

REGISTRATION NUMBER
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Ans. 1.(a)

	$x=1$	$x=2$	$x=3$
$y=1$	0.2	0.1	0
$y=2$	0.1	0.2	0.1
$y=3$	0	0.1	0.2

$$P(X=1) = 0.2 + 0.1 + 0 = 0.3$$

$$P(X=2) = 0.1 + 0.2 + 0.1 = 0.4$$

$$P(X=3) = 0 + 0.1 + 0.2 = 0.3$$

$$\text{Hence, } P_X(x) = \begin{cases} 0.3, & x=1 \\ 0.4, & x=2 \\ 0.3, & x=3 \end{cases}$$

Ans. 1.(b) $E(X) = 1 \times 0.3 + 2 \times 0.4 + 3 \times 0.3$

$$E(X) = 0.3 + 0.8 + 0.9$$

$$\boxed{E(X) = 2}$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = E(X^2) - [E(X)]^2$$

$$E(X^2) = (1)^2 \times 0.3 + (2)^2 \times 0.4 + (3)^2 \times 0.3$$
$$= 4.6$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Var}(X) &= E(X^2) - [E(X)]^2 \\ &= 4.6 - (2)^2 \\ &= 4.6 - 4\end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{\text{Var}(X) = 0.6}$$

Ans. 1.(c) $P(X+Y=3) = P(X=1, Y=2) + P(X=2, Y=1)$

$$P(X+Y=3) = 0.1 + 0.1$$

$$\boxed{P(X+Y=3) = 0.2}$$

Ans. 1.(d) $P(Y=2 | X=2) = \frac{P(X=2 \cap Y=2)}{P(X=2)} = \frac{0.5}{0.4}$

$$\boxed{P(Y=2 | X=2) = 0.5}$$

Ans. 1.(e) To check if X and Y are independent, the following condition must be true:

$$P(X \cap Y) = P(X)P(Y)$$

Now, at $X=1$ and $Y=1$;

$$P(X \cap Y) = 0.2, \quad P(X) = 0.3, \quad P(Y) = 0.3$$

$$\therefore P(X \cap Y) \neq P(X)P(Y)$$

Hence, X and Y are not independent.

Qm. 2(a)(i)

$$f_1(x) = \begin{cases} x & 0 \leq x \leq 2 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

To check whether the above function is a probability density function for a continuous random variable, we need to check if it follows the two conditions stated below:

i) $f(x) \geq 0 \quad \forall x$

ii) $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx = 1.$

Now $\int_0^2 f_1(x) dx = \int_0^2 x dx = \frac{1}{2} [x^2]_0^2 = \frac{1}{2} (2^2 - 0^2) = \frac{1}{2} \times 4 = 2$

So, $\int f_1(x) dx = 2$

As, the ~~upon~~ integration $\neq 1$, we can say that $f_1(x)$ is not a probability density function for a continuous random variable.

Ans. 2.(a).(ii)

$$f_2(x) = \begin{cases} x - \frac{1}{2} & 0 \leq x \leq 2 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

For the above function, we can see that the condition $f(x) \geq 0 \forall x$ does not get satisfied for the range $(0 \leq x < \frac{1}{2})$.

Hence, $f_2(x)$ is not a probability density function for a continuous random variable.

Ans. 2.(b).(i) $f_X(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{3}{2}x^2 & -1 \leq x \leq 1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

In order to find the cumulative distribution function of X , we can write

$$F(x) = \int_{-\infty}^x f(t) dt \quad -\infty < x < \infty$$

$$F_X(x) = \int_{-1}^x \frac{3}{2} t^2 dt$$

$$= \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{3} [t^3]_{-1}^x = \frac{1}{2} [x^3 - (-1)^3]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (x^3 + 1)$$

$$F_X(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x \leq -1 \\ \frac{1}{2} (x^3 + 1) & -1 \leq x \leq 1 \\ 1 & x \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

$$P\left(X \leq -\frac{1}{2}\right) = F\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{2} \left(\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^3 + 1\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \frac{1}{8}\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{7}{8} = \frac{7}{16}$$

$$\boxed{P\left(X \leq -\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{7}{16}}$$

