

Q.1. (a) The random variable  $X = (X_1, X_2)$  has PDF :

$$P(X) = \begin{cases} C & (-1 < X_1 < 1) \text{ and } (-1 < X_2 < 1) \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

as  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  are uniformly distributed and they are independent ( $C_1 C_2 = C$ )

$$1 = \int_{-1}^1 \int_{-1}^1 C dx dy \Rightarrow 1 = 4C \Rightarrow \boxed{C = \frac{1}{4}}$$

Let  $S$  be the region of interest (circle of radius 1). The probability  $P$  is

$$P = \iint_S C dx dy \quad (\text{as } S \text{ is inside } -1 < X_1 < 1 \text{ and } -1 < X_2 < 1)$$

$$P = \int_{-1}^1 \int_{-\sqrt{1-x^2}}^{\sqrt{1-x^2}} C dx dy$$

$$P = \int_{-1}^1 2C \sqrt{1-x^2} dx$$

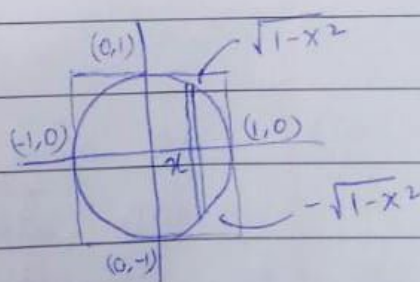
$$[\text{Let } x = \sin \theta \Rightarrow dx = \cos \theta d\theta]$$

$$P = \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} 2C \cos^2 \theta d\theta$$

$$P = \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} C(1 + \cos 2\theta) d\theta = C\pi + \left( \frac{\sin(2\theta)}{2} \right)_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} = C\pi + 0$$

So,

$$\boxed{P = \pi/4}$$



(b) We know that the probability that  $X = (X_1, X_2)$  lies within circle of radius  $r$  is  $P$ :

$$P = \pi/4 \Rightarrow \boxed{\pi = 4P}$$

Let  $Z$  denote a bernoulli random variable with success probability  $p$ . Then according to the weak law of large numbers, for  $N$  trials

$$\frac{\sum_{i=1}^N Z_i}{N} \rightarrow p = \pi/4 \quad \text{as } N \rightarrow \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{\# \text{ of successes}}{N} \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \quad \text{as } (N \rightarrow \infty)$$

So, for large enough  $N$

$$\left[ \pi \approx 4 \left( \frac{\# \text{ of successes}}{N} \right) \right]$$

(c) We may split the  $10^9$  samples into 100 batches of  $10^7$  samples and then calculate the collective mean.

Result :

$N = 10$	$\rightarrow$	3.60
$N = 10^2$	$\rightarrow$	3.08
$N = 10^3$	$\rightarrow$	3.18
$N = 10^4$	$\rightarrow$	3.1448
$N = 10^5$	$\rightarrow$	3.14412
$N = 10^6$	$\rightarrow$	3.14198
$N = 10^7$	$\rightarrow$	3.1422676
$N = 10^8$	$\rightarrow$	3.14159044
$N = 10^9$	$\rightarrow$	3.1415379047

(d) An easy way of doing this is as follows:

We know that as each  $z_i$   $i \in [1, M]$  is a bernoulli random variable,  $\sum_{i=1}^M z_i$  will be a binomial random variable

we can iterate through all values of  $M$  starting from 1  $\Rightarrow$

1) Calculate all integers in the range

$$C = [M(\frac{\pi - 0.01}{4}), M(\frac{\pi + 0.01}{4})]$$

2) Sum their probabilities  $= \sum_{x \in C} \binom{M}{x} \left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)^x \left(1 - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)^{M-x}$

3) Check if sum of probabilities  $\geq 95\%$

If it is the case report the value of  $M$ .

Practically it makes more sense to multiply  $M$  with 10 on each step.

Doing this we get the value of  $M \sim 10^5$  (of the order of  $10^5$ )