

4.

i) a)

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

$$F_X(x) = \begin{cases} x^2/2 & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ 1/2 + \int_1^x (2-t) dt & 1 < x \leq 2 \end{cases} \quad \leftarrow 1M \text{ method}$$

$$\int_1^x (2-t) dt = \left[2t - \frac{t^2}{2} \right]_1^x = 2x - \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow F_X(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x < 0 \\ x^2/2 & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \quad \leftarrow 1M \text{ each} \\ 2x - \frac{x^2}{2} - 1 & 1 < x \leq 2 \quad \leftarrow \left[\text{or } 1 - \frac{(2-x)^2}{2} \right] \\ 1 & x > 2 \end{cases}$$

[3 marks total]

b) To invert, $U \leq 1/2$

$$U = \frac{x^2}{2} \quad U \leq 1/2$$

1M

$$\Rightarrow x = \sqrt{2U} \quad U \leq 1/2$$

$U > 1/2$

$$U = 2x - \frac{x^2}{2} - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 4x = -2 - 2U$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-2)^2 = 2(1+U)$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2 - \sqrt{2(1+U)}$$

2M invert and correct root

as $1 \leq x \leq 2$ take -ve root

so algorithm becomes

① Sample $U \sim U[0,1]$

1M method

② Set

$$X = \begin{cases} \sqrt{2u} & 0 \leq u \leq 1/2 \\ 2 - \sqrt{2(1+u)} & 1/2 < u \leq 1 \end{cases}$$

[4 marks total]

ii) a) Have $f_X(x) = \frac{3}{2}(1-x^2)$ $0 \leq x \leq 1$

use envelope $g_Y(y) = 1$ $0 \leq y \leq 1$

set $c = \sup \frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$

$f(x)$ maximised at $x=0$ so let

$$c = \frac{f(0)}{1} = \frac{3}{2} \quad 4M \text{ find } c$$

so rejection algorithm is

① Sample $Y \sim U[0,1]$ and $U \sim U[0,1]$

② If $U \leq \frac{f(Y)}{c} = \frac{3(1-Y^2)}{2c} = (1-Y^2)$

then accept $X=Y$, otherwise reject and

return to step ①

2M lay out method

Given $y = 0.5$ $u = 0.8$ 2M for working out reject
 we have $1 - y^2 = 3/4 < 0.8$ so would reject
 candidate y

[8 marks total]

~~c) $E[\# \text{ candidate } y] = c = \frac{3}{2}$~~

b) For new envelope

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} &= \frac{\frac{3}{2}(1-x^2)}{2(1-x)} = \frac{\frac{3}{2}(1-x)(1+x)}{2(1-x)} \\ &= \frac{3}{4}(1+x) \quad 2M \end{aligned}$$

so $\sup \frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$ as $x \rightarrow 1$ 1M

let $c^* = \frac{3}{2}$ 1M

$\Rightarrow E[\# \text{ candidate } y] = c^* = 3/2 \leftarrow 1M$

[5 mark total]

5. Have Poisson(λ) Poisson(μ)

$$X \sim \begin{matrix} \text{Poisson}(\lambda) & \text{if } Y=0 \\ \text{Poisson}(\mu) & \text{if } Y=1 \end{matrix}$$

$$Y = \begin{matrix} 0 & \text{w.p. } 1-\omega \\ 1 & \text{w.p. } \omega \end{matrix}$$

$$P(X, Y | \theta) = P(Y) P(X | Y, \theta)$$

i)

2M method

$$= \prod_{Y_i=0} (1-\omega) \frac{\lambda^{x_i}}{x_i!} e^{-\lambda} \prod_{Y_i=1} \omega \frac{\mu^{x_i}}{x_i!} e^{-\mu}$$

$$\Rightarrow \ell(\lambda, \mu, \omega; x, y) = \sum_{Y_i=0} (\log(1-\omega) + x_i \log \lambda - \log x_i! - \lambda) + \sum_{Y_i=1} (\log \omega + x_i \log \mu - \log x_i! - \mu)$$

3M corr. sol.ⁿ

$$= \sum (1-Y_i) [\log(1-\omega) + x_i \log \lambda - \log x_i! - \lambda] + Y_i [\log \omega + x_i \log \mu - \log x_i! - \mu]$$

[5 marks total]

ii)

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$$\hat{\omega} = \frac{\partial \ell}{\partial \omega} = - \sum \frac{(1-Y_i)}{1-\omega} + \frac{Y_i}{\omega}$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{\omega} = \frac{\sum Y_i}{n}$$

1M method

1M each sol.ⁿ

$$\frac{\partial \ell}{\partial \lambda} = \sum (1-y_i) \left[\frac{x_i}{\lambda} - 1 \right] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\lambda} \sum (1-y_i) x_i - \sum (1-y_i) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{\lambda} = \frac{\sum (1-y_i) x_i}{\sum (1-y_i)}$$

$$\hat{\mu} = \frac{\sum y_i x_i}{\sum y_i} \quad [4 \text{ marks total}]$$

~~iii) Look at terms in log-likelihood involving λ, μ, w and data x, y .
Involve $\sum x_i, \sum y_i, \sum x_i y_i$~~

iii) Using Bayes

$$P(y_i=1 | x_i) = \frac{P(x_i | y_i=1) P(y_i=1)}{P(x_i)} \quad \text{2M method}$$

$$= \frac{w \frac{\mu^{x_i}}{x_i!} e^{-\mu}}{w \frac{\mu^{x_i}}{x_i!} e^{-\mu} + (1-w) \frac{\lambda^{x_i}}{x_i!} e^{-\lambda}}$$

$$= \frac{w \mu^{x_i} e^{-\mu}}{w \mu^{x_i} e^{-\mu} + (1-w) \lambda^{x_i} e^{-\lambda}} = p_i \quad \leftarrow 2M \text{ sol.}^n$$

