

3 If f is a probability density function, then $f(x) \geq 0 \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\text{When } f(x) = \begin{cases} c(2x-x^3), & 0 < x < \frac{5}{2} \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}, \quad \therefore f\left(\frac{5}{2}\right) = c\left(5 - \frac{1}{8} \cdot 125\right) = -\frac{85}{8} \cdot c \text{ and } f(1) = c$$

$$\text{then } -\frac{25}{8}c \geq 0 \text{ and } c \geq 0 \quad \therefore c = 0$$

then $f(x) = 0, x \in \mathbb{R}$, this is not reasonable. so $f(x) = \begin{cases} c(2x-x^3), & 0 < x < \frac{5}{2} \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$

$$\text{For } f(x) = \begin{cases} c(2x-x^2) & 0 < x < \frac{5}{2} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases} \quad f\left(\frac{5}{2}\right) = -\frac{5}{4}c \geq 0, \quad f(1) = c \geq 0 \quad \therefore c = 0$$

But $f(x) = 0$ is not reasonable, so $f(x) = \begin{cases} c(2x-x^2), & 0 < x < \frac{5}{2} \\ 0, & \text{o.w.} \end{cases}$

is not a probability density.

11. If $x > \frac{L}{2}$, then the ratio of the shorter to the longer is $\frac{L-x}{x}$ and $\frac{L-x}{x} < 1, \frac{x}{L-x} > 1$

If $x \leq \frac{L}{2}$, then the ratio of the shorter to the longer is $\frac{x}{L-x}$ and $\frac{x}{L-x} < 1$

so the ratio of the shorter to the longer is $\min\left(\frac{L-x}{x}, \frac{x}{L-x}\right)$.

$$\text{the } p\left(\min\left(\frac{L-x}{x}, \frac{x}{L-x}\right) < \frac{1}{4}\right) = 1 - p\left(\min\left(\frac{L-x}{x}, \frac{x}{L-x}\right) > \frac{1}{4}\right) = 1 - p\left(\frac{L-x}{x} > \frac{1}{4}, \frac{x}{L-x} > \frac{1}{4}\right)$$

$$= 1 - p\left(x > 4L/5, x < 4L/5\right) = 1 - p\left(\frac{L}{5} < x < \frac{4L}{5}\right) = 1 - \int_{\frac{L}{5}}^{\frac{4L}{5}} \frac{1}{L} dx = 1 - \frac{3}{5} = \frac{2}{5}$$

13 Let x denote the time you will have to wait and $x \sim U(0, 30)$

$$\text{a) so } p(x > 10) = \int_{10}^{30} \frac{1}{30} dx = \frac{2}{3}$$

b) $p(\text{you will have to wait an additional 10 minutes} \mid \text{at 10:15 the bus has not yet arrived})$

$$= p(x > 25 \mid x > 15) = \frac{p(x > 25)}{p(x > 15)} = \frac{\int_{25}^{30} \frac{1}{30} dx}{\int_{15}^{30} \frac{1}{30} dx} = \frac{\frac{5}{30}}{\frac{15}{30}} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\text{31. a) } E(|x-a|) = \int_0^A |x-a| \frac{1}{A} dx = \int_a^A (x-a) \frac{1}{A} dx + \int_0^a (a-x) \frac{1}{A} dx = \frac{1}{A} \cdot \frac{(x-a)^2}{2} \Big|_a^A + \frac{1}{A} \cdot \frac{(x-a)^2}{2} \Big|_0^a$$

$$= \frac{(A-a)^2}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{A} + \frac{1}{A} \cdot \frac{a^2}{2}$$

$$\frac{dE(|x-a|)}{da} = \frac{1}{2A} \cdot 2(A-a)(-1) + \frac{1}{2A} \cdot 2a = 0 \Rightarrow a = \frac{A}{2} \text{ to minimize } E(|x-a|)$$

$$\text{b) } E(|x-a|) = \int_0^{\infty} |x-a| \lambda e^{-\lambda x} dx = \int_0^a (a-x) \lambda e^{-\lambda x} dx + \int_a^{\infty} (x-a) \lambda e^{-\lambda x} dx$$

$$= a\lambda \int_0^a e^{-\lambda x} dx - \int_0^a \lambda x e^{-\lambda x} dx + \int_a^{\infty} \lambda x e^{-\lambda x} dx - a \int_a^{\infty} \lambda e^{-\lambda x} dx$$

