

※ 考生請注意：本試題不可使用計算機。請於答案卷(卡)作答，於本試題紙上作答者，不予計分。

1. True or False (2% × 15 = 30%)

(For the following statements, please answer T if it is true and F otherwise.)

1. Let X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n be an i.i.d. sample drawn from a population with density function $f(x; \theta)$.

Furthermore, let $T_n = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$, $\bar{X}_n = T_n/n$, be the summation and mean of X_i 's, respectively, and $S_n^2 =$

$\frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X}_n)^2$ be the sample variance, please answer the following questions:

i. If the population is a normal one with unknown $\theta = (\mu, \sigma^2)$, then \bar{X}_n is a sufficient statistic for μ .

ii. If the population is a binomial one, then \bar{X}_n is a binomial random variable.

iii. If $M(t)$ is the moment generating function of X_i , then the MGF of \bar{X}_n is $M(\frac{t}{n})^n$.

iv. (X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n) is a sufficient statistic for θ .

v. If this population follows a Gamma distribution, then so does \bar{X}_n .

vi. $E(X_i^2 X_j^2) = E(X_i^2)E(X_j^2)$ for all i, j .

vii. If this population is a normal one then \bar{X}_n and S_n^2 are independent, otherwise they are asymptotically independent.

viii. \bar{X}_n is always an unbiased estimator of the population mean regardless of the population distribution.

ix. If the population follows a standard normal distribution, $E(X_i/X_j) = 0$ for all i, j .

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2. If $X_n \xrightarrow{d} X$ and $Y_n \xrightarrow{d} Y$, then $(X_n, Y_n) \xrightarrow{d} (X, Y)$.

3. UMVUE does not necessarily exist, but there has to be an efficient estimator.

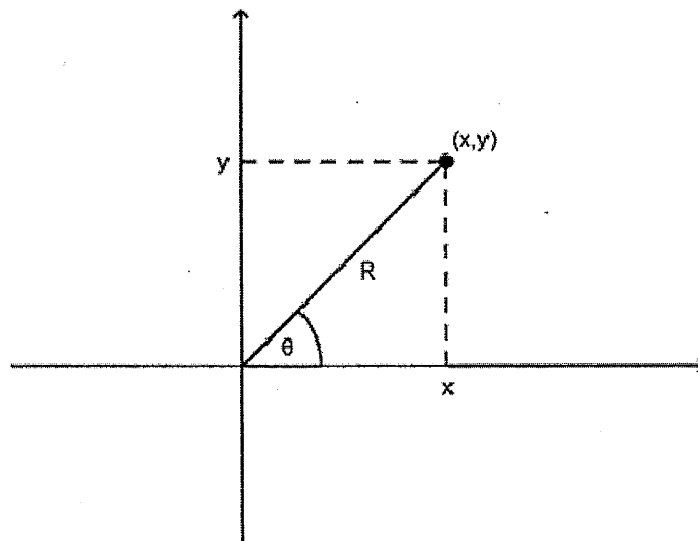
4. Both of binomial and negative binomial distributions can converge to a Poisson distribution.

5. If X is a non-negative random variable, then $E(X) = 0$ only if X is degenerate at 0.

6. The conditional variance is always less or equal to the unconditional variance.

2. Problems (70%)

1. (15%) Please prove $P(\emptyset)=0$ based on the Kolmogorov's Axioms of probability. For any result other than the probability axioms you used in the proof, you will have to prove it as well.
2. (15%) Let (X,Y) be a random vector and (R, θ) be the corresponding coordinate of (X,Y) on the polar coordinates as shown in the figure below, where $R \geq 0, -\pi \leq \theta \leq \pi$. Suppose that (X,Y) is uniformly distributed on a unit disc with radius one centered at the original point $(0,0)$, that is, the range of (X,Y) is $S_{X,Y}=\{(x,y) | x^2+y^2 \leq 1\}$. Please determine the distribution of (R, θ) and find the correlation coefficient between R and θ .



3. (20%) Suppose that we observe a random sample X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n from a uniform distribution on the interval $(0, \theta)$, please find
 - i. (10%) The MLE of θ .
 - ii. (10%) The best unbiased estimator (UMVUE) of θ .
4. (20%) Suppose that X is a discrete random variable taking values 1,2,3, and 4. The density function of X is $f(x;\theta)$, and θ takes values -1,0, and 1. The density of X is given in the table below:

x	1	2	3	4
$f(x;-1)$	0.53	0.30	0.00	0.17
$f(x;0)$	0.60	0.20	0.10	0.10
$f(x;1)$	0.60	0.22	0.18	0.00

Please answer the following questions:

i. (10 %) Find the size-0.2 Likelihood Ratio Test (LRT) for testing

$$H_0: \theta = 0$$

versus

$$H_a: \theta \neq 0$$

ii. (5 %) Please comment on the test you derive in i. in terms of the power function.

iii. (5 %) Can you find a test which is more powerful/reasonable than the test you derive in i.?