

(Ch) MATHEMATICS FOR COMPUTER APPLICATIONS

ASSIGNMENT

- Q1. A random variable X has the following probability function

x	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
$P(x)$	a	$3a$	$5a$	$7a$	$9a$	$11a$	$13a$	$15a$	$17a$

- (i) find the value of ' a '
- (ii) $P(2 \leq X \leq 5)$
- (iii) Determine the distribution function of x .

Solu: Given, probability function are countable
 \therefore It is DRV.

wkt, property of DRV
 $\Rightarrow \sum P(x) = 1$

$$(1) \sum P(x) = 1$$

$$a + 3a + 5a + 7a + 9a + 11a + 13a + 15a + 17a = 1$$

$$81a = 1$$

$$a = 1/81$$

given probability fun. becomes, sub $a = 1/81$

x	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
$P(x)$	a	$3a$	$5a$	$7a$	$9a$	$11a$	$13a$	$15a$	$17a$
$P(x)$	$1/81$	$3/81$	$5/81$	$7/81$	$9/81$	$11/81$	$13/81$	$15/81$	$17/81$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(ii)} \quad P(2 \leq x \leq 5) &= P(2) + P(3) + P(4) + P(5) \\
 &= \frac{5}{81} + \frac{7}{81} + \frac{9}{81} + \frac{11}{81} \\
 &= \frac{32}{81}
 \end{aligned}$$

(iii) distribution function of x

x	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
$P(x)$	$1/81$	$3/81$	$5/81$	$7/81$	$9/81$	$11/81$	$13/81$	$15/81$	$17/81$
$F(x)$	$1/81$	$4/81$	$9/81$	$16/81$	$25/81$	$36/81$	$49/81$	$64/81$	$81/81$

$F(x) = 0$ for $x < 0$

$$F(0) = P(x=0) = a = 1/81 \quad (0 \leq x < 1)$$

$$F(1) = P(x \leq 1) = a + 3a = 4a = 4/81 \quad (1 \leq x < 2)$$

$$F(2) = P(x \leq 2) = 4a + 5a = 9a = 9/81 \quad (2 \leq x < 3)$$

$$F(3) = P(x \leq 3) = 9a + 7a = 16a = 16/81 \quad (3 \leq x < 4)$$

$$F(4) = P(x \leq 4) = 16a + 9a = 25a = 25/81 \quad (4 \leq x < 5)$$

$$F(5) = P(x \leq 5) = 25a + 11a = 36a = 36/81 \quad (5 \leq x < 6)$$

$$F(6) = P(x \leq 6) = 36a + 13a = 49a = 49/81 \quad (6 \leq x < 7)$$

$$F(7) = P(x \leq 7) = 49a + 15a = 64a = 64/81 \quad (7 \leq x < 8)$$

$$F(8) = P(x \leq 8) = 64a + 17 = 81a = 81/81 \quad (x \geq 8)$$

Given the following bivariate probability distribution.

$x \setminus y$	1	2	3	4	5	6
0	0	0	$1/32$	$2/32$	$2/32$	$3/32$
1	$1/16$	$1/16$	$1/8$	$1/8$	$1/8$	$1/8$
2	$1/32$	$1/32$	$1/64$	$1/64$	0	$2/64$

Obtain

- $P(X \leq 1, Y = 2)$
- $P(Y = 3)$
- $P(X < 3, Y < 4)$
- Marginal distribution of X and Y .

Solu?

Given, joint probability distribution of X & Y .

\Rightarrow pdf is $\sum \sum P(x, y) = 1$

taking LCM of denominators

$$\Rightarrow \text{LCM} = 64 \quad \text{LCM}(32, 16, 8, 64) = 64$$

\therefore given fun becomes

$$1/32 \times 2/2 + 1/64 = 2/64$$

$x \setminus y$	1	2	3	4	5	6	total
0	0	0	$2/64$	$4/64$	$4/64$	$6/64$	$16/64$
1	$6/64$	$4/64$	$8/64$	$8/64$	$8/64$	$8/64$	$40/64$
2	$2/64$	$2/64$	$1/64$	$1/64$	0	$2/64$	$8/64$
total	$6/64$	$6/64$	$11/64$	$13/64$	$12/64$	$16/64$	$51/64$