$$= a\lambda \cdot \frac{e^{-\lambda x}}{-\lambda} \Big|_0^a - \lambda x \cdot \frac{e^{-\lambda x}}{-\lambda} \Big|_0^a + \int_0^a \frac{e^{-\lambda x}}{-\lambda} \cdot \lambda dx + \lambda x \cdot \frac{e^{-\lambda x}}{-\lambda} \Big|_a^{\infty} - \int_a^{\infty} \lambda \frac{e^{-\lambda x}}{-\lambda} dx - a\lambda \cdot \frac{e^{-\lambda x}}{-\lambda} \Big|_a^{\infty}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= -ae^{-\lambda a} + a + ae^{-\lambda a} - a - \frac{e^{-\lambda x}}{-\lambda} \Big|_0^a + ae^{-\lambda a} + \frac{e^{-\lambda x}}{-\lambda} \Big|_a^{\infty} - ae^{-\lambda a} \\
 &= \frac{e^{-\lambda a}}{\lambda} - \frac{1}{\lambda} + \frac{e^{-\lambda a}}{\lambda} = \frac{2}{\lambda} e^{-\lambda a} - \frac{1}{\lambda} = 0 \quad \therefore e^{-\lambda a} = \frac{1}{2} \quad a = \frac{\log 2}{\lambda} \text{ to minimize } E(|X-a|).
 \end{aligned}$$

34 Let X denote the distance ^{the car} ~~she~~ can drive, (in thousands of miles)

a) $X \sim \exp(\frac{1}{20})$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(\text{She could get at least 20,000 miles} \mid \text{have been driven 10,000 miles}) &= P(X > 30 \mid X > 10) \\
 &= \frac{\frac{1}{20} e^{-\frac{1}{20} \cdot 30}}{\frac{1}{20} e^{-\frac{1}{20} \cdot 10}} = e^{-1}
 \end{aligned}$$

b) $X \sim U(0, 40)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(\text{She could get at least 20,000 miles} \mid \text{have been driven 10,000 miles}) &= P(X > 30 \mid X > 10) \\
 &= \frac{P(X > 30)}{P(X > 10)} = \frac{\int_{30}^{40} \frac{1}{40} dx}{\int_{10}^{40} \frac{1}{40} dx} = \frac{1}{3}
 \end{aligned}$$

36 the lifetime X has exponential distribution with parameter $\lambda(t) = t^3, t > 0$

then $F(x) = P(X \leq x) = 1 - e^{-\lambda(t)x} = 1 - e^{-\int_0^x t^3 dt} = 1 - e^{-\frac{1}{4}x^4}$

a) $P(X \geq 2) = 1 - P(X \leq 2) = e^{-\int_0^2 t^3 dt} = e^{-4}$

b) $P(\text{life time is between .4 and 1.4}) = F(1.4) - F(.4) = e^{-\int_0^{1.4} t^3 dt} - e^{-\int_0^{.4} t^3 dt}$

c) $P(X \geq 2 \mid X \geq 1) = \frac{P(X \geq 2)}{P(X \geq 1)} = \frac{e^{-\int_0^2 t^3 dt}}{e^{-\int_0^1 t^3 dt}} = e^{-\frac{15}{4}}$

38 For both roots to be real the discriminant $(4Y)^2 - 16(Y+2)$ must be ≥ 0

and $(4Y)^2 - 16(Y+2) = 16(Y^2 - Y - 2) \geq 0 \Rightarrow Y \geq 2$ and $Y \leq -1$ and $Y \sim U(0, 5)$.

so Y should be greater than 0 $\therefore Y \geq 2$ so the probability is $P(Y \geq 2) = \int_2^5 \frac{1}{5} dY = \frac{3}{5}$

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$$\int_0^{\infty} P(Y < -y) dy = \int_0^{\infty} \int_{-b_0}^{-y} f_Y(x) dx dy = \int_{-\infty}^0 \int_0^{-x} f_Y(x) dy dx = \int_{-\infty}^0 -x f_Y(x) dx.$$

$$\int_0^{\infty} P(Y > y) dy = \int_0^{\infty} \int_y^{\infty} f_Y(x) dx dy = \int_0^{\infty} \int_0^x f_Y(x) dx dy = \int_0^{\infty} x f_Y(x) dx$$

$$\therefore E(Y) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x f_Y(x) dx = \int_0^{\infty} x f_Y(x) dx - \int_{-\infty}^0 -x f_Y(x) dx = \int_0^{\infty} P(Y > y) dy - \int_0^{\infty} P(Y < -y) dy$$

3. Use problem 2, $E[g(x)] = \int_0^{\infty} P(g(x) > y) dy - \int_0^{\infty} P(g(x) < -y) dy$

$$\int_0^{\infty} P(g(x) > y) dy = \int_0^{\infty} \int_{\{x: g(x) > y\}} f(x) dx dy = \int_{\{x: g(x) > 0\}} \int_0^{g(x)} f(x) dy dx = \int_{\{x: g(x) > 0\}} f(x) g(x) dx$$

$$\int_0^{\infty} P(g(x) < -y) dy = \int_0^{\infty} \int_{\{x: g(x) < -y\}} f(x) dx dy = \int_{\{x: g(x) < 0\}} \int_0^{-g(x)} f(x) dy dx = - \int_{\{x: g(x) < 0\}} f(x) g(x) dx$$

$$\therefore E[g(x)] = \int_{\{x: g(x) > 0\}} f(x) g(x) dx + \int_{\{x: g(x) < 0\}} f(x) g(x) dx = \int_{\mathbb{R}} f(x) g(x) dx.$$