Q.2.(b)(ii)

We know that,

$$E(X) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x f(x) dx$$

In our case,

$$\begin{aligned} E(X) &= \int_{-1}^1 x \cdot \frac{3}{2} x^2 dx \\ &= \frac{3}{2} \times \frac{1}{4} [x^4]_{-1}^1 \\ &= \frac{3}{8} (1 - 1) = 0. \end{aligned}$$

Hence $\boxed{E(X) = 0}$

$$\text{Var}(X) = E(X^2) - [E(X)]^2$$

$$E(X^2) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^2 f(x) dx$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int_{-1}^1 \frac{3}{2} x^4 dx = \frac{3}{2} \times \frac{1}{5} [x^5]_{-1}^1 \\ &= \frac{3}{10} (1 + 1) = \frac{3}{5} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore E(X^2) = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = E(X^2) - [E(X)]^2 = \frac{3}{5} - 0 = \frac{3}{5}$$

Hence $\boxed{\text{Var}(X) = 0.6}$

Ans. 3(a) $T = \{(x, y); 0 < |y| < x < \infty\}$

$$f_{X,Y}(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{4} y^2 e^{-x} & \text{for } (x, y) \in T \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Marginal probability density function

$$\begin{aligned} f_X(x) &= \int_{-x}^x f_{X,Y}(x, y) dy \quad \text{as } 0 < |y| < x \\ &= \int_{-x}^x \frac{1}{4} y^2 e^{-x} dy = \frac{1}{4} e^{-x} \int_{-x}^x y^2 dy \\ &= \frac{1}{4} e^{-x} \cdot \frac{1}{3} [y^3]_{-x}^x = \frac{1}{12} e^{-x} (x^3 - (-x)^3) \end{aligned}$$

$$f_X(x) = \frac{1}{6} e^{-x} \cdot x^3$$

Ans. 3.(b) Conditional probability density function of Y given that $X = x$ can be expressed as,

$$h(y|x) = \frac{f_{x,y}(x,y)}{f_x(x)}$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{4} y^2 e^{-x} \right) / \left(\frac{1}{6} e^{-x} x^3 \right)$$

$$\boxed{h(y|x) = \frac{3}{2} \frac{y^2}{x^3}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Ans. 3.(c)} \quad E[Y|X] &= \int_{-x}^x y \cdot \frac{3}{2} \frac{y^2}{x^3} dy \\ &= \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{x^3} \int_{-x}^x y^3 dy \\ &= \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{x^3} [x^4 - (-x)^4] \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{E[Y|X] = 0}$$

Ans. 3.(d) If X and Y are independent, then we know that $P(Y|X) = P(Y)$.

However, just because the value of $E(Y|X)$ does not depend on X , we cannot attribute it to the fact that X and Y are independent.

So, I do not agree with the statement.

Ans. 4. (a)

$$X = (x, y)^T$$

$$\mu = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$U = x + y$$

$$V = 2x - y - 1$$

$$\mu(U) = 1 + (-1) \quad [\text{putting the values of } \mu]$$
$$= 1 - 1$$

$$= 0$$

Similarly $\mu(V) = 2 \cdot 1 - (-1) - 1$

$$= 2 + 1 - 1$$
$$= 2$$

We know that $B\mu(a + Bx) = B\Sigma B^T$
The matrix B is made up of the values from the co-efficients of x and y for U and V .

