

國立中央大學103學年度碩士班考試入學試題卷

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1. Consider a random variable X with p.d.f. $f(x) = \frac{1}{4}e^{-(x-1.5)/4}$, $1.5 \leq x < \infty$. Find

the mean $\mu = E(X)$? (5%)

2. A continuous random variable X has p.d.f. given by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} k(1-x)x^2 & , \text{ if } 0 < x < 1 \\ 0 & , \text{ o.w.} \end{cases}$$

(a) Find the constant k (5%)

(b) Find $f(x|x > 0.5)$ (5%)

(c) Find $E(X|X > 0.5)$ (5%)

3. If the joint density function of two random variables x and y is given by

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} 2(x+2y)/5 & , \text{ for } 0 < x < 1, 0 < y < 1 \\ 0 & , \text{ o.w.} \end{cases}$$

Find the conditional mean and the conditional variance of x given $y=0.5$ (5%)

4. 設二維隨機變數 (X, Y) 為在 $0 < x < 1, 0 < y < 1$ 內之均勻分配，試問：

(a) X 的邊際分配(marginal distribution)為何? (5%)

(b) 令 $W = \max(X, Y)$ ，則 W 之機率密度函數(p.d.f.)為何? (5%)

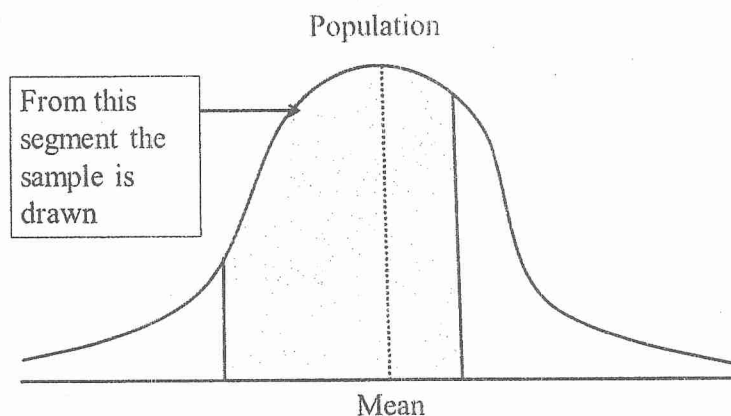
(c) 令 $Z = \min(X, Y)$ ，則 Z 之機率密度函數為何? (5%)

5. 設任一試驗均有三種可能結果之一出現，分別為 A, B, C ，其出現之機率為 $p^2, p(1-p), 1-p$ ，今若獨立觀察 n 次此種試驗，則

(a) 求此試驗結果出現之機率分配 (5%)

(b) 試求參數 p 之最大概似估計式 (5%)

6. Suppose we are to conduct statistical inference with a given sample. However, the observations in this sample are actually not randomly distributed across the population. All the observations in this sample are drawn from a particular segment of the population, which is illustrated as the shaded area in the following graph:



In this case, when we use the t-statistics calculated from the observations in this sample to test the null hypothesis that population mean equals zero, is it type I or type II error that we are likely to commit, and why? (6%)

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7. Suppose the p.d.f. of a random variable x is $f(x)=1/c$, where $0 < x < c$. We are to test the null hypothesis $H_0: c=2$ versus the alternative hypothesis $H_1: c=3$. If we draw an observation of x and reject H_0 if the drawn $x > 3/5$, then:
- (a) What is the probability of committing type I error? (6%)
 - (b) What is the probability of committing type II error? (6%)
8. A sample of 25 daily returns for a stock has sample mean $\bar{x}=0.03$. In the two following situations perform the test examining if the population mean of returns is zero at $\alpha\%$ level of significance.
- (a) The population variance is 0.009. (Be sure to specify the distribution which your statistics follows.) (5%)
 - (b) The population variance is not known and the sample variance is 0.0105. (Be sure to specify the distribution which your statistics follows.) (5%)

9. Suppose we stand at time $t=0$ and consider the following model for the time-series dynamics of Y_t , $t=1,2$:

$$Y_1 = \beta Y_0 + u_1,$$
$$Y_2 = \beta Y_1 + u_2,$$

where the subscript represents time. Residual terms u_t satisfy

$$E(u_t) = 0 \text{ for } t=1,2,$$
$$E(u_t^2) = \sigma^2 \text{ for } t=1,2,$$
$$E(u_1 u_2) = \sigma_{12} \neq 0.$$

Y_0 is a known number at time $t=0$. Find $\text{Cov}(Y_1, Y_2)$. (5%)

10. Suppose $Y_t = \alpha + \beta X_t + \varepsilon_t$. Determine whether the least-squares estimate of β is unbiased in the two following situations:
- (a) ε_t is unconditional on X_t and $E(\varepsilon_t) = \gamma$. (6%)
 - (b) ε_t is conditional on X_t and $E(\varepsilon_t) = \gamma X_t$. (6%)

11. Suppose a sequence of weekly returns $\{r_t\}$ is distributed with mean 0 and variance σ^2 and there exists correlations between $\{r_t\}$. Define two-week returns as $r^{(2)}_t = r_t + r_{t-1}$ and a variance ratio $VR = \frac{\text{Var}(r^{(2)}_t)}{2\text{Var}(r_t)}$. Show $VR = 1 + \rho$, where ρ is the correlation between r_t and r_{t-1} . (5%)

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