5. $E[X^n] = \int_0^{\infty} P(X^n > t) dt$ Let $t = x^n$ then $E[X^n] = \int_0^{\infty} P(X^n > x^n) dx^n = \int_0^{\infty} n x^{n-1} P(X^n > x^n) dx$

Now we need to do is to prove that $X^n > x^n \iff X > x$. Since $X^n - x^n = (X-x) \cdot \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} X^{n-i} x^i$

and X, x both positive, so $\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} X^{n-i} x^i > 0$ so $X^n - x^n > 0 \iff X - x > 0$

$$\text{so } E[X^n] = \int_0^{\infty} n x^{n-1} P(X > x) dx.$$

6. $E_a = (0, 1) \setminus \{a\}$ interval $(0, 1)$ exclude one point $\{a\}$, $0 < a < 1$ and X be uniform over $(0, 1)$

$$\text{so } P(E_a) = \int_0^a 1 dx + \int_a^1 1 dx = a + 1 - a = 1 \text{ for all } a$$

$$P(\bigcap_a E_a) = 1 - P(\bigcup_a E_a^c) = 1 - P(\bigcup_a \{a\}) = 1 - P(0, 1) = 1 - 1 = 0$$

so the collection of events E_a have the property that $P(E_a) = 1$, $P(\bigcap_a E_a) = 0$

8. First $E[X^2] \leq C E[X]$ because $E[X^2] = \int_{\mathbb{R}_0} x^2 f(x) dx \leq \int_0^c C x f(x) dx = C E[X]$ ($X \leq c$)

then $\text{Var}(X) = E[X^2] - [E[X]]^2 \leq C E[X] - [E[X]]^2$ if we let $\alpha = \frac{E[X]}{C}$

then $\text{Var}(X) \leq C^2 \alpha - (\alpha C)^2 = C^2 \alpha (1 - \alpha)$

and $C^2 \alpha (1 - \alpha)$ have maximum value $\frac{C^2}{4}$ because $\frac{d[C^2 \alpha (1 - \alpha)]}{d\alpha} = C^2 [1 - 2\alpha] = 0 \therefore \alpha = \frac{1}{2}$

then $C^2 \alpha (1 - \alpha) = \frac{C^2}{4}$ so $\text{Var}(X) \leq C^2 \alpha (1 - \alpha) \leq \frac{C^2}{4}$

24. Suppose X is Weibull with parameters v, α, β . Then $F(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x \leq v \\ 1 - \exp\{-\frac{(x-v)^\beta}{\alpha}\} & x > v \end{cases}$

$$\text{then } P(Y < x) = P(\frac{(X-v)^\beta}{\alpha} \leq x) = P(\frac{X-v}{\alpha} \leq x^{\frac{1}{\beta}}) = P(X \leq \alpha x^{\frac{1}{\beta}} + v) = F(\alpha x^{\frac{1}{\beta}} + v)$$

$$= 1 - \exp\{-\frac{(\alpha x^{\frac{1}{\beta}} + v - v)^\beta}{\alpha}\} = 1 - \exp\{-x\}.$$

then Y is an exponential random variable with parameter $\lambda = 1$.

$$28 \quad p(Y \leq z) = p(F(X) \leq z) = p(X \leq F^{-1}(z)) = F(F^{-1}(z)) = z.$$

$$f_Y(z) = \frac{d}{dz} p(Y \leq z) = 1 \quad \text{and because } 0 \leq F(x) \leq 1, \text{ so } 0 \leq Y \leq 1$$

this means that Y is uniformly distributed over $(0,1)$.

29. There are two cases: (i) $\alpha > 0$ (ii) $\alpha < 0$ if $\alpha = 0$, $Y = b$ with probability 1

$$(i) \quad \alpha > 0 \quad p(Y \leq z) = p(aX + b \leq z) = p(X \leq \frac{z-b}{a}) = F_X\left(\frac{z-b}{a}\right)$$

$$f_Y(z) = F_X'\left(\frac{z-b}{a}\right) \cdot \left(\frac{z-b}{a}\right)' = f_X\left(\frac{z-b}{a}\right) \cdot \frac{1}{a}$$

$$(ii) \quad \alpha < 0 \quad p(Y \leq z) = p(aX + b \leq z) = p(X \geq \frac{z-b}{a}) = 1 - F_X\left(\frac{z-b}{a}\right)$$

$$f_Y(z) = -F_X'\left(\frac{z-b}{a}\right) \cdot \left(\frac{z-b}{a}\right)' = -\frac{1}{a} f_X\left(\frac{z-b}{a}\right)$$