$$(i) P(X \leq 1, Y=2)$$

find the probability of $X \leq 1$ & $Y=2$
where $X=0$ or $X=1$ & $Y=2$

Instead,
take direct
table also

$$P(X=0, Y=2) + P(X=1, Y=2)$$

from the table

$$P(X=0, Y=2) = 0$$

$$P(X=1, Y=2) = 4/64$$

$$\text{Thus} = 0 + \frac{4}{64} = \frac{4}{64} = \frac{1}{16}$$

$$(ii) P(Y=3)$$

$$P(Y=3) = P(X=0, Y=3) + P(X=1, Y=3) + P(X=2, Y=3)$$

from the table

$$P(X=0, Y=3) = 1/32$$

$$P(X=1, Y=3) = 1/8$$

$$P(X=2, Y=3) = 1/64$$

(ICM Table)

$$1/32 = 2/64 \rightarrow 1/8 = 8/64, 1/16 = 1/64$$

Adding them up,

$$P(Y=3) = \frac{2}{64} + \frac{8}{64} + \frac{1}{64} = \frac{11}{64}$$

$$(iii) P(X < 3, Y < 4)$$

Since $X < 3$ includes all values in the table ,

$Y < 4$ means $Y = 1, 2, 3$

$$P(X=0, Y=1) + P(X=0, Y=2) + P(X=0, Y=3) + P(X=1, Y=1) + \\ P(X=1, Y=2) + P(X=1, Y=3) + P(X=2, Y=1) + P(X=2, Y=2) + \\ P(X=2, Y=3)$$

From the table .

$$0 + 0 + 1/32 + 1/16 + 1/16 + 1/8 + 1/32 + 1/32 + 1/32 + 1/64$$

converting to denominator of 64

$$0 + 0 + 2/64 + 4/64 + 4/64 + 8/64 + 8/64 + 2/64 + 2/64 + 2/64 + 1/64$$

$$= \frac{2+4+4+8+2+2+1}{64} = \frac{23}{64}$$



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(iv) Marginal distribution of X

x	0	1	2
$P(x)$	$16/64$	$40/64$	$8/64$

Marginal distribution of Y

y	1	2	3	4	5	6
$P(y)$	$6/64$	$6/64$	$11/64$	$13/64$	$12/64$	$16/64$

8. Verify the function $f(x) = \begin{cases} 6x(1-x), & \text{if } 0 < x < 1 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$
is PDF or not. Hence determine its mean.

Soln: Given $f(x)$ is CRV & lies b/w 0 & 1

WKT, PDF is $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx = 1$

$$\int_0^1 6x(1-x) dx = 1$$

$$6 \int_0^1 (x - x^2) dx = 1$$

$$6 \left\{ \left[\frac{x^2}{2} \right]_0^1 - \left[\frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^1 \right\} = 1$$

$$6 \left\{ \left[\frac{1}{2} - 0 \right] - \left[\frac{1}{3} - 0 \right] \right\} = 1$$

$$6 \left\{ \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3} \right\} = 1$$

$$6 \left(\frac{1}{6} \right) = 1$$

$$\boxed{1 = 1}$$

$\therefore f(x)$ is PDF



to determine mean

$$\text{W.R.T. mean, } \bar{x} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x f(x) dx$$

$$\bar{x} = \int_0^1 x [6x(1-x)] dx$$

$$= 6 \int_0^1 (x^2 - x^3) dx$$

$$= 6 \left\{ \left[\frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^1 - \left[\frac{x^4}{4} \right]_0^1 \right\}$$

$$= 6 \left\{ \left[\frac{1}{3} - 0 \right] - \left[\frac{1}{4} - 0 \right] \right\}$$

$$= 6 \left[\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4} \right]$$

$$= 6 \left(\frac{1}{12} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\boxed{\bar{x} = 0.5}$$

Given the following joint probability distribution

$y \setminus x$	0	1	2	
0	0	$1/27$	$2/27$	
1	$2/27$	$3/27$	$4/27$	
2	$4/27$	$5/27$	$6/27$	

obtain

- Marginal distribution of X and Y
- the conditional distribution of X given $Y=1$

Given, joint probability distribution

$y \setminus x$	0	1	2	total
0	0	$1/27$	$2/27$	$3/27$
1	$2/27$	$3/27$	$4/27$	$9/27$
2	$4/27$	$5/27$	$6/27$	$15/27$
total	$6/27$	$9/27$	$12/27$	$18/27$

(i) marginal distribution of X

x	0	1	2	
$P(x)$	$6/27$	$9/27$	$12/27$	

marginal distribution of Y

y	0	1	2	
$P(y)$	$3/27$	$9/27$	$15/27$	

(iii) conditional distribution of X given $Y=1$

$$P(X, Y=1) = \frac{P(X \cap Y=1)}{P(Y=1)}$$

$x=0$,

$$P(X=0, Y=1) = \frac{P(X=0 \cap Y=1)}{P(Y=1)} = \frac{2/27}{9/27} = \frac{2}{9}$$

$x=1$

$$P(X=1, Y=1) = \frac{P(X=1 \cap Y=1)}{P(Y=1)} = \frac{3/27}{9/27} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$x=2$

$$P(X=2, Y=1) = \frac{P(X=2 \cap Y=1)}{P(Y=1)} = \frac{4/27}{9/27} = \frac{4}{9}$$

5. The number of accidents occurring in a city in a day is a poisson variate with mean 0.8. Find the probability that on a randomly selected day (i) there are no accidents
 (ii) there are accidents.

Given, mean = $\lambda = 0.8$

$$\text{WKT, } P[X=x] = \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^x}{x!} \text{ where } x=0, 1, 2, \dots$$

$$(i) \text{ sub } \lambda = 0.8 \text{ & } x=0$$

$$\begin{aligned} P[X=0] &= \frac{e^{-0.8} (0.8)^0}{0!} \\ &= \frac{e^{-0.8} \cdot 1}{1} \\ &= e^{-0.8} \\ &= 0.4493 \end{aligned}$$

$$(ii) \text{ there are accidents, sub } x \geq 1 \text{ & } \lambda = 0.8$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{WKT, } P[X \geq 1] &= 1 - P[X=0] \\ &= 1 - \frac{e^{-0.8} (0.8)^0}{0!} \\ &= 1 - 0.4493 \\ &= 0.5507 \end{aligned}$$

6. The length of a telephone conversation has been found to have an exponential distribution with mean 3 minutes. What is the probability that a call may last more than 1 minute?

(xii) Given, mean = $\sigma = 3$

$$\text{WKT, } f(x) = \frac{1}{\sigma} e^{-x/\sigma} = \frac{1}{3} e^{-x/3}, \text{ for } x > 0 \rightarrow ①$$

call may last more than 1 min, i.e. $\rightarrow P(x \geq 1)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(x \geq 1) &= 1 - P(x \leq 1) \\
 &= 1 - P(0 < x < 1) \\
 &= 1 - \int_0^1 f(x) dx \\
 &= 1 - \int_0^1 \frac{1}{3} e^{-x/3} dx \\
 &= 1 - \frac{1}{3} \left[\frac{e^{-x/3}}{-1/3} \right]_0^1 \\
 &= 1 + \left(e^{-1/3} - e^0 \right) \\
 &= 1 + e^{-1/3} - 1 \\
 &= e^{-1/3} \\
 &= 0.7165_{11}
 \end{aligned}$$

7. A random variable X has the following probability function

x	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
$P(x)$	0	K	$2K$	$4K$	$3K$	K^2	$2K^2$	$7K^2+K$

(i) find the value of K

(ii) $P(1 < X < 6)$

(iii) Determine the distribution function of X .

Given function is DRV

$$(i) \text{ WKT } \sum P(x) = 1$$

$$0 + K + 2K + 4K + 3K + K^2 + 2K^2 + 7K^2 + K = 1$$

$$9K + 10K^2 = 1$$

$$10K^2 + 9K - 1 = 0$$

$$\text{by factorizing } 10K^2 + 10K - K - 1 = 0$$

$$10K(K+1) - 1(K+1) = 0$$

$$(10K-1)(K+1) = 0$$

$$K = 1/10, K = -1$$

$$[K = 1/10] (\because \text{prob. lies b/w 0 \& 1})$$

Given probability fun becomes, sub $K = 1/10$

x	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
$P(x)$	0	K	$2K$	$4K$	$3K$	K^2	$2K^2$	$7K^2+K$
$P(x)$	0	$1/10$	$2/10$	$4/10$	$3/10$	$1/100$	$2/100$	$17/100$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{i)} P(1 < x < 6) &= P(2) + P(3) + P(4) + P(5) \\
 &= \frac{8}{10} + \frac{9}{10} + \frac{3}{10} + \frac{1}{100} \\
 &= \frac{7}{10} + \frac{1}{100} \\
 &= \frac{71}{100}
 \end{aligned}$$

