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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. (20 points) How can 20 balls, 10 white and 10 black, be put into two urns so as to maximize the probability of drawing a white ball if an urn is selected at random and a ball is drawn at random from it?
- 2. (20 points) A coin that when flipped comes up head with probability p is flipped until either heads or tails has occurred twice. Find the expected number of flips.
- 3. (20 points) For some constants b and c, the random variable X with EX = VarX has probability density function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} cx^4 & 0 < x < b \\ 0 & otherwise \end{cases}$$

Find b and c.

4. The joint density function of X and Y is given by

$$f(x, y) = C(y - x)e^{-y}$$
 $-y < x < y, 0 < y < \infty$

- (a) (4 points) Find C.
- (b) (4 points) Find the density function of X.
- (c) (4 points) Find the density function of Y.
- (d) (4 points) Find EX.
- (e) (4 points) Find EY.
- 5. Suppose that X_i are independent Poisson random variables with respective

means λ_i , i = 1,2,3. Let $X = X_1 + X_2$ and $Y = X_2 + X_3$. The random vector

- (X, Y) is said to have a bivariate Poisson distribution.
- (a) (10 points) Find Cov(X, Y).
- (b) (10 points) Find the joint probability mass function P(X = i, Y = j).