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考試科目： 通信數學

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1. (30%) The jointly continuous random variables  $X$  and  $Y$  have a joint probability density function (pdf) that is uniform over the triangle with vertices at  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(0, 2)$ , and  $(2, 0)$ . Answer the following questions.
  - (a) Find the marginal pdf of  $X$ .
  - (b) Find the conditional pdf of  $X$  given  $Y$ .
  - (c) What is the distribution of  $X$  when conditioned on a given  $Y = y$  (with  $0 < y < 2$ ).
  - (d) Find  $P(0.5 \leq X \leq 2|Y = 0.5)$ .
  - (e) Find the conditional expectation  $E[X|Y = y]$  where  $0 < y < 2$ .
  - (f) Find the expectation  $E[X]$ .

2. (10%) The pair of jointly distributed random variables  $(X, Y)$  takes on the values  $(1, 1)$ ,  $(1, -1)$ ,  $(-1, -1)$ , and  $(-1, 1)$ , each with probability  $1/4$ . Determine if  $X$  and  $Y$  are uncorrelated. Are  $X$  and  $Y$  independent? Justify your answers.

3. (10%) Let  $a$  and  $b$  be real numbers. For jointly distributed random variables  $X$  and  $Y$ , prove that

$$\text{Var}(aX + bY) = a^2\text{Var}(X) + b^2\text{Var}(Y) + 2ab\text{Cov}(X, Y)$$

where  $\text{Var}(X)$  and  $\text{Var}(Y)$  denote, respectively, the variance of  $X$  and that of  $Y$ , and  $\text{Cov}(X, Y)$  denotes the covariance of  $X$  and  $Y$ .

Note: The statement is a general result that is valid to both discrete and continuous random variables.

4. (25%) Mark each of the following statements True (T) or False (F). (Need not to give reasons.)
  - (a) For a  $n \times n$  matrix  $A$ , if all the eigenvalues of  $A$  are non-zero, then the rank of  $A$  is  $n$ .
  - (b) For a square matrix  $A$ , if all the eigenvalues of  $A$  are zero, then the rank of  $A$  is 0.
  - (c) If both  $A$  and  $B$  are invertible  $n \times n$  matrices, then  $A + B$  is also an invertible matrix.
  - (d) Let  $T$  be a linear transformation from the vector space  $V$  to the vector space  $W$ . Then  $cT$  is also a linear transformation from  $V$  to  $W$ , where  $c$  is a constant scalar.
  - (e) Suppose that  $A$  and  $B$  are two  $n \times n$  matrices. The matrix  $AB$  is invertible if and only if both  $A$  and  $B$  are invertible.
5. (10%) Suppose that a matrix  $A$  satisfies  $A^2 = A$ . Show the eigenvalues of  $A$  are either 1 or 0.
6. (15%) Suppose that we want to define an inner product in  $\mathbb{C}^n$  as

$$\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = \mathbf{y}^H \mathbf{A} \mathbf{x}, \quad \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{C}^n,$$

where  $\mathbf{y}^H = (\mathbf{y}^T)^*$  is the conjugate of  $\mathbf{y}^T$ . Explain why  $A$  must be positive-definite. ( $\mathbb{C}$  denotes the set of all complex numbers.)