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad a = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now, $B\Sigma B^T$ [as mentioned earlier]

$$B^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{So, } B\Sigma B^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3+2 & 2+3 \\ 6-2 & 4-3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 5 \\ 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5+5 & 10-5 \\ 4+1 & 8-1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 5 \\ 5 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

So, mean vector $\mu_{u,v} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

Covariance matrix $\Sigma_{u,v} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 5 \\ 5 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$

Qm. 4.(b) For a marginal distribution of a multivariate normal distribution, we write,

$$f_X(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_1} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu_1)^2}{2\sigma_1^2}}$$

$$\sigma_1^2 = 10$$

$$\sigma_1 = \sqrt{10}$$

$$\mu_1 = 0$$

} (from the results obtained)

Putting the values,

$$f_U(u) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sqrt{10}} e^{-\frac{(u-0)^2}{2(10)}}$$

$$f_U(u) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sqrt{10}} e^{-\frac{(u)^2}{20}}$$

Ans. 5. (a)

$$f_{X,Y}(x,y) = \frac{1}{\pi} (x^2 + y^2) e^{-(x^2 + y^2)}$$

$$U = X + Y \text{ --- (1)} \quad V = X - Y \text{ --- (2)} \quad [\text{given}]$$

Now, solving for X and Y ,

$$\begin{array}{l|l} X + Y = U \text{ --- (1)} & X + Y = U \text{ --- (1)} \\ X - Y = V \text{ --- (2)} & X - Y = V \text{ --- (2)} \\ \hline (+) \quad (+) \quad (+) & (-) \quad (-) \quad (-) \\ 2X = U + V & 2Y = U - V \\ X = \frac{U+V}{2} & Y = \frac{U-V}{2} \end{array}$$

Substituting the values of X and Y in the joint probability density function,

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\pi} \left[\left(\frac{U+V}{2} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{U-V}{2} \right)^2 \right] e^{-\left[\left(\frac{U+V}{2} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{U-V}{2} \right)^2 \right]} \text{ --- (3)}$$

We know that, (from Block A Notes)

Jacobian (generalisation of derivative)

$$J(y) = \det \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial y_1} & \cdots & \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial y_n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial x_m}{\partial y_1} & \cdots & \frac{\partial x_m}{\partial y_n} \end{pmatrix}$$

where $J(y) \neq 0$ for invertibility.

$$f_Y(y) = f_X(g_1(y), \dots, g_m(y)) |J(y)|$$

$$x = \frac{u}{2} + \frac{v}{2}$$

$$y = \frac{u}{2} - \frac{v}{2}$$

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$$\frac{dx}{du} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{dy}{du} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{dx}{dv} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dv} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

Taking Jacobian,

$$J = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$= -\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4} = -\frac{2}{4} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

Putting the values in eq-④ from eq-③

$$f_{u,v}(u,v) \Rightarrow \frac{1}{\pi} \left[\left(\frac{u+v}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{u-v}{2}\right)^2 \right] e^{-\left[\left(\frac{u+v}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{u-v}{2}\right)^2 \right]} \times \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$f_{u,v}(u,v) = -\frac{1}{2\pi} \left[\frac{u^2+v^2+2uv}{4} + \frac{u^2+v^2-2uv}{4} \right] e^{-\left[\frac{u^2+v^2+2uv}{4} + \frac{u^2+v^2-2uv}{4} \right]}$$

$$f_{u,v}(u,v) = -\frac{1}{2\pi} \left(\frac{u^2+v^2+2uv+u^2+v^2-2uv}{4} \right) e^{-\left(\frac{u^2+v^2+2uv+u^2+v^2-2uv}{4} \right)}$$

$$f_{u,v}(u,v) = -\frac{1}{2\pi} \left(\frac{u^2+v^2}{2} \right) e^{-\left(\frac{u^2+v^2}{2} \right)}$$

In order to find the region on which it is non-zero,
we can write:

$$\frac{u^2 + v^2}{2} = 0$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{u^2}{2} = -\frac{v^2}{2}$$

$$\text{or, } u^2 = -v^2$$

Now, this can only happen if $u = v = 0$.
So, the region on which it is non-zero
is where $u \neq 0$ and $v \neq 0$.

