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[Pentaabiran Statistik]

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Instructions: Answer **all four** [4] questions.

Arahan: Jawab **semua empat** [4] soalan.]

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[Sekiranya terdapat sebarang percanggahan pada soalan peperiksaan, versi Bahasa Inggeris hendaklah diguna pakai].

1. (a) Given that the distribution function $F_{X,Y}(x,y) = k(4x^2y^2 + 5xy^4)$, $0 < x < 1, 0 < y < 1$, find k and the corresponding probability density function and use it to calculate $P(0 < X < \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} < Y < 1)$. [30 marks]
- (b) Find the variance of Y if the moment generating function $M_Y(t) = e^{2t} / (1 - t^2)$. [20 marks]
- (c) If $f_{X,Y}(x,y) = 2, x \geq 0, y \geq 0, x + y \leq 1$ show that the conditional probability density function of Y given $X = x$ is from a uniform distribution. [20 marks]
- (d) Let $f(x,y) = e^{-x-y}, 0 < x < \infty, 0 < y < \infty$, zero elsewhere, be the probability density function of X and Y . Then if $Z = X + Y$, find $P(Z \leq z)$, for $0 < z < \infty$. What is the probability density function of Z ? [30 marks]

2. (a) Let X and Y have joint probability density function

$$f_{X,Y}(x,y) = \begin{cases} 10xy^2, & 0 < x < y < 1 \\ 0, & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

Suppose $A = X/Y$ and $B = Y$. Find the joint probability density function (A, B) and hence the marginal probability density of A and B .

[30 marks]

- (b) Let Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_n be a random sample from the exponential probability density function $f_Y(y) = e^{-y}, y > 0$. What is the smallest n for which $P(Y_{\min} < 0.2) > 0.9$?

[30 marks]

1. (a) Diberi bahawa fungsi taburan $F_{X,Y}(x,y) = k(4x^2y^2 + 5xy^4)$, $0 < x < 1, 0 < y < 1$, cari k dan fungsi ketumpatan kebarangkalian yang sepadan dan gunakannya untuk mengira $P(0 < X < \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} < Y < 1)$.
[30 markah]
- (b) Cari varians bagi Y jika fungsi penjana momen $M_Y(t) = e^{2t}/(1-t^2)$.
[20 markah]
- (c) Jika $f_{X,Y}(x,y) = 2, x \geq 0, y \geq 0, x+y \leq 1$ tunjukkan bahawa fungsi ketumpatan kebarangkalian bersyarat bagi Y diberi $X = x$ adalah dari taburan seragam.
[20 markah]
- (d) Biarkan $f(x,y) = e^{-x-y}, 0 < x < \infty, 0 < y < \infty$, sifar selainnya, adalah fungsi ketumpatan kebarangkalian bagi X dan Y . Kemudian jika $Z = X + Y$, cari $P(Z \leq z)$, untuk $0 < z < \infty$. Apakah fungsi ketumpatan kebarangkalian bagi Z ?
[30 markah]

2. (a) Biarkan X dan Y mempunyai fungsi ketumpatan kebarangkalian tercantum

$$f_{X,Y}(x,y) = \begin{cases} 10xy^2, & 0 < x < y < 1 \\ 0, & \text{di tempat lain} \end{cases}$$

Andaikan $A = X/Y$ dan $B = Y$. Cari fungsi ketumpatan kebarangkalian tercantum (A, B) dan seterusnya fungsi ketumpatan kebarangkalian sut bagi A dan B .

[30 markah]

- (b) Biarkan Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_n sebagai sampel rawak dari fungsi ketumpatan kebarangkalian eksponen $f_Y(y) = e^{-y}, y > 0$. Apakah nilai n yang terkecil bagi $P(Y_{\min} < 0.2) > 0.9$?

[30 markah]

- (c) If X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n are random samples from the distribution $N(\mu, 4\sigma^2)$, and \bar{X}_m is defined as $\bar{X}_m = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m X_i$, $m \leq n$,

Find the distribution of the following statistics:

- (i) $m\bar{X}_m - n\bar{X}_n$
 (ii) $(m-1)\bar{X}_m + (n-1)\bar{X}_n$
 (iii) $\frac{m(\bar{X}_m - \mu)^2}{4\sigma^2}$
 (iv) $\sum_{i=1}^m \frac{m(\bar{X}_m - \mu)^2}{4\sigma^2}$

[40 marks]

3. (a) Let X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n be a random sample of size n from the Poisson distribution $p_X(k; \lambda) = \frac{\lambda^k e^{-\lambda}}{k!}$, $k = 0, 1, 2, \dots$. Show that $\hat{\lambda} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$ is an efficient estimator for λ .

