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MGM 562 – Probability Theory
[Teori Kebarangkalian]

Duration : 3 hours
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Instructions: Answer **all eight** [8] questions.

[Arahan: Jawab **semua lapan** [8] soalan.]

In the event of any discrepancies, the English version shall be used.

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

1. There are 97 men and 3 women in an organization. A committee of 5 people is chosen at random, and one of these 5 is randomly designated as a chairperson.
- (a) What is the probability that the committee includes all 3 women and has one of the women as chairperson?
- (b) What is the expectation and variance of the number of women chosen in this committee?

[15 marks]

1. Terdapat 97 lelaki dan 3 wanita di dalam sesuatu organisasi. Satu jawatankuasa seramai 5 orang dipilih secara rawak, dan seorang daripada lima ahli itu dilantik sebagai pengerusi.
- (a) Apakah kebarangkalian jawatankuasa itu termasuk 3 orang wanita dan salah seorang daripadanya adalah pengerusi?
- (b) Apakah jangkauan dan varians bagi bilangan wanita yang dipilih di dalam jawatankuasa tersebut?

[15 markah]

2. Let A , B , C and D be the events such that $B = A'$, $C \cap D = \emptyset$, and $\Pr A = \frac{1}{4}$, $\Pr B = \frac{3}{4}$, $\Pr C|A = \frac{1}{2}$, $\Pr C|B = \frac{3}{4}$, $\Pr D|A = \frac{1}{4}$ and $\Pr D|B = \frac{1}{8}$. Calculate
- (a) $\Pr C \cup D$.
- (b) $\Pr B|D$.

[10 marks]

2. Biarkan A , B , C dan D suatu peristiwa yang mana $B = A'$, $C \cap D = \emptyset$, dan $Kb A = \frac{1}{4}$, $Kb B = \frac{3}{4}$, $Kb C|A = \frac{1}{2}$, $Kb C|B = \frac{3}{4}$, $Kb D|A = \frac{1}{4}$ dan $Kb D|B = \frac{1}{8}$. Kira
- (a) $Kb C \cup D$.
- (b) $Kb B|D$.

[10 markah]

3. Let X be a continuous random variable with density function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{9}x(4-x) & 0 < x < 3 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

- (a) Find the mean and variance of X .
- (b) Use Markov's Theorem to show that the probability that X is greater than 2 is less than 0.875.
- (c) Find the probability that X is greater than 2.

[15 marks]

3. Biarkan X menjadi pemboleh ubah rawak dengan fungsi ketumpatan kebarangkalian

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{9}x(4-x) & 0 < x < 3 \\ 0 & \text{selainnya} \end{cases}$$

- (a) Cari min dan varians bagi X .
- (b) Gunakan Teorem Markov untuk menunjukkan bahawa kebarangkalian X lebih besar daripada 2 adalah kurang daripada 0.875.
- (c) Cari kebarangkalian X lebih besar daripada 2.

[15 markah]

4. Let X have the density function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{2x}{k^2} & 0 < x < k \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

- (a) For what value of k is the variance of X equal to 2?
- (b) Let X_1 and X_2 be two independent, identically distributed random variables each with density function as given above. Let $Y = \max(X_1, X_2)$. Find $\Pr[Y > E(X)]$.

[10 marks]

4. Biarkan X mempunyai fungsi taburan

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{2x}{k^2} & 0 < x < k \\ 0 & \text{selainnya} \end{cases}$$

- (a) Apakah nilai k supaya varians X bersamaan dengan 2?
- (b) Biarkan X_1 dan X_2 sebagai dua pemboleh ubah rawak yang merdeka dan sepunya, dengan fungsi taburan di atas. Biarkan $Y = \max(X_1, X_2)$. Cari $\Pr[Y > E(X)]$.

[10 markah]

5. (a) If X has a Poisson distribution with mean 5, what is the value of $E X^2$? Find the probability that X is less than 6 given that it is greater than or equal to 2.
- (b) Let X have a Poisson distribution with mean 10. If $Y = 2X + 3$, find $\ln[M_Y t]$ where $M_Y t$ is the moment generating function of Y .

[15 marks]

5. (a) Jika X mempunyai taburan Poisson dengan min 5, apakah nilai $E X^2$? Cari kebarangkalian X lebih kecil daripada 6 diberi bahawa ia adalah lebih besar atau sama dengan 2.
- (b) Biarkan X mempunyai taburan Poisson dengan min 10. Jika $Y = 2X + 3$, cari $\ln[M_Y t]$ yang mana $M_Y t$ adalah fungsi penjana momen bagi Y .

[15 markah]

6. Job 1 takes X minutes to complete, where X is modelled as a $N 28,2^2$ random variable. Job 2, independent of Job 1, takes Y minutes to complete, and begins 5 minutes after Job 1 begins. Y is modelled as a $N 25,1^2$ random variable.
- (a) If Job 1 and Job 2 both complete at the same time, find the relationship between X and Y .
- (b) Calculate the probability that Job 1 be the last to be completed.

