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[Teori Kebarangkalian]

Duration : 3 hours
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Instructions: Answer **all seven** [7] questions.

Arahan: Jawab **semua tujuh** [7] 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. Let X be a function defined as follows,

$$f_X(x) = \begin{cases} \binom{x+2}{x} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{x+3} & x = 0, 1, 2, \dots \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

a. Find $M_X[\ln(1.2)]$.

[2 marks]

b. Find the second moment of this distribution.

[4 marks]

c. Given the following events, C and D are both sets of non-negative integer numbers, x , such that, $C = \{x \in Z | x \geq 2\}$ and $D = \{x \in Z | x < 4\}$. From Find

- i. $P(C - D)$.
- ii. $P(C \cap D)$.
- iii. $P[(C - D) | C]$.

[13 marks]

1. Biarkan X sebagai suatu fungsi yang ditakrifkan seperti berikut,

$$f_X(x) = \begin{cases} \binom{x+2}{x} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{x+3} & x = 0, 1, 2, \dots \\ 0 & \text{selainnya.} \end{cases}$$

a. Cari $M_X[\ln(1.2)]$.

[2 markah]

b. Cari momen kedua bagi taburan ini.

[4 markah]

c. Diberi peristiwa berikut, C dan D kedua-duanya merupakan set-set integer bukan negatif, x , iaitu, $C = \{x \in Z | x \geq 2\}$ dan $D = \{x \in Z | x < 4\}$. Cari

- i. $Kb(C - D)$.
- ii. $Kb(C \cap D)$.
- iii. $Kb[(C - D) | C]$.

[13 markah]

2. Let $A \cap C = C$, and $B \cap C \neq \emptyset$, where A and B are independent. Also given that, $P(A) = 0.5$, $P(B) = 0.4$, $P(C) = 0.3$ and $P(B \cup C) = 0.6$. Find
- $P(C|A)$. [2 marks]
 - $P(B - C)$. [3 marks]
 - $P[(B - C)|A]$. [4 marks]
 - $P[(A \cap B \cap C)']$. [3 marks]

2. Biar $A \cap C = C$ dan $B \cap C \neq \emptyset$, yang mana A dan B adalah tidak bersandaran. Juga diberi, $Kb(A) = 0.5$, $Kb(B) = 0.4$, $Kb(C) = 0.3$ dan $Kb(B \cup C) = 0.6$. Cari
- $Kb(C|A)$. [2 markah]
 - $Kb(B - C)$. [3 markah]
 - $Kb[(B - C)|A]$. [4 markah]
 - $Kb[(A \cap B \cap C)']$. [3 markah]

3. Random variable, A has the moment generating function as follows,

$$M_A(t) = \frac{1}{12}e^{2t} + \frac{5}{48}e^{2.5t} + \frac{1}{6}e^{4t} + \frac{5}{16}e^{7.5t} + \frac{1}{3}e^{8t}.$$

a. By using the equation above, find the mean and variance of A .

[8 marks]

b. State the distribution of A .

[2 marks]

c. Using Markov's inequality, find the highest value of $P[A \geq 10\sqrt{\text{Var}(A)}]$.

[3 marks]

3. *Pembolehkan rawak, A mempunyai fungsi penjana momen seperti berikut,*

$$M_A(t) = \frac{1}{12}e^{2t} + \frac{5}{48}e^{2.5t} + \frac{1}{6}e^{4t} + \frac{5}{16}e^{7.5t} + \frac{1}{3}e^{8t}.$$

a. *Dengan menggunakan persamaan di atas, cari min dan varians bagi A .*

[8 markah]

b. *Nyatakan taburan bagi pemboleh ubah rawak A .*

[2 markah]

c. *Dengan menggunakan ketaksamaan Markov, cari nilai tertinggi bagi $Kb[A \geq 10\sqrt{\text{Var}(A)}]$.*

[3 markah]

4. Consider the jointly random variables, X and Y , where, X has Binomial distribution with parameters of $n = 2$ and $p = 3/4$, whereas, $Y|X = x$ is a Binomial distribution with the parameters of $n = 2 - x$ and $p = 4/5$.
- a. Determine the conditional probability of Y given $X = x$, $f_{Y|x}(y|x)$. [2 marks]
- b. Compute,
- The expectation, $E(XY)$, [7 marks]
 - The mean and variance of X and Y [11 marks]
 - The covariance between X and Y , $Cov(X, Y)$. [2 marks]
- c. If $Z = 3X + Y$, then, find $Var(Z)$. [3 marks]