iii) distribution fun of x

x	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
$P(x)$	0	$\frac{1}{10}$	$\frac{8}{10}$	$\frac{2}{10}$	$\frac{3}{10}$	$\frac{1}{100}$	$\frac{2}{100}$	$\frac{17}{100}$
$F(x)$	0	$\frac{1}{10}$	$\frac{3}{10}$	$\frac{5}{10}$	$\frac{8}{10}$	$\frac{81}{100}$	$\frac{83}{100}$	$\frac{100}{100}$

- Q. The number of person joining a cinema queue in a minute has poisson distribution with parameter 5.8. Find the probability that
- no one joins the queue
 - at least one person's join the queue

Soln Given, parameters is 5.8, i.e., $\lambda = 5.8$
 W.E.T $P[X=x] = \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^x}{x!} \rightarrow ①$ where $x = 0, 1, 2, \dots$

(i) no one join the queue i.e. $x=0$ & $\lambda = 5.8$

$$P[X=0] = \frac{e^{-5.8} (5.8)^0}{0!}$$

$$= 0.00302$$

(ii) atleast 1 joins, i.e. $x \geq 1$ & $\lambda = 5.8$

$$\text{where, } P[X \geq 1] = 1 - P[X=0]$$

$$= 1 - \frac{e^{-5.8} (5.8)^0}{0!}$$

$$= 1 - e^{-5.8}$$

$$= 1 - 0.00302$$

$$= 0.99698$$

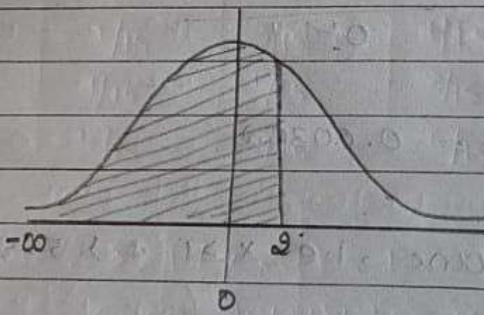
9. Let X be a normal variate with mean 42 and standard deviation 4 . Find the probability that a value taken by X is
- less than 50
 - between 43 and 46 .

Soln: Given, mean = $\mu = 42$, $SD = \sigma = 4$

$$\text{WKT, } Z = \frac{X - \mu}{\sigma} = Z = \frac{x - 42}{4} \rightarrow ①.$$

$$(i) P(X < 50) = P(Z < \frac{50 - 42}{4})$$

$$= P(Z < 2)$$



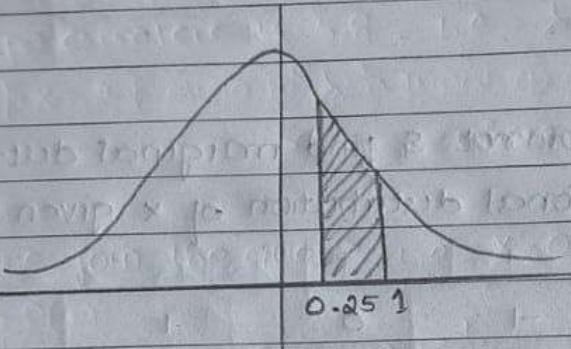
$$= \text{area}(-\infty \text{ to } 2)$$

$$= \text{area}(-\infty \text{ to } 0) + \text{area}(0 \text{ to } 2)$$

$$= 0.5 + 0.4772$$

$$= 0.9772$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(iii)} \quad P(43 < x < 46) &= P\left[\frac{43-42}{4} < z < \frac{46-42}{4}\right] \\
 &= P[0.25 < z < 1]
 \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \text{area}(0.25 \text{ to } 1) \\
 &= \text{area}(0 \text{ to } 1) - \text{area}(0 \text{ to } 0.25) \\
 &= 0.3413 - 0.0987 \\
 &= 0.2426.
 \end{aligned}$$

10. Given the following bivariate probability distribution

$y \setminus x$	-1	0	1
0	3/15	1/15	1/15
1	1/15	3/15	1/15
2	1/15	1/15	3/15

obtain

- (i) verify PDF or not & find marginal distribution of x and y
 (ii) the conditional distribution of x given $y=2$.

solu?