Ans. 5.(b) We need to find the cumulative distribution function $F_W(w)$ of $W = Z^2$, where Z is uniformly distributed on the interval $(-1, 1)$.

We know, CDF is given by,

$$\begin{cases} 0 & x < a \\ \frac{x-a}{b-a} & x \in [a, b) \\ 1 & x \geq b \end{cases}$$

Here $b = 1$, $a = -1$.

$$\text{Hence, } F_Z(z) = \begin{cases} 0 & z < -1 \\ \frac{z+1}{2} & -1 \leq z < 1 \\ 1 & z \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

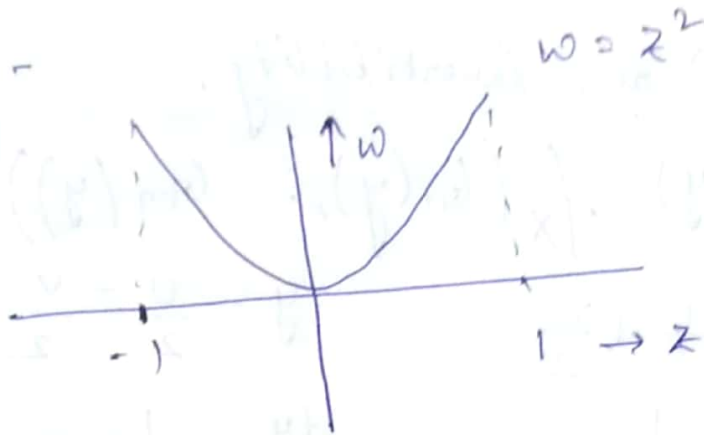
Transforming the function,

$$F_W(w) = P(W \leq w) = P(Z^2 \leq w) = P(Z \leq \sqrt{w}) = F_Z(\sqrt{w})$$

$$\text{Hence } F_W(w) = F_Z(\sqrt{w}) = \begin{cases} 0 & w < 0 \\ \frac{\sqrt{w}+1}{2} & 0 \leq w < 1 \\ 1 & w \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

Here, the limits are changed because w will have the lower limit $= 0$, as for any value of z from -1 to 1 , the lowest value w can assume is 0 .

For eg -



Putting some values:

	-1	-0.4	-0.2	0	0.2	0.4	0.6	0.8	1
z	from -1 to 1								
w	from $(-1)^2$ to $(1)^2$								
	$(-1)^2$	$(-0.4)^2$	$(-0.2)^2$	$(0)^2$	$(0.2)^2$	$(0.4)^2$	$(0.6)^2$	$(0.8)^2$	$(1)^2$

Hence, we can see that the lowest value w can assume is 0.

Ans. 6.(a) X and Y are independent variables.

$$E[X] = E[Y] \quad \text{--- (1)} \quad \text{var}(X) = \text{var}(Y) \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$U = X - Y$$

$$V = XY$$

$$\text{Cov}(U, V) = E[UV] - E[U]E[V] \quad \left[\text{from block A notes} \right]$$

$$\text{Cov}(U, V) = \text{Cov}(X - Y, XY)$$

$$= \text{Cov}(X, XY) - \text{Cov}(Y, XY)$$

$$= E[X \cdot XY] - E[X]E[XY]$$

$$- (E[Y \cdot XY] - E[Y]E[XY])$$

$$= E[X^2Y] - E[X]E[XY] - E[XY^2] + E[Y]E[XY]$$

$$= E[X^2]E[Y] - (E[X])^2 E[Y]$$

$$- E[X]E[Y^2] + E[X](E[Y])^2$$

$$= E[Y] [E[X^2] - (E[X])^2]$$

$$- E[X] [E[Y^2] - (E[Y])^2]$$

$$= E[Y] \text{Var}(X) - E[X] \text{Var}(Y)$$

$$\text{Cov}(U, V) = E[Y] \text{Var}(X) - E[X] \text{Var}(Y) \quad \left[\text{From (1) \& (2)} \right]$$