4. *Pertimbangkan pemboleh ubah rawak tergabung, X dan Y , yang mana, X adalah taburan Binomial dengan parameter $n = 2$ dan $p = 3/4$, manakala, $Y|X = x$ adalah taburan Binomial dengan parameter $n = 2 - x$ dan $p = 4/5$.*
- a. *Tentukan kebarangkalian bersyarat bagi Y diberi $X = x$, $f_{Y|x}(y|x)$.* [2 markah]
- b. *Kira*
- Jangkaan, $E(XY)$,* [7 markah]
 - Min dan varians bagi X dan Y ,* [11 markah]
 - Kovarians antara X dan Y , $Kov(X, Y)$.* [2 markah]
- c. *Jika $Z = 3X + Y$, maka, cari $Var(Z)$.* [3 markah]

5. Find $P[X \geq E(X)]$ where the random variable X has the moment generating function as follows,

a. $\frac{2}{5t}(e^{5t} - e^{2.5t})$.

[6 marks]

b. $(0.4 + 0.6e^t)^8$.

[5 marks]

5. Cari $Pb[X \geq E(X)]$ yang mana pembolehubah rawak X mempunyai fungsi penjana momen seperti berikut,

c. $\frac{2}{5t}(e^{5t} - e^{2.5t})$.

[6 markah]

d. $(0.4 + 0.6e^t)^8$.

[5 markah]

6. Let X_1, \dots, X_{17} be independently normal distributed with mean μ , and variance σ^2 . Consider the following information,

$$\sum x = 4.33 \text{ and } \sum x^2 = 17.9093$$

a. Estimate the mean and standard deviation of the distribution above.

[3 marks]

b. Calculate a 95% confidence interval for the mean of this random variable.

[4 marks]

c. Calculate a 95% confidence interval for the standard deviation of this random variable.

[5 marks]

6. Biarkan X_1, \dots, X_{17} sebagai taburan tak bersandar normal dengan min μ , dan varians σ^2 . Pertimbangkan maklumat seperti berikut,

$$\sum x = 4.33 \text{ dan } \sum x^2 = 17.9093$$

a. Anggarkan min dan sisihan piawai bagi taburan di atas.

[3 markah]

b. Kirakan 95% selang keyakinan min bagi pembolehubah rawak ini.

[4 markah]

c. Kirakan 95% selang keyakinan sisihan piawai bagi pembolehubah rawak ini.

[5 markah]

7. Let X be a continuously uniform random variable under the domain of 0 and 1, i.e. $x \in [0,1]$ Let $Y = -3\ln X$. Then, determine $E(Y + Y^2)$.

[8 marks]

7. Biarkan X sebagai taburan selang seragam di bawah domain 0 dan 1, iaitu, $x \in [0,1]$. Biar $Y = -3\ln X$. Maka, tentukan $E(Y + Y^2)$.

[8 markah]

Appendix

Random Variable, X	Probability distribution function, $f_X(x)$	Mean, $E(X)$	Variance, $Var(X)$	Moment Generating Function, $M_X(t)$
$bin(n, p)$	$\binom{n}{x} p^x (1-p)^{n-x}, x = 0, 1, \dots, n$	np	$np(1-p)$	$(pe^t + 1 - p)^n$
$Poisson(\lambda)$	$\frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^x}{x!}, x = 0, 1, 2, \dots$	λ	λ	$e^{\lambda(e^t - 1)}$
$NB(r, p)$	$\binom{x+r-1}{x} p^r (1-p)^x, x = 0, 1, 2, \dots$	$\frac{r(1-p)}{p}$	$\frac{r(1-p)}{p^2}$	$\left[\frac{p}{1 - (1-p)e^t} \right]^r$
$uniform(a, b)$	$\frac{1}{b-a}, a < x < b$	$\frac{a+b}{2}$	$\frac{(b-a)^2}{12}$	$\frac{e^{tb} - e^{ta}}{t(b-a)}$
$N(\mu, \sigma^2)$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}\right)^2\right], -\infty < x < \infty$	μ	σ^2	$\exp\left(\mu t + \frac{\sigma^2 t^2}{2}\right)$
$exp(\theta)$	$\frac{1}{\theta} e^{-x/\theta}, x > 0$	θ	θ^2	$(1 - \theta t)^{-1}$
$Gamma(\alpha, \theta)$	$\frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \frac{x^{\alpha-1}}{\theta^\alpha} \exp(-x/\theta), x > 0$	$\alpha\theta$	$\alpha\theta^2$	$(1 - \theta t)^{-\alpha}$

$(a + b)^n = \sum_{x=0}^n {}^n C_x a^x b^{n-x}$	$g(x) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{g^{(m)}(x_0)(x - x_0)^m}{m!}$	$Var(aX + bY)$ $= a^2 Var(X) + 2ab Cov(X, Y)$ $+ b^2 Var(Y)$
$P(X - Y) = P(X \cap \bar{Y})$		