[30 marks]

- (b) Show that $\hat{\sigma}^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i^2$ is sufficient for σ^2 if Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_n is a random sample from a normal pdf with $\mu = 0$.

[20 marks]

- (c) Let Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_n be a random sample of size n from the pdf $f_Y(y; \theta) = \theta y^{\theta-1}$, $0 \leq y \leq 1$. Show that $W = \prod_{i=1}^n Y_i$ is a sufficient estimator for θ . Is the maximum likelihood estimator of θ a function of W ?

[30 marks]

- (d) If X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n is a random sample from the Bernoulli distribution (p), $0 < p < 1$ and \bar{X}_n is the sample mean, prove that $\bar{X}_n \xrightarrow{P} p$

[20 marks]

- (c) Jika X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n adalah sampel rawak daripada taburan $N(\mu, 4\sigma^2)$, dan \bar{X}_m adalah ditakrifkan sebagai $\bar{X}_m = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m X_i$, $m \leq n$,

Cari taburan bagi statistik berikut:

(i) $m\bar{X}_m - n\bar{X}_n$

(ii) $(m-1)\bar{X}_m + (n-1)\bar{X}_n$

(iii) $\frac{m(\bar{X}_m - \mu)^2}{4\sigma^2}$

(iv) $\sum_{i=1}^m \frac{m(\bar{X}_m - \mu)^2}{4\sigma^2}$

[40 markah]

3. (a) Biarkan X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n sebagai sampel rawak bersaiz n dari taburan Poisson $p_X(k; \lambda) = \frac{\lambda^k e^{-\lambda}}{k!}$, $k = 0, 1, 2, \dots$. Tunjukkan bahawa $\hat{\lambda} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$ adalah penganggar cekap bagi λ .

[30 markah]

- (b) Tunjukkan bahawa $\hat{\sigma}^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i^2$ adalah cukup bagi σ^2 jika Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_n adalah sampel rawak daripada taburan normal yang mempunyai fungsi ketumpatan kebarangkalian dengan $\mu = 0$.

[20 markah]

- (c) Biarkan Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_n sebagai sampel rawak bersaiz n daripada fungsi ketumpatan kebarangkalian $f_Y(y; \theta) = \theta y^{\theta-1}$, $0 \leq y \leq 1$. Tunjukkan bahawa $W = \prod_{i=1}^n Y_i$ adalah penganggar cukup bagi θ . Adakah penganggar kebolehdjian maksimum bagi θ suatu fungsi W ?

[30 markah]

- (d) Jika X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n sampel rawak daripada taburan Bernoulli (p), $0 < p < 1$ dan \bar{X}_n ialah min sampel, buktikan bahawa $\bar{X}_n \xrightarrow{p} p$

[20 markah]

4. (a) Assume that X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n is a random sample from a normal distribution,

$N(\mu, 4)$. Define $\bar{X}_n = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i}{n}$. Answer the following questions below:

- (i) Is $\bar{X} - \mu$ a pivotal quantity? Explain.
- (ii) Is $\frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{2/\sqrt{n}}$ a pivotal quantity? Explain.
- (iii) Is $\frac{\bar{X}}{\mu}$ a pivotal quantity? Explain.

[20 marks]

- (b) Assume that X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n is a random sample from the gamma distribution $G(2, \theta)$. Based on the sample mean $\bar{X} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$, construct

- (i) approximate confidence interval for θ when n is big.
- (ii) confidence interval for θ when n is small.

[40 marks]

- (c) Assume that X is a single observation from a distribution with probability density function $f(x, \beta) = (1 + \beta)x^\beta I_{(0,1)}(x)$, with $\beta > -1$.

- (i) Find the most powerful test of size α to test $H_0 : \beta = 0$ versus $H_1 : \beta = 1$.
- (ii) To test $H_0 : \beta \leq 0$ versus $H_1 : \beta > 0$, the following test is used: Reject H_0 if $X \geq 3/4$. Find the power function and size for the test.

