{\Gamma(k+1)\Gamma(n-k+1)}{\Gamma(n+2)} = \frac{1}{n+1}, \quad 0 \leq k \leq n.$$

$\Rightarrow Y$ is uniformly distributed.

Question 7.

(i)

Eigenvalues :

$$|S - \lambda I| = \lambda^2 - (a+b)\lambda + (ab - c^2)$$

Eigenvalues satisfy $\lambda = \frac{(a+b) \pm \sqrt{(a+b)^2 - 4(ab - c^2)}}{2}$

2 marks

For eigenvector $x = (x_1, x_2)', Sx = \lambda x$ and $x_1^2 + x_2^2 = 1$.

$$x_1 = -cx_2/(a-\lambda), \quad x_2 = 1/\sqrt{1+c^2/(a-\lambda)^2}$$

If F is the matrix with the 2 eigenvectors as columns, the principal components of X are given by

$$Z = F'(X - \mu).$$

Variance of first and second principal components are given by the eigenvalues.

(ii)

$$\begin{aligned}\phi_y(t) &= E[e^{istY}] = E[e^{istAX}] = E[e^{i(A^Ts)^T X}] \\ &= e^{i(A^Ts)^T \mu - \frac{1}{2}(A^Ts)^T \Sigma A^Ts} \\ &= e^{ist(A\mu) - \frac{1}{2}s^T \Sigma A^Ts}\end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow Y \sim N_q(A\mu, A\Sigma A^T)$.

(iii) $Z = w^{-1}(X - \mu)$, by (ii) Z is normal.

$$E(Z) = 0. \quad \text{Var}(Z) = w^{-1} \text{Var}(X) (w^{-1})^T$$

$$\begin{aligned}&= w^{-1} \cdot \Sigma (w^{-1})^T \\ &= w^{-1} \cdot w \cdot w \cdot (w^{-1})^T\end{aligned}$$

$$= I \cdot (w^{-1} w^T)^T = I.$$

$\Rightarrow Z \sim N_p(0, I)$.

Question 8.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(i). } G_{Y_1}(t) &= \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} t^r \cdot \frac{e^{-\mu} \mu^r}{r!} = e^{-\mu} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} t^r \cdot \frac{\mu^r}{r!} \\
 &= e^{-\mu} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{(t\mu)^r e^{-t\mu}}{r!} \cdot e^{t\mu} \\
 &= e^{\mu(t-1)} \\
 \Rightarrow G_{Y_1}(t) &= \boxed{e^{\mu(t-1)}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 M_{Y_1}(t) &= E[e^{Y_1 t}] = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} e^{tk} \frac{\mu^k e^{-\mu}}{k!} \\
 &= e^{-\mu} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} e^{tk} \frac{\mu^k}{k!} \\
 &= e^{-\mu} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\mu e^t)^k \cdot e^{-\mu e^t}}{k!} \\
 &= e^{-\mu} \cdot e^{\mu e^t} = \boxed{e^{\mu(e^t - 1)}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$(i), M_s(t) = E[e^{st}] = E[e^{Y_1 t + Y_2 t + \dots + Y_n t}] \\ = \left\{ E[e^{Y_1 t}] \right\}^n = e^{n\mu(e^t - 1)}$$

Based on 1-10, it is also a Poisson distⁿ. with mean = n μ .

(ii)

$$G_{x+y}(t) = E[t^{x+y}] = E[E[t^x | Y_i]] \\ = E[t^y E[t^x | Y_i]] \\ = E[t^y e^{Y_i(t-1)}] = E[(t e^{t-1})^{Y_i}] \\ = \exp[\mu(t e^{t-1} - 1)]$$

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Question 9.

(i) The transformation $x = uv$, $y = u - uv$ has Jacobian

$$J = \begin{vmatrix} v & u \\ 1-v & -u \end{vmatrix} = -u$$

$$\Rightarrow |J| = |u|, \Rightarrow f_{u,v}(u,v) = ue^{-u} \text{ for } 0 < u < \infty, 0 \leq v \leq 1$$

$\Rightarrow u$ and v are indep.

$$+ f_v(v) = 1 \text{ on } [0, 1].$$

(ii) let $w = x$, $z = (y - px)/\sqrt{1-p^2}$

$$\Rightarrow x = w, y = pw + z\sqrt{1-p^2}$$

$$J = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ p & \sqrt{1-p^2} \end{vmatrix} = \sqrt{1-p^2}$$

Given the mapping is one-one,

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow f_{w,z}(w, z) &= \frac{\sqrt{1-p^2}}{2\pi\sqrt{1-p^2}} \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2(1-p^2)}(1-p^2)(w^2+z^2)\right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} e^{-\frac{1}{2}(w^2+z^2)} = \frac{1}{2\pi} e^{-\frac{1}{2}w^2} e^{-\frac{1}{2}z^2} \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow w, z$ are indep $N(0, 1)$

(iii) event $\{X > 0, Y > 0\}$

$$= \{w > 0, z > -w\rho/\sqrt{1-\rho^2}\} \quad \text{polar coordinates}$$

$$\Rightarrow P[X > 0, Y > 0] = \int_{\theta=\alpha}^{\frac{1}{2}\pi} \int_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2\pi} e^{-\frac{1}{2}r^2} r dr d\theta$$

$$= \int_{\alpha}^{\frac{1}{2}\pi} \frac{1}{2\pi} d\theta, \quad \alpha = -\tan^{-1}(\rho/\sqrt{1-\rho^2}) \\ = -\sin^{-1} \rho.$$

$$\Rightarrow P[X > 0, Y > 0] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \theta \Big|_{\alpha}^{\frac{1}{2}\pi} = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2\pi} \cdot \sin^{-1} \rho. \quad \#$$

Question 10.

(i) $H_0: \mu = 6, H_1: \mu \neq 6$

$$\bar{x} \sim N(\mu, \frac{\sigma^2}{n}) = N(6, 0.0230)$$

$$\frac{1}{30} \sum_{i=1}^3 \sum_j y_{ij} = \frac{1}{30} \times 183 = 6.1.$$

$$\text{test statistic} = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} = \frac{6.1 - 6}{\sqrt{0.023}}$$

$$= 0.6593 < 1.96$$

\Rightarrow Do not reject the null hypothesis

(ii)

1. Independence of observations: this is an assumption of the model that simplifies the statistical analysis.
2. Normality: the distribution of the residuals are normal
3. Equality of variances: the variance of data in groups should be the same
4. $\sum \tau_i = 0$.

(iii) Sum of square errors between:

$$\sum_{i=1}^3 n_i (\mu_i - \mu)^2 = 15.584$$

Sum of square errors within:

$$\sum_{i=1}^3 (n_i - 1) s_i^2 = 8.096.$$

Degree of freedom between: $3 - 1 = 2$.

Degree of freedom within: $df_{\text{total}} - df_{\text{between}}$
 $= 29 - 2 = 27$.

Mean square error between:

$$\frac{\text{Sum of square error between}}{2} = \frac{15.584}{2} = 7.792$$

Mean square error within

$$= \frac{\text{Sum of square error within}}{27} = \frac{8.096}{27} = 0.2999$$

$$F \text{ test statistic} = \frac{7.792}{0.2999} = 25.9820 > F_{2,27}$$

$H_0: \mu_{Se} = \mu_{Ve} = \mu_{Vi}; H_1: \mu_i \neq \mu_j \text{ for}$
at least one pair of $Se, Ve + Vi$.

\Rightarrow there is a difference between at least one pair of sepal lengths.