

HW4

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1. CB 2.1 Find PDF $f_Y = \frac{d}{dy} F_Y$

a. $Y = X^3$ $f_X = 42x^5(1-x)$ $x = y^{1/3}$ $\frac{dx}{dy} = \frac{1}{3y^{2/3}}$ $f_Y = 42(y^{1/3})^5(1-y^{1/3}) \cdot \frac{1}{3y^{2/3}}$
 $f_Y = 14y(1-y^{1/3})$ $0 < y < 1$

b. $Y = 4x+3$ $f_X = 7e^{-7x}$ $0 < x < \infty$ $x = \frac{y-3}{4}$ $\frac{dx}{dy} = \frac{1}{4}$ $f_Y = 7e^{-\frac{7(y-3)}{4}} \cdot \frac{1}{4}$
 $f_Y = \frac{7}{4} e^{-\frac{7(y-3)}{4}}$ $3 < y < \infty$

c. $Y = x^2$ $f_X = 30x^2(1-x)^2$ $0 < x < 1$ $x = \sqrt{y}$ $\frac{dx}{dy} = \frac{1}{2}y^{-1/2}$ $f_Y = 30(\frac{1}{2}y^{-1/2})^2(1-\frac{1}{2}y^{-1/2})^2 \cdot \frac{1}{2}y^{-1/2}$
 $f_Y = \frac{15}{4} y^{-3/2} (1-\frac{1}{2}y^{-1/2})^2$ $0 < y < 1$

2. CB 2.2 Find PDF

a. $Y = x^2$ $f_X = 1$ $0 < x < 1$ $x = y^{1/2}$ $\frac{dx}{dy} = \frac{1}{2}y^{-1/2}$ $f_Y = 1 \cdot \frac{1}{2}y^{-1/2}$ $0 < y < 1$

b. $Y = -\log x$ $f_X = \frac{(n+m)!}{n!m!} x^n(1-x)^m$ $x = e^{-y}$ $\frac{dx}{dy} = -e^{-y}$ $f_Y = \frac{(n+m+1)!}{n!m!} (e^{-y})^{n+1} (1-e^{-y})^m$ $-\infty < y < 0$

c. $Y = e^X$ $0 < x < \infty$ $f_X = \frac{1}{\sigma^2} x e^{-\frac{1}{2}(\frac{x}{\sigma})^2}$ $x = \ln(y)$ $\frac{dx}{dy} = \frac{1}{y}$ $f_Y = \frac{1}{\sigma^2} (\ln y) e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2}(\ln y)^2} \cdot \frac{1}{y}$
 $f_Y = \frac{1}{y\sigma^2} (\ln y) e^{-\frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{\ln(y)}{\sigma} \right]^2}$ $1 < y < \infty$

3. CB 2.3

$Y = \frac{X}{X+1}$ $f_X = \frac{1}{3} \left(\frac{2}{3} \right)^x$ $x = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ $xY + Y = X$ $Y = X - XY = X(1-Y)$ $X = \frac{Y}{1-Y}$
 $f_Y = \frac{1}{3} \left(\frac{2}{3} \right)^{\frac{Y}{1-Y}}$ $Y = 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{3}{4}, \dots$

X	0	1	2	3	4
Y	0	1/2	2/3	3/4	4/5

4. CB 2.6 Find PDF of Y

a. $Y = |X|^3$ $f_X = \frac{1}{2} e^{-|x|}$ $|x| = y^{1/3}$ Y now bounded by 0 to ∞ $x = y^{1/3}$ $\frac{dx}{dy} = \frac{1}{3} y^{-2/3}$ $f_Y = \frac{1}{2} e^{-y^{1/3}} \cdot \frac{1}{3} y^{-2/3}$
 $f_Y = \frac{1}{6} y^{-2/3} e^{-y^{1/3}}$ $0 < y < \infty$

b. $Y = 1-x^2$ $f_X = \frac{3}{8} (x+1)^2$ $-1 < x < 1$ $x = (1-y)^{1/2}$ $\frac{dx}{dy} = -\frac{1}{2}(1-y)^{-1/2}$ $1-(1)^2 = 0$ $1-(0)^2 = 1$ $1-(0)^2 = 1$ $0 < y < 1$
 $f_Y = \frac{3}{8} ((1-y)^{1/2} + 1)^2 \cdot \left| -\frac{1}{2}(1-y)^{-1/2} \right|$ $f_Y = \frac{3}{16} (1-y)^{-1/2} \left[(1-y)^{1/2} + 1 \right]^2$