[4 marks total]

$$iv) \quad Q(\theta | \theta_{old}) = E[l(\theta; x, y) | X, \theta = \theta_{old}]$$

Maximise at

$$w_{new} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n E[y_i | X_i, \theta_{old}]}{n}$$

$$\lambda_{new} = \frac{\sum x_i E[(1-y_i) | X_i, \theta_{old}]}{\sum E[1-y_i | X_i, \theta_{old}]} \quad \leftarrow 3M \text{ for formulae}$$

$$\mu_{new} = \frac{\sum x_i E[y_i | X_i, \theta_{old}]}{\sum E[y_i | X_i, \theta_{old}]}$$

Now $E[y_i | X_i] = p_i \quad \leftarrow 1M$

$$\Rightarrow w_{new} = \frac{\sum p_i}{n}$$

$$\lambda_{new} = \frac{\sum x_i (1-p_i)}{\sum (1-p_i)} \quad \leftarrow 1M \text{ each}$$

$$\mu_{new} = \frac{\sum x_i p_i}{\sum p_i}$$

[7 marks total]

6.

$$i) a) P(X > c_i) = \int_{c_i}^{\infty} \frac{k}{\lambda} \left(\frac{x}{\lambda}\right)^{k-1} e^{-(x/\lambda)^k} dx$$

$$= \left[e^{-(x/\lambda)^k} \right]_{c_i}^{\infty}$$

$$= e^{-(c_i/\lambda)^k}$$

[2 marks - 1 method + 1 sol.]

$$b) L(\lambda, k; y) = \prod_{i=1}^n f(x_i; \lambda, k) \prod_{i=n+1}^{n+m} P(X > c_i)$$

$$= \prod_{i=1}^n k \lambda^{-k} x_i^{k-1} e^{-(x_i/\lambda)^k} \prod_{i=n+1}^{n+m} e^{-(c_i/\lambda)^k}$$

2 for method

$$\Rightarrow \ell(\lambda, k; y) = \sum_{i=1}^n (\log k - k \log \lambda + (k-1) \log x_i - \lambda^{-k} x_i^k) + \sum_{i=n+1}^{n+m} (-\lambda^{-k} c_i^k)$$

$$= n \log k - nk \log \lambda + (k-1) \sum_{i=1}^n \log x_i - \frac{1}{\lambda^k} \left[\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^k + \sum_{i=n+1}^{n+m} c_i^k \right] \leftarrow 3 \text{ for sol.}$$

[5 mark total]

$$c) \quad \frac{\partial \ell}{\partial \lambda} = - \frac{nk}{\lambda} + \frac{k}{\lambda^{k+1}} \left[\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^k + \sum_{i=n+1}^{n+m} c_i^k \right]$$

Solve

$$\frac{nk}{\hat{\lambda}} = \frac{k}{\hat{\lambda}^{k+1}} C$$

$$\text{where } C = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^k + \sum_{i=n+1}^{n+m} c_i^k$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{\lambda}^k = \frac{C}{n}$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{\lambda}^k = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^k + \sum_{i=n+1}^{n+m} c_i^k}{n}$$

$$\Rightarrow \ell_p(k) = n \log k - n \log \left(\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^k + \sum_{i=n+1}^{n+m} c_i^k}{n} \right)$$

$$+ (k-1) \sum_{i=1}^n \log x_i - n$$

[6 marks total - 3 find $\hat{\lambda}$
3 plug-in]

ii) Have Weibull (λ, k)

Probably easier to use Weibull(4,6) as opposed to general (k, λ)
Either is fine

$$f(x) = \frac{k}{\lambda} \left(\frac{x}{\lambda} \right)^{k-1} e^{-(x/\lambda)^k}$$

$$\Rightarrow \ell(x) = \log f(x) = \log k - k \log \lambda + (k-1) \log x - \left(\frac{x}{\lambda} \right)^k$$

1M take logs

To find mode, consider

$$\ell'(x) = \frac{k-1}{x} - \frac{kx^{k-1}}{\lambda^k} = 0 \quad [k > 1]$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{x}^k = \lambda^k \frac{k-1}{k}$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{x} = \lambda \left(\frac{k-1}{k} \right)^{1/k} \quad \leftarrow 2M \text{ find } \bar{x}$$

To find variance, need

$$M = \ell''(x) \Big|_{x=\bar{x}} = -\frac{(k-1)}{\bar{x}^2} - \frac{k(k-1)\bar{x}^{k-2}}{\lambda^k}$$

$$= - \left[\frac{k-1}{\lambda^2 \left(\frac{k-1}{k} \right)^{2/k}} + \frac{k(k-1) \lambda^{k-2} \left(\frac{k-1}{k} \right)^{k-2/k}}{\lambda^k} \right]$$

$$= - \frac{1}{\lambda^2} \left[(k-1) \left(\frac{k}{k-1} \right)^{2/k} + k(k-1) \left(\frac{k-1}{k} \right)^{k-2/k} \right]$$

3M find M and evaluate at \bar{x}

iii Now set $\lambda = 4$

and $k = 6$ to find

$$\bar{x} = 4 \left(5/6\right)^{1/6}$$

$$M = -\frac{1}{16} \left[5 \left(6/5\right)^{1/3} + 6.5 \left(5/6\right)^{2/3} \right]$$

So use normal approximation with

$$\mu = 4 \left(5/6\right)^{1/6} \quad \text{1M state sol.}^n$$

$$\sigma^2 = -M^{-1}$$

[7 marks total]