[10 marks]

6. *Tugasan 1* mengambil masa X minit untuk disiapkan, yang mana X dimodelkan sebagai taburan rawak $N 28,2^2$. *Tugasan 2*, yang tidak bersandaran dengan *Tugasan 1*, mengambil masa Y minit untuk diselesaikan, dan bermula 5 minit selepas *Tugasan 1* bermula. Y dimodelkan sebagai taburan rawak $N 25,1^2$.
- (a) Jika *Tugasan 1* dan *Tugasan 2* kedua-duanya selesai pada masa yang sama, cari kaitan antara X dan Y .
- (b) Kira kebarangkalian bahawa *Tugasan 1* adalah yang terakhir diselesaikan.

[10 markah]

7. A wheel spun has equal probabilities of $\frac{1}{3}$ for the numbers 1, 2 and 3 appeared each. If number 1 appears, the player gets a score of 1.0; if number 2 appears, the player gets a score of 2.0; if number 3 appears, the player gets a score of X , where X is a normal random variable with mean 3 and standard deviation 1.
- If W represents the player's score on 1 spin of the wheel and A represents the random variable of wheel spun, then define the respective conditional probabilities, $\Pr W = w | A = a$ for $A = 1, 2, 3$.
 - What is $\Pr W \leq 1.5$?
 - Find the expectation and variance of the score.

[15 marks]

7. Suatu roda yang diputar mempunyai kebarangkalian yang sama iaitu $\frac{1}{3}$ bagi dengan nombor-nombor 1, 2 dan 3 setiap satu. Jika nombor 1 muncul, pemain itu memperoleh skor 1.0; jika nombor 2 muncul, dia memperoleh skor 2.0; jika nombor 3 muncul, dia memperoleh skor X , yang mana X adalah taburan rawak normal dengan min 3 dan sisihan piawai 1.
- Jika W mewakili skor pemain untuk satu putaran roda tersebut, dan A mewakili pemboleh ubah rawak bagi putaran roda, nyatakan kebarangkalian bersyarat masing-masing, iaitu $\Pr W = w | A = a$ untuk $A = 1, 2, 3$.
 - Apakah $\Pr W \leq 1.5$?
 - Cari jangkaan dan varians bagi skor tersebut.

[15 markah]

8. Let X_1, X_2, \dots, X_N be independent random variables, each having a gamma distribution with mean 4 and variance 4. Let $S = X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_N$. If N is an integer random variable having binomial distributed with mean 10, and variance 8
- Find the mean and variance of S
 - Calculate an approximate value for the probability S exceeds 35.

[Use normal approximation to calculate the probabilities]

[10 marks]

8. Biarkan X_1, X_2, \dots, X_N sebagai pemboleh ubah rawak tidak bersandar, setiap satu mempunyai taburan Gamma dengan min 4 dan varians 4. Biarkan $S = X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_N$. Jika N ialah pemboleh ubah integer taburan Binomial dengan min 10, dan varians 8
- Cari min dan varians bagi S
 - Kira nilai hampir bagi kebarangkalian S lebih daripada 35.

[Gunakan penghampiran normal untuk mengira kebarangkalian tersebut]

[10 markah]

APPENDIX / LAMPIRAN

<p>$E Y = E[E Y X]$</p> <p>$Var Y = E[Var Y X] + Var[E Y X]$</p> <p>For $S N = X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_N$</p> <p>$E S = E[NE X]$</p> <p>$Var S = E[NVar X] + Var[NE X]$</p>	<p>$Y \sim \text{Hypergeometric } A, B, n, N = A + B$</p> $\Pr Y = y = \begin{cases} \frac{\binom{A}{n} \binom{B}{n-y}}{\binom{N}{n}} & y = 0, 1, \dots, \\ & \min n, A \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$
<p>$Y \sim \text{binomial } n, p$</p> $\Pr Y = y = \begin{cases} \binom{n}{y} p^y \times \\ & 1 - p^{n-y} & y = 0, 1, \dots, n \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$ <p>$E Y = np$ and $Var Y = np(1-p)$</p> <p>$M_Y t = pe^t + 1 - p^n$</p>	<p>$Y \sim \text{Poisson } m$</p> $\Pr Y = y = \begin{cases} \frac{e^{-m} m^y}{y!} & y = 0, 1, 2, \dots \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$ <p>$E Y = Var Y = m$</p> <p>$M_Y t = e^{m(e^t - 1)}$</p>
<p>$Y \sim \text{Normal } m, s^2$</p> $f_Y Y = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi s^2}} \times \\ & \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{y-m}{s}\right)^2\right] & -\infty < y < \infty \\ 0 & \text{o/w} \end{cases}$ <p>$E Y = m$ and $Var Y = s^2$</p> <p>$M_Y t = \exp\left(mt + \frac{1}{2}s^2 t^2\right)$</p>	<p>$Y \sim \text{gamma } \alpha, \theta$</p> $f_Y Y = \begin{cases} \frac{y^{\alpha-1} e^{-y/\theta}}{\Gamma \alpha \theta^\alpha} & y > 0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$ <p>$E Y = \alpha\theta$ and $Var Y = \alpha\theta^2$</p> <p>$M_Y t = 1 - \theta t^{-\alpha}$</p>