$$\boxed{\text{Cov}(U, V) = 0}$$

Ans. 6.(b)

$$U = X - Y$$

$$V = XY$$

$$UV = X^2 Y - X Y^2$$

$$P(UV) = P(X^2 Y - X Y^2) \quad [X \text{ and } Y \text{ are independent}]$$

$$= P(X)P(X)P(Y) - P(X)P(Y)P(Y)$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^3 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^3 \quad [P(X) = P(Y) = \frac{1}{2}]$$

$$= 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$P(U) = P(X) - P(Y)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= 0 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$P(V) = P(XY) = P(X) \cdot P(Y)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$\therefore P(U) \cdot P(V) = 0 \times \frac{1}{4} = 0 \quad [\text{from eqns (2) \& (3)}]$$

$$\text{and } P(UV) = 0 \quad [\text{from eqn (1)}]$$

$$\therefore P(UV) = P(U)P(V)$$

Hence, we can say that U and V are independent.

Ans. 7. (a) $\bar{X} = (x_1, \dots, x_n)$ is a vector of independent, identically distributed samples from the $B_e(\theta, 1)$ distribution.

We know,

$$B(q, r) = \int_0^1 x^{q-1} (1-x)^{r-1} dx$$

$$B(\theta, 1) = \int_0^1 x^{\theta-1} (1-x)^{1-1} dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 x^{\theta-1} (1-x)^0 dx = \int_0^1 x^{\theta-1} \cdot 1 dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 x^{\theta-1} dx$$

$$= \left[\frac{x^{\theta-1+1}}{\theta-1+1} \right]_0^1$$

$$= \frac{1}{\theta} \left[x^{\theta} \right]_0^1$$

$$= \frac{1}{\theta} \left[1^{\theta} - 0^{\theta} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{\theta} \cdot 1$$

$$\boxed{B(\theta, 1) = \frac{1}{\theta}}$$

(Proved)

Ans. 7. (b) We know that,

$$p_{x_i}(x_i) = \frac{x_i^{\theta-1} (1-x_i)^{1-\theta}}{B(\theta, 1)} \quad \left[\text{from Introductory Material} \right]$$

$$= x_i^{\theta-1} \cdot \theta$$

$$L(\theta; x) = \prod_{i=1}^n p_{x_i}(x_i)$$

$$L(\theta; x) = \prod_{i=1}^n \theta \cdot x_i^{\theta-1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \ell(\theta; x) &= \log_e(L(\theta; x)) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n \log_e(\theta \cdot x_i^{\theta-1}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \sum_{i=1}^n \ln(\theta) + \sum_{i=1}^n (\theta-1) \ln(x_i) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n \ln(\theta) + (\theta-1) \sum_{i=1}^n \ln(x_i) \end{aligned}$$

Ans. 7. (c) $\frac{d\ell(\theta; x)}{d\theta} = \frac{d}{d\theta} \left[\eta \ln(\theta) + (\theta-1) \sum_{i=1}^n \ln(x_i) \right]$

$$0 = \frac{\eta}{\hat{\theta}} + 1 - \sum_{i=1}^n \ln(x_i)$$

$$\frac{\eta}{\hat{\theta}} = - \sum_{i=1}^n \ln(x_i)$$

$$\hat{\theta} = - \frac{\eta}{\sum_{i=1}^n \ln(x_i)}$$

In order to find the maximum likelihood estimator $\hat{\theta}$ for θ ,

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{d\theta} \frac{d\ell(\theta; x)}{d\theta} &= n \frac{d}{d\theta} (\theta)^{-1} + \frac{d}{d\theta} \sum_{i=1}^n \ln(x_i) \\ &= n(-1)\theta^{-2} + 0 \\ &= -\frac{n}{\theta^2}\end{aligned}$$

Since $-\frac{n}{\theta^2} < 0$, we can say that it is the maxima.

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