c. ↑ same as b but $X \leq 0$, Any For $X > 0$, $Y = 1-x^2$ $x = 1-y$ $\frac{dx}{dy} = -1$ $f_Y = \frac{3}{4} \left[(1-y) + 1 \right]^2$
 $= \frac{3}{4} [2-y]^2$

$$X \leq 0: Y \in [0, 1] \quad f_Y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} \left[(1-x)^{-1} - 1 \right]$$

$$X > 0: Y \in [0, 1) \quad f_Y = -\frac{3}{8} [2-Y]^2$$

5. CB 2.7a

$$a. Y = X^2 \quad f_X = \frac{2}{9}(x+1) \quad -1 \leq x \leq 2$$

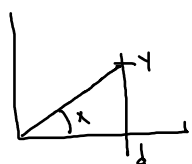
$$\text{BREAK INTO } -1 \leq x < 0, \quad 0 \leq x \leq 2 \quad x = \pm y^{1/2} \quad \frac{dx}{dy} = \pm \frac{1}{2} y^{-1/2}$$

$$F_Y = P(X^2 \leq y) = P(-\sqrt{y} \leq X \leq \sqrt{y}) = \int_{-\sqrt{y}}^{\sqrt{y}} f_X dx = \int_{-\sqrt{y}}^{\sqrt{y}} \frac{2}{9}(x+1) dx = \frac{2}{9} \left[\frac{1}{2}x^2 + x \right]_{-\sqrt{y}}^{\sqrt{y}}$$

$$= \frac{2}{9} \left[\frac{1}{2}y + \sqrt{y} - \left(-\frac{1}{2}y + \sqrt{y} \right) \right] = \frac{2}{9} [2\sqrt{y}] = \frac{4}{9} y^{1/2}$$

$$f_Y = F'_Y = \frac{2}{9} y^{-1/2} \quad 0 < y \leq 1, \quad \frac{1}{2\sqrt{y}} \cdot \frac{2}{9} (\sqrt{y} + 1) \quad 1 < y \leq 4$$

6. CB 2.12



$$\tan(x) = \frac{y}{1}$$

$$y = \tan(x) \quad x = \tan^{-1}(y)$$

$$0 < x < \pi/2 \quad f_X = \frac{2}{\pi} \quad f_Y = \frac{2}{\pi} \cdot \frac{1}{d} \cdot \frac{1}{y^2+1}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{d} \frac{1}{y^2+1}$$

$$f_Y = \frac{2}{\pi d (y^2+1)} \quad 0 < y < d$$

$$E(Y) = \int_0^d \frac{2y}{\pi d (y^2+1)} dy = \frac{2}{\pi d} \int_0^d \frac{y}{y^2+1} dy$$

$$\text{Let } z = y^2+1 \quad dz = 2y dy$$

$$\therefore = \frac{2}{\pi d} \int_1^{d^2+1} \frac{1}{z} dz$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi d} \left[\ln(z) \right]_1^{d^2+1} = \frac{1}{\pi d} \left[\ln(y^2+1) \right]_0^d$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi d} [\ln(d^2+1) - \ln(1)]$$

$$E(Y) = \frac{\ln(d^2+1)}{\pi d}$$

7. (B 2.23) $Y = X^2 \quad f_X = \frac{1}{2}(1+x) \quad -1 \leq x \leq 1 \quad -1 \leq x \leq 0: Y \in [0, 1] \quad 0 \leq x \leq 1: Y \in [0, 1]$

a. $x = \pm y^{1/2} \quad \frac{dx}{dy} = \pm \frac{1}{2} y^{-1/2} \quad F_Y = P(X^2 \leq y) = P(-\sqrt{y} \leq X \leq \sqrt{y}) = \int_{-\sqrt{y}}^{\sqrt{y}} f_X dx = \int_{-\sqrt{y}}^{\sqrt{y}} \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{1}{4} dx = \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{1}{4}x^2 \Big|_{-\sqrt{y}}^{\sqrt{y}}$

$$= \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{y} + \frac{1}{4}y - \left[-\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{y} + \frac{1}{4}y \right] = \sqrt{y} \quad f_Y = \frac{1}{2} y^{-1/2}$$

$$f_Y = \frac{1}{2} y^{-1/2} \quad 0 \leq y \leq 1$$

b. $E(Y) = \int_0^1 y^{3/2} dy = \frac{2}{5} y^{5/2} \Big|_0^1 = \frac{2}{5} \quad E(Y^2) = \int_0^1 y^{5/2} dy = \frac{2}{7} y^{7/2} \Big|_0^1 = \frac{2}{7}$

$$\text{Var}(Y) = E(Y^2) - E(Y)^2 = \frac{2}{7} - \frac{4}{25} = \frac{50-28}{175} = \frac{22}{175}$$