(i)	$y \setminus x$	-1	0	1	total
	0	3/15	1/15	1/15	5/15
	1	1/15	3/15	1/15	5/15
	2	1/15	1/15	3/15	5/15
	total	5/15	5/15	5/15	$15/15 = 1$

$$\text{here, } \sum \sum P(x, y) = 1$$

\therefore Given distribution is PDF

marginal distribution of x

x	-1	0	1
$P(x)$	5/15	5/15	5/15

marginal distribution of y

y	0	1	2
$P(y)$	5/15	5/15	5/15

(ii) cond'l dist of X given $Y=2$

$$x = -1$$

$$P(X=-1 | Y=2) = \frac{P(X=-1 \cap Y=2)}{P(Y=2)}$$

$$\text{sub } X = -1 = P(X=-1 \cap Y=2)$$

$$P(X=-1, Y=2) = \frac{1/15}{5/15}$$

$$= \frac{1}{5} //$$

$$x = 0$$

$$P(X=0, Y=2) = \frac{P(X=0 \cap Y=2)}{P(Y=2)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{15} = \frac{1/15}{5/15} //$$

$$x = 1$$

$$P(X=1, Y=2) = \frac{P(X=1 \cap Y=2)}{P(Y=2)}$$

$$= \frac{3/15}{5/15} = \frac{3}{5} //$$

- ii. Let X be a normal variate with mean 45 and standard deviation 4. Find the probability that a value taken by X is between 42 and 48.

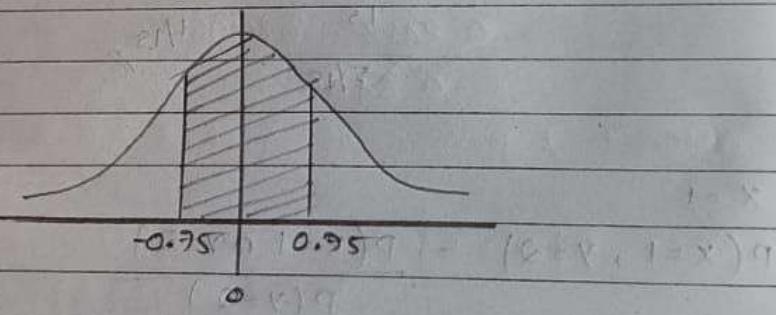
Solu: Given, mean $M = 45$ & $SD = \sigma = 4$

$$\text{NKT}, \frac{z - x - M}{\sigma} = z = \frac{x - 45}{4} \rightarrow ①$$

x is between 42 & 48

$$P[42 < x < 48] = P\left[\frac{42 - 45}{4} < z < \frac{48 - 45}{4}\right]$$

$$P[-0.75 < z < 0.75]$$



$$= \text{area } (-0.75 \text{ to } 0.75)$$

$$= \text{area } (-0.75 \text{ to } 0) + \text{area } (0 \text{ to } 0.75)$$

$$= \text{area } (0 \text{ to } 0.75) + \text{area } (0 \text{ to } 0.75)$$

$$= 0.2734 + 0.2732$$

$$= 0.5468 //$$

18. The life time of a certain kind of battery is a random variable which has exponential distribution with mean of 250 hours, find the probability that such a battery will last anywhere between 300 & 500 hours.

Given, mean = $\alpha = 250$

WKT $f(x) = \frac{1}{\alpha} e^{-x/\alpha} \rightarrow f(x) = \frac{1}{250} e^{-x/250}, \text{ for } x > 0 \rightarrow ①$

last anywhere between 300 & 500

$$P[300 < x < 500] = \int_{300}^{500} \frac{1}{250} e^{-x/250}$$

$$= \frac{1}{250} \left[\frac{e^{-x/250}}{(-1/250)} \right]_{300}^{500}$$

$$= - [e^{-x/250}]_{300}^{500}$$

$$= e^{-500/250} - e^{-300/250}$$

$$= e^{-2} - e^{-1.2}$$

$$= 0.3012 - 0.1353$$

$$= 0.1659$$