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科目：機率論(4082)

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【不可使用計算機】\*作答前請先核對試題、答案卷(試卷)與准考證之所組別與考科是否相符!!

1. Assume that the height of men in Taiwan is normally distributed with mean 65 inches and standard deviation 2 inches. The height of women is also normal, with mean 63 inches and standard deviation 1.5 inches. One man and one woman are selected at random. Let  $p$  be the probability that the woman selected is taller than the man selected.
  - (a) (10%) Write  $p$  as a double integral.
  - (b) (10%) Write  $p$  in terms of  $\Phi$ , the cumulative distribution function of standard normal.
2. Suppose you buy 25 batteries and use them one at a time and replace the old one with a new one immediately when the old one failed. Assume that the life times of these batteries are random variables with mean 2 weeks and standard deviation 3 days.
  - (a) (12%) What is the (approximate) probability that the batch of batteries will last more than a year?
  - (b) (8%) What theorem and assumptions were you used to answer (a)?
3. Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be i.i.d. Bernoulli trials with  $p$  the probability of success.
  - (a) (5%) Find  $P(X_1 = 1 \mid \sum_{i=1}^n X_i = r)$ .
  - (b) (15%) Find  $Cov(X_i, X_j \mid \sum_{m=1}^n X_m = r)$  for  $i \neq j$ .
4. (20%) Let  $X$  be a *Gamma* ( $\alpha, \beta$ ) random variable where  $\alpha$  is a positive integer. For any positive  $x$ , let  $Y$  be a *Poisson* ( $x / \beta$ ) random variable. Show that  $P(X \leq x) = P(Y \geq \alpha)$ .
5. (20%) Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots$  be i.i.d. *uniform* (0, 1) random variables and let  $X_{(n)} = \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} X_i$ . Find the limiting distribution of  $n(1 - X_{(n)})$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .