Assignment

Engineering Mathematics IV

MAT_2226/MAT_2256

Number of questions:8 Due date: April 8, 2024

- 1. If the continuous random variable X has pdf $f(x) = \frac{2}{9}(x+1)$, in -1 < x < 2 and is equal to zero elsewhere, find the pdf of $Y = X^2$.
- 2. If X and Y are independent RVs each following N (0,2) then show that $(2X + 3Y) \sim N(0,2\sqrt{13})$.
- 3. If X and Y each follow an exponential distribution with parameter "1" and are independent, find the pdf of X-Y.
- 4. The top 5% of applicants (as measured by GRE scores) will receive scholarships. If GRE $\sim N(500,100^2)$, how high does your GRE score have to be to qualify for a scholarship?
- 5. Weather records show that for a certain airport during the winter months an average of one day in 25 is foggy enough to prevent landings. What is the probability that in a period of seven winter days landings are prevented on
 - (i) 2 or more days?
 - (ii) No days?
- 6. A continuous random variable X that can assume any value between x=2 and x=5 has a density function given by f(x)=k(1+x). Find P(X<4).
- 7. A random variable X has mean 3 and Variance 2. Use Chebyshev's Inequality to obtain an upper bound for (a) $P(|X-3| \ge 2)$, (b) $P(|X-3| \ge 1)$.
- 8. Let X and Y be continuous random variables have joint density function.

$$f(x, y) = \{c(x^2 + y^2), 0 \le x \le 1, 0 \le y \le 1\}$$
 otherwise 0.

Determine:

- (a) the constant c,
- (b) P $(X < \frac{1}{2}, Y > \frac{1}{2}),$
- (c) $P(\frac{1}{4} < X < \frac{3}{4})$ (d) $P(Y < \frac{1}{2})$
- (e) whether X and Y are independent.

Note:

- 1. Submit the hard copy to your respective faculty on or before due date.
- 2. Late submissions are subjected to mark deduction.