

continue last ex. . . .

d.) find $E[Y]$.

Solu

$$E[Y] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} y \cdot f_Y(y) dy$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} y \cdot \frac{1}{2} \int_1^3 \frac{e^{-|y-x|^2/2}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dx dy$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int_1^3 \left(\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} y \frac{e^{-|y-x|^2/2}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dy \right) dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int_1^3 x dx = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} x^2 \Big|_1^3 = \boxed{2}.$$

4.1 Derived Distributions

If $Y = g(X)$ how can we compute PDF of $Y : f_Y(y)$ from the PDF of $X : f_X(x)$

The 2-step Process:

① find the CDF $F_Y(y)$

$$F_Y(y) = P(g(X) \leq y)$$

$$= \int f_X(x) dx$$

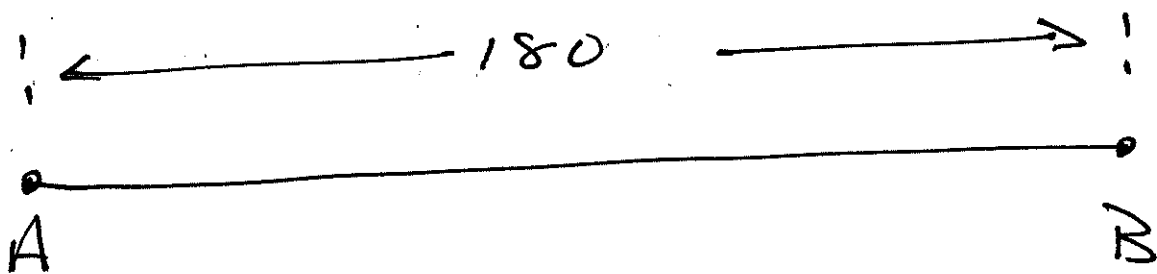
$$\{x | g(x) \leq y\}$$

② Differentiate

$$f_Y(y) = \frac{d}{dy} F_Y(y)$$

Ex

A car travels distance 180 mi.
at a const. rate R , where R
is a r.v. uniform on $[30, 60]$.



Let T be the time of
travel. find $f_T(t)$.

Solufrom $180 = R \cdot T$, we get

$$T = \frac{180}{R}$$

$$(1) F_T(t) = P(T \leq t)$$

$$= P\left(\frac{180}{R} \leq t\right)$$

$$= P\left(\frac{180}{t} \leq R\right)$$

$$= P\left(R \geq \frac{180}{t}\right)$$

$$= 1 - P\left(R < \frac{180}{t}\right)$$

$$= 1 - F_R\left(\frac{180}{t}\right)$$

② diff. w.r.t. t :

$$f_T(t) = -f_R\left(\frac{180}{t}\right) \cdot \left(-\frac{180}{t^2}\right)$$

We are given

$$f_R(r) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{30} & 30 \leq r \leq 60 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

so

$$f_T(t) = \begin{cases} -\frac{1}{30} \cdot \left(-\frac{180}{t^2}\right) & \text{if } 30 \leq \frac{180}{t} \leq 60 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} \frac{6}{t^2} & \text{if } \frac{1}{60} \leq \frac{t}{180} \leq \frac{1}{30} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

hence

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$$f_T(t) = \begin{cases} \frac{6}{t^2} & \text{if } 3 \leq t \leq 6 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

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If $Y = aX + b$, we have

$$f_Y(y) = \frac{1}{|a|} f_X\left(\frac{y-b}{a}\right) \quad (a \neq 0)$$

Proof

$$\textcircled{1} F_Y(y) = P(Y \leq y)$$

$$= P(aX + b \leq y)$$

$$= \begin{cases} P(X \leq \frac{y-b}{a}) & \text{if } a > 0 \\ P(X \geq \frac{y-b}{a}) & \text{if } a < 0 \end{cases}$$

□

$$= \begin{cases} P(X \leq \frac{y-b}{a}) & \text{if } a > 0 \\ 1 - P(X < \frac{y-b}{a}) & \text{if } a < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} F_X(\frac{y-b}{a}) & a > 0 \\ 1 - F_X(\frac{y-b}{a}) & a < 0 \end{cases}$$

Thus by differentiating:

$$\textcircled{2} \quad f_Y(y) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{a} f_X(\frac{y-b}{a}) & a > 0 \\ -\frac{1}{a} f_X(\frac{y-b}{a}) & a < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore f_Y(y) = \frac{1}{|a|} f_X(\frac{y-b}{a})$$



Ex.

Let X be normal, mean = μ and
variance = σ^2 . Then

$$Y = aX + b$$

is also normal with mean = $a\mu + b$
and variance = $a^2\sigma^2$

Proof

We know

$$f_X(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \cdot e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}}$$

Thus

$$f_Y(y) = \frac{1}{|a|} \cdot f_X\left(\frac{y-b}{a}\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \cdot |a|\sigma} \cdot e^{-\left(\frac{y-b}{a} - u\right)^2 / 2\sigma^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} |a|\sigma} \cdot e^{-\left(y-b-au\right)^2 / 2a^2\sigma^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \cdot |a|\sigma} \cdot e^{-\left(y-(au+b)\right)^2 / 2(a\sigma)^2}$$



Defn

$g: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is strictly monotonic iff

(1) $x_1 < x_2 \implies g(x_1) < g(x_2)$ (increasing)

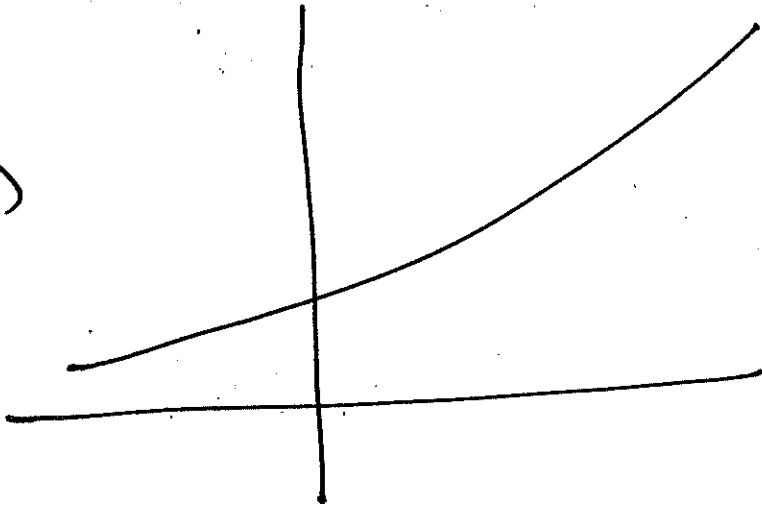
or

(2) $x_1 < x_2 \implies g(x_1) > g(x_2)$ (decreasing)

for all $x_1, x_2 \in \mathbb{R}$.

such functions are bijective

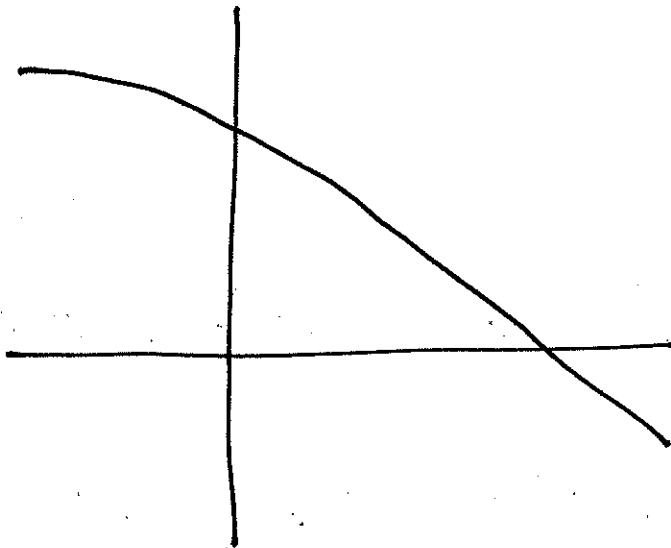
(1)



g^{-1} exists

increasing

(2)



g^{-1} exists.

decreasing

Let $h = g^{-1}$, i.e.

$$h(g(x)) = x \quad \text{for } x \in \mathbb{R}$$

and

$$g(h(y)) = y \quad \text{for } y \in \mathbb{R}$$

exercise

(1) $\Rightarrow h = g^{-1}$ is increasing

and

(2) $\Rightarrow h = g^{-1}$ is decreasing

If g is differentiable, so is h , and

$$(1) \Leftrightarrow g' > 0 \Leftrightarrow h' > 0$$

and

$$(2) \Leftrightarrow g' < 0 \Leftrightarrow h' < 0$$

Theorem

Let $Y = g(X)$, where g is strictly monotonic. Then

$$f_Y(y) = f_X(h(y)) \cdot |h'(y)|.$$

Proof

Suppose g is strictly increasing, so h is increasing. Then

$$\begin{aligned} F_Y(y) &= P(Y \leq y) \\ &= P(g(X) \leq y) \\ &= P(X \leq h(y)) \\ &= F_X(h(y)) \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore f_Y(y) = f_X(h(y)) \cdot h'(y)$$

$$= f_X(h(y)) \cdot |h'(y)| \quad \text{since } h' > 0.$$

exercise: do the case where g is decreasing. ▣

Ex.

Suppose $Y = X^2$ where X is a cont. r.v. with $\text{range}(X) \subseteq [0, \infty)$.

Then also

$$\text{range}(Y) \subseteq [0, \infty)$$

note $g(x) = x^2$ is strictly increasing on $[0, \infty)$, and so is its inverse

$$h(y) = \sqrt{y} \quad \text{thus}$$

$$f_Y(y) = f_X(\sqrt{y}) \cdot \frac{1}{2\sqrt{y}} \quad (y \geq 0)$$

Two random variables: $Z = g(X, Y)$

Ex.

let X, Y be independent, uniform r.v. on $[0, 1]$. Thus

$$f_X(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

and

$$F_X(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x < 0 \\ x & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ 1 & x > 1 \end{cases}$$

and likewise for Y . Define
a r.v. Z by

$$Z = \max(X, Y)$$

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Then for $0 \leq z \leq 1$ we have

$$F_Z(z) = P(Z \leq z)$$

$$= P(\max(X, Y) \leq z)$$

$$= P(X \leq z, Y \leq z)$$

$$= P(X \leq z) \cdot P(Y \leq z) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{by} \\ \text{ind.} \end{array} \right.$$

$$= F_X(z) \cdot F_Y(z)$$

$$= z^2$$

$$\therefore f_Z(z) = \begin{cases} 2z & 0 \leq z \leq 1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Exercise

Let X be cont. unit. on $[a, b]$
and Y cont. unit. on $[c, d]$.

Find PDF of

$$Z = \max(X, Y) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{assume} \\ X, Y \text{ are} \\ \text{independent} \end{array} \right.$$

note: if $b < c$, then $Z = Y$, or

if $d < a$, then $Z = X$. $\Rightarrow$

assume both $b \geq c$ and $d \geq a$,

so $[a, b] \cap [c, d] \neq \emptyset$.

Sum and convolutions

Goal: find PDF (or PMF)

of

$$Z = X + Y$$

in terms of PDFs (or PMFs)
of X and Y .