Homework 1

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For n = 1, let $Y = X_1^2$

$$P(Y \le y) = P(X_1^2 \le y)$$

$$= P(-\sqrt{y} \le X \le \sqrt{y})$$

$$= \Phi(\sqrt{y}) - \Phi(\sqrt{-y})$$

$$= 2\Phi(\sqrt{y}) - 1$$
(1.1)

Thus:

$$f(y) = 2(\Phi(\sqrt{y}))' * (\sqrt{y})'$$

$$= 2 * \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-y/2} * \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{\sqrt{y}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-y/2} * \frac{1}{\sqrt{y}}$$
(1.2)

When n = 1, there is no possibility that $X^2 < 0$, so:

$$\frac{1}{\Gamma(n/2)2^{n/2}} y^{n/2-1} e^{-y/2} = \frac{1}{\Gamma(1/2)2^{1/2}} x^{1/2-1} e^{-y/2}
= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-y/2} * \frac{1}{\sqrt{y}}$$
(1.3)

We assume that when n = k, this equation is valid, then for n = k + 1:

$$\sum_{i=1}^{K+1} X_i^2 = \chi_K^2 + \chi_1^2 \tag{1.4}$$

Thus:

$$f(x) = \int_{0}^{x} \frac{1}{\Gamma(k/2)2^{k/2}} \tau^{k/2-1} e^{-\tau/2} \frac{1}{\Gamma(k/2)2^{k/2}} (x - \tau)^{k/2-1} e^{1(x - \tau)/2} dx$$

$$= \frac{e^{-x/2}}{2^{(k+1)/2} \Gamma(k/2) \Gamma(1/2)} \int_{0}^{x} t^{\frac{k}{2}-1} (x - t)^{\frac{1}{2}-1} dt$$

$$= \frac{e^{-x/2}}{2^{(k+1)/2} \Gamma(k/2) \Gamma(1/2)} \int_{0}^{1} (ux)^{\frac{k}{2}-1} (x - ux)^{-\frac{1}{2}} dux$$

$$= \frac{e^{-x/2}}{2^{(k+1)/2} \Gamma(k/2) \Gamma(1/2)} x^{(k-1)/2} \int_{0}^{1} u^{\frac{k}{2}-1} (1 - u)^{\frac{1}{2}-1} du$$

$$= \frac{e^{-x/2} \beta(k/2, 1/2) x^{(k-1)/2}}{2^{(k+1)/2} \Gamma(k/2) \Gamma(1/2)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\Gamma((k+1)/2) 2^{(k+1)/2}} x^{(k+1)/2-1} e^{-x/2}$$
(1.5)

For $\beta(x, y) = \Gamma(x)\Gamma(y)/\Gamma(x + y)$ and u = t/x

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Let:

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} & \cdots & \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2} \cdot 1} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2} \cdot 1} & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{3} \cdot 2} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3} \cdot 2} & -\frac{2}{\sqrt{3} \cdot 2} & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{n(n-1)}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{n(n-1)}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{n(n-1)}} & \cdots & -\frac{n-1}{\sqrt{n(n-1)}} \end{pmatrix}$$
 (2.1)

We can easily compute that $A^T \cdot A = E$ Let $X = (X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n)^T$ and $Y = A \cdot X$. We can compute $Y_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} n\bar{X} = \sqrt{n}\bar{X}$ so that we can get $\bar{X} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} Y_1$ and $\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i^2 = Y^T Y = X^T A^T A X = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i^2$ The joint PDF for Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_n is:

$$p(Y_1, \dots, Y_n) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} e^{-\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i^2 - 2\sqrt{n}Y_1\mu + n\mu^2}{2\sigma^2}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} e^{-\frac{\sum_{i=2}^n Y_i^2 + (Y_1 - \sqrt{n}\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}}$$
(2.2)

 $Y_2, \cdots, Y_n \sim N(0, \sigma^2), Y_1 \sim N(\sqrt{n\mu}, \sigma^2)$ From the result of Problem 1.a we know that:

$$(n-1)S^{2} = \sum_{i=1}^{n} X_{i}^{2} - n\bar{X}^{2}$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{n} X_{i}^{2} - (\sqrt{n}\bar{X})^{2}$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{n} Y_{i}^{2} - Y_{1}^{2}$$

$$= \sum_{n=2}^{n} Y_{i}^{2}$$

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(2.3)

Thus:

$$\frac{(n-1)S^2}{\sigma^2} \stackrel{d}{=} \chi^2_{n-1} \tag{2.4}$$