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. $f(x) = \frac{1}{4}e^{-(x-1.5)/4}$, $1.5 \le x < \infty$. Find the mean $\mu = E(X)$? (5%)
- 2. A continuous random variable X has p.d.f. given by

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

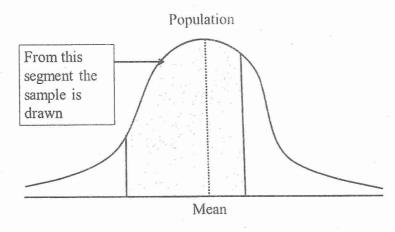
- (a) Find the constant k (5%)
- (b) Find f(x | x > 0.5) (5%)
- (c) Find E(X | X > 0.5) (5%)
- 3. If the joint density function of two random variables x and y is given by

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

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 p², 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:





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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 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 for t =1,2,
E(u_t)= σ^2 for t =1,2,
E(u_1u_2)= σ_{12} ≠0.

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

- 10. Suppose $Y_i = \alpha + \beta X_i + \varepsilon_i$. Determine whether the least-squares estimate of β is unbiased in the two following situations:
 - (a) ε_i is unconditional on X_i and $E(\varepsilon_i) = \gamma$. (6%)
 - (b) ε_i is conditional on X_i and $E(\varepsilon_i) = \gamma X_i$. (6%)
- 11. Suppose a sequence of weekly returns $\{r_t\}$ is distributed with mean θ 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 $VR = \frac{Var(r(2)_t)}{2Var(r_t)}$. Show $VR = I + \rho$, where ρ is the correlation between r_t and r_{t-1} . (5%)

