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HW-10

Exercise 1.1

Ans For independent events, $\text{Cov}(X, Y) = 0$

$$\text{Var}(3X - 2Y + 7) = 3^2 \text{Var}(X) + 2^2 \text{Var}(Y)$$

$$= 9 \times 4 + 4 \times 3$$

$$= 48$$

Exercise 1.2

Ans $f(x) = (x-1)x^{-x}$, $x > 1$ elsewhere,
 $= 0$

$$E(x) = \int_1^{\infty} x f(x) dx = \int_1^{\infty} (x-1) x^{-x+1} dx$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^x (x-1) x^{-x+1} dx$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left. \frac{x-1}{-x+2} x^{-x+2} \right|_1^x$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \cdot \cdot x+2 < 0 \\ \cdot -x < -2 \\ \cdot x > -2 \end{array} \right\}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x-1}{-x+2} (x^{-x+2} - 1)$$

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$$= \frac{n-1}{-n+2} (0-1)$$

$$= \frac{n-1}{n-2} \quad \text{if } n > 2$$

$$E(X^2) = \int_1^{\infty} x^2 f(x) dx = \int_1^{\infty} (n-1) x^{-n+2} dx$$

$$= \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^R (n-1) x^{-n+2} dx$$

$$= \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n-1}{-n+3} x^{-n+3} \Big|_1^R$$

$$= \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n-1}{-n+3} (R^{-n+3} - 1) \quad \left[\because -n+3 < 0 \right]$$

$$= \frac{n-1}{-n+3} (0-1) = \frac{n-1}{n-3} \quad \text{if } n > 3.$$

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

$$= \frac{n-1}{n-3} - \left(\frac{n-1}{n-2} \right)^2; \quad \text{if } n > 3$$

$$= \frac{(n-1)(n-2)^2 - (n-1)^2(n-3)}{(n-3)(n-2)^2}$$

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$$= \frac{n^3 - 5n^2 + 8n - 4 - (n^3 - 5n^2 + 7n - 3)}{(n-3)(n-2)^2}$$

$$= \frac{n-1}{(n-3)(n-2)^2}$$

Exercise 1.3

Ans Variance = $8 - 3^2 = -1$

But, the variance can never be negative, since it is a squared value of the standard deviation.

\therefore This is impossible. $E(X)=3$ & $E(X^2)=8$ cannot happen.

Exercise 1.4

Ans Let X_1, \dots, X_m are independent with $E(X_i) = \mu$ & $V(X_i) = \sigma^2$ $\forall i = 1, \dots, m$.

$$\text{Let } Y = X_1 + \dots + X_m$$

$$\begin{aligned} E(Y) &= E(X_1 + \dots + X_m) \\ &= E(X_1) + \dots + E(X_m) \end{aligned}$$

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$$= \mu + \dots + \mu$$

$$E(Y) = n\mu$$

$$V(Y) = V(x_1 + \dots + x_n)$$

$$= V(x_1) + \dots + V(x_n) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \because \text{Independent} \\ \text{Random} \\ \text{variables} \end{array} \right.$$

$$= \sigma^2 + \dots + \sigma^2$$

$$V(Y) = n\sigma^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} E[(x_1 + \dots + x_n)^2] &= E[Y^2] \\ &= [E(Y)^2] + V(Y) \\ &= n^2\mu^2 + n\sigma^2 \\ &= n(n\mu^2 + \sigma^2) \end{aligned}$$

$$E[(x_1 + \dots + x_n)^2] = n^2\mu^2 + n\sigma^2$$



Exercise 2.1

Ans

Let $f(x)$ be the pdf of the uniform distribution

$$f(x; a, b) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{b-a} & \text{if } x \in (a, b) \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

→ (A)

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

$$\text{So, } f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } x \in (-1, 1) \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

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For uniform distribution $U(a, b)$
We know :-

$$\text{Mean} = E(X) = \frac{b+a}{2}$$

$$\text{Variance} = V(X) = \frac{1}{12} (b-a)^2$$

n^{th} order raw moment.

$$\mu'_n = \int_a^b x^n \cdot \frac{1}{b-a} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{b-a} \left[\frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} \right]_a^b$$

$$= \frac{1}{b-a} \left(\frac{b^{n+1} - a^{n+1}}{n+1} \right)$$

For (B) :-

$$E(X) = \frac{1 + (-1)}{2} = 0$$

$$V(X) = \frac{1}{12} [1 - (-1)]^2 = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\mu'_3 = \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{(1)^{3+1} - (-1)^{3+1}}{3+1} \right] = E(X^3)$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} [1 - 1] = 0$$

$$\text{Cov}(X, X^2) = \text{Cov}(X, Y)$$

$$= E(X \cdot X^2) - E(X) E(X^2)$$

$$= E(X^3) - E(X) E(X^2)$$

$$= 0 - 0$$

$$= 0. \quad \underline{\underline{\text{[So, } X \text{ \& } Y \text{ are independent]}}}$$

Exercise 2.2

Ans: (i) $\text{Cov}(aX + bY, cX + dY)$

$$= \text{Cov}(X, X)ac + ad \text{Cov}(X, Y) + bc \text{Cov}(Y, X) + bd \text{Cov}(Y, Y)$$

(ii) $\text{Cov}(X, X) = \text{Var}(X)$

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

Using result (i) :-

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

Using result (ii) & (iii) :-

$$\text{Var}(X) - \text{Cov}(X, Y) + \text{Cov}(X, Y) - \text{Var}(Y)$$

$$= 5 - 7$$

$$= -2$$

$$\therefore \text{Cov}(X+Y, X-Y) = -2$$

Exercise 2.3

Ans: Suppose X_1, X_2 & X_3 are independent.

Also, $V(X_i) = 1, i = 1, 2, 3.$

$$\text{Now, } \text{Cov}(X_1 - X_2, X_2 + X_3) = \text{Cov}(X_1, X_2) + \text{Cov}(X_1, X_3) - \text{Cov}(X_2, X_2) - \text{Cov}(X_2, X_3)$$

$$= 0 + 0 - V(X_2) - 0$$

$$= -V(X_2)$$

$$= -2 \quad \left[\text{since } X_i \text{'s are independent.} \right]$$

$$\text{Cov}(X_i, X_j)$$

$$= 0, \text{ if } i \neq j$$

$$i = 1, 2, 3$$

$$j = 1, 2, 3$$

Exercise 2.4

$$\text{Ans: } \rho(X_1 - X_2, X_2 + X_3) = \frac{\text{Cov}(X_1 - X_2, X_2 + X_3)}{\sqrt{V(X_1 - X_2)} \cdot \sqrt{V(X_2 + X_3)}}$$

$$= \frac{-2}{\sqrt{3} \cdot \sqrt{5}}$$

$$= \frac{-2}{\sqrt{15}}$$

$$= -0.516$$

$$[\because V(X_1 - X_2)$$

$$= V(X_1) + V(X_2)$$

$$+ \text{Cov}(X_1, X_2)$$

$$= V(X_1) + V(X_2)$$

$$= 1 + 2$$

$$= 3$$

$$\sqrt{V(X_2 + X_3)} = \sqrt{V(X_2) + V(X_3) + 2\text{Cov}(X_2, X_3)}$$

$$= 2 + 3 + 0 = 5$$

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Exercise 2.5

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Ans: Let $m = 0$.

$$\text{Then, } E_s(k) = E(S_m) = 0$$

$$\text{Let } m \geq k$$

$$\text{Let } S = \text{sum } a$$

$$\text{Var}(S_k) = k s^2$$

$$\text{Var}(S_m) = m s^2$$

$$\text{Then, } E(S_k, S_m) = \{x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_k, x_{k+1} + x_{k+2} + \dots + x_k + x_{k+1} + \dots + x_m\}$$

$$\Rightarrow E[x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_k]^2 \neq E[x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_k] \\ (x_{k+1} + \dots + x_m) = k s^2$$

$$\text{Then } \rho = \text{cov}(S_k, S_m) / \sqrt{\text{Var}(S_k) \text{Var}(S_m)}$$

$$= \frac{k s^2}{\text{Var}(S_k) \text{Var}(S_m)}$$

$$= \frac{k s^2}{\sqrt{s^2 k \times m s^2}}$$

$$= \frac{k s^2}{\sqrt{(k m) s^2}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$$

If $k \leq m$, then the solution is $\sqrt{m/k}$.