8. $Y = X(2-X) \quad f_X = \frac{x}{2} \quad 0 \leq x \leq 2 \quad \text{SPLIT AT } x=1: \quad 0 \leq x \leq 1: Y \in [0, 1] \quad 1 \leq x \leq 2: Y \in [0, 1]$

$$-x^2+2x=y \quad -x^2+2x-y=0 \quad x^2-2x+y=0 \quad (x-\sqrt{y})^2=0 \quad x=\sqrt{y} \quad \text{RANGES OVERLAP ON } [0, \sqrt{y}]$$

$$F_Y = \int_0^{\sqrt{y}} \frac{x}{2} dx = \frac{1}{4} x^2 \Big|_0^{\sqrt{y}} = \frac{1}{4} y \quad f_Y = \frac{1}{4} \quad 0 \leq y \leq 1$$

$$1 \leq x \leq 2: Y \in [0, 1] \quad 1 \leq x \leq 2: Y \in [0, 1] \quad \frac{1}{3} (4-y)^{2/3}$$

9. $y = 4 - x^3$ $f_x = \frac{x}{2}$ $0 \leq x \leq 2$ $x' = 4 - y$ $x = (4 - y)^{1/3}$ $|dy|$
 $f_y = \frac{1}{2} (4 - y)^{1/3} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{3} (4 - y)^{-2/3} \right) = \frac{1}{6} \frac{(4 - y)^{1/3}}{(4 - y)^{2/3}}$ $f_y = \frac{1}{6} (4 - y)^{-1/3}$ $-4 \leq y \leq 4$

10. $y = |x|$ $f_x = \frac{1}{2n+1}$ $x = -n, -n+1, \dots, 0, \dots, n-1, n$ $y \in 0, 1, \dots, n-1, n$ $X: \dots, -1/5, -1/3, -1, 1, 1/3, 1/5, \dots$
 $Y: \dots, 1/5, 1/3, 1, 1, 1/3, 1/5$

Looking at Y, you get each of the positive values of X, twice.

$f_y = \frac{2}{2n+1}$ $y \in 0, 1, \dots, n-1, n$

11. CB 3.16 VERIFY:

a. $\Gamma(\alpha+1) = \alpha \Gamma(\alpha)$

$\Gamma(\alpha+1) = \int_0^\infty t^\alpha e^{-t} dt$
 $\alpha \Gamma(\alpha) = \alpha \int_0^\infty t^{\alpha-1} e^{-t} dt$

$u = t^\alpha \quad du = \alpha t^{\alpha-1} dt$
 $dv = e^{-t} \quad v = -e^{-t}$
 $= -t^\alpha e^{-t} \Big|_0^\infty + \int_0^\infty \alpha t^{\alpha-1} e^{-t} dt = 0 + 0 + \alpha \int_0^\infty t^{\alpha-1} e^{-t} dt = \alpha \Gamma(\alpha)$

b. $\Gamma(1/2) = \sqrt{\pi}$ $\Gamma(1/2) = \int_0^\infty t^{-1/2} e^{-t} dt$ Let $t = u^2$ $dt = 2u du \Rightarrow \int_0^\infty (u^2)^{-1/2} e^{-u^2} 2u du = \int_0^\infty \frac{2u}{u} e^{-u^2} du = \int_0^\infty 2e^{-u^2} du$
 $= 2 \cdot \int_0^\infty e^{-u^2} du = 2 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2} = \sqrt{\pi}$
 $\Downarrow \sqrt{\pi/2}$

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12. LEMMA 2.3.14: $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{a}{n}\right)^n = e^a$

a. $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\theta_n}{a + \theta_n}\right)^{\theta_n} = \lim_{\theta_n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1}{1 + \frac{a}{\theta_n}}\right)^{\theta_n} = \frac{\lim_{\theta_n \rightarrow \infty} (1)^{\theta_n}}{\lim_{\theta_n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{a}{\theta_n}\right)^{\theta_n}} = \frac{1}{e^a} = e^{-a}$

b. $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{-x}{n}\right)^n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 - \frac{x}{n}\right)^n = e^{-x}$

SEE (a)

c. $\lim_{(n-m) \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{n-m}{(n-m) - k + x}\right)^{n-m}$: $n-m = z$ $\lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{z}{z + \gamma}\right)^z = \lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1}{1 + \frac{\gamma}{z}}\right)^z = \frac{1}{e^\gamma} = e^{-\gamma}$
 $\gamma = (-k+x) \therefore = e^{k-x}$