[40 marks]

4. (a) Andaikan X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n sampel rawak daripada taburan normal, $N(\mu, 4)$.

Takrifkan $\bar{X}_n = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i}{n}$. Jawab setiap soalan di bawah:

- (i) Adakah $\bar{X} - \mu$ suatu kuantiti pangsaan? Jelaskan.
- (ii) Adakah $\frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{2/\sqrt{n}}$ suatu kuantiti pangsaan? Jelaskan.
- (iii) Adakah $\frac{\bar{X}}{\mu}$ suatu kuantiti pangsaan? Jelaskan.

[20 markah]

- (b) Andaikan X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n suatu sampel rawak daripada taburan $G(2, \theta)$.

Berdasarkan min sampel $\bar{X} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$, terbitkan

- (i) selang keyakinan hampiran bagi θ apabila n besar.
- (ii) selang keyakinan bagi θ apabila n kecil.

[40 markah]

- (c) Andaikan X suatu cerapan tunggal daripada taburan dengan fungsi ketumpatan $f(x; \beta) = (1 + \beta)x^\beta I_{(0,1)}(x)$, dengan $\beta > -1$.

- (i) Cari ujian paling berkuasa bersaiz β untuk menguji $H_0 : \beta = 0$ lawan $H_1 : \beta = 1$.
- (ii) Untuk menguji $H_0 : \beta \leq 0$ lawan $H_1 : \beta > 0$, ujian berikut digunakan: Tolak H_0 jika $X \geq 3/4$. Cari fungsi kuasa dan saiz bagi ujian tersebut.

[40 markah]

APPENDIX / LAMPIRAN

Tabaran	Fungsi Ketumpatan	Min	Varians	Fungsi Penjana Momen
Seragam Diskrit	$f(x) = \frac{1}{N} I_{\{1, 2, \dots, N\}}(x)$	$\frac{N+1}{2}$	$\frac{N^2-1}{12}$	$\sum_{j=1}^N \frac{1}{N} e^{jt}$
Bernoulli	$f(x) = p^x q^{1-x} I_{\{0,1\}}(x)$	p	pq	$q + pe^t$
Binomial	$f(x) = \binom{n}{x} p^x q^{n-x} I_{\{0,1,\dots,n\}}(x)$	np	npq	$(q + pe^t)^n$
Geometri	$f(x) = pq^x I_{\{0,1,\dots\}}(x)$	$\frac{q}{p}$	$\frac{q}{p^2}$	$\frac{p}{1-qe^t}, qe^t < 1$
Poisson	$f(x) = e^{-\lambda} \frac{\lambda^x}{x!} I_{\{0,1,\dots\}}(x)$	λ	λ	$\exp(\lambda(e^t - 1))$
Seragam	$f(x) = \frac{1}{b-a} I_{[a,b]}(x)$	$\frac{a+b}{2}$	$\frac{(b-a)^2}{12}$	$\frac{e^{bt} - e^{at}}{(b-a)t}, t \neq 0$
Normal	$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left\{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right\} I_{(-\infty,\infty)}(x)$	μ	σ^2	$\exp\{\mu t + (\sigma t)^2 / 2\}$
Eksponen	$f(x) = \lambda e^{-\lambda x} I_{(0,\infty)}(x)$	$\frac{1}{\lambda}$	$\frac{1}{\lambda^2}$	$\frac{\lambda}{\lambda-t}, t < \lambda$
Gamma	$f(x) = \frac{\lambda^\alpha}{\Gamma(\alpha)} e^{-\lambda x} x^{\alpha-1} I_{(0,\infty)}(x)$	$\frac{\alpha}{\lambda}$	$\frac{\alpha}{\lambda^2}$	$\left(\frac{\lambda}{\lambda-t}\right)^\alpha, t < \lambda$
Khi Kuasa Dua	$f(x) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{r/2} \frac{1}{\Gamma(r/2)} e^{-x/2} x^{(r/2)-1} I_{(0,\infty)}(x)$	r	$2r$	$\left(\frac{1}{1-2t}\right)^{r/2}, t < \frac{1}{2}$
Beta	$f(x) = \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+\beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)} x^{\alpha-1} (1-x)^{\beta-1} I_{(0,1)}(x)$	$\frac{\alpha}{\alpha+\beta}$	$\frac{\alpha\beta}{(\alpha+\beta+1)(\alpha+\beta)^2}$	