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**[PENTAABIRAN STATISTIK]**

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Answer **all FIVE** questions.

Jawab **semua LIMA** soalan.

1. (a) Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be independent, identically distributed random variables with common probability density function.

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \theta e^{-\theta x}, & x \geq 0 \\ 0, & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

Let  $Y_1 = X_{(1)}, Y_2 = X_{(2)}, \dots, Y_n = X_{(n)}$  be the order statistics for  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$ .

Let  $Z_1 = nY_1, Z_2 = (n-1)(Y_2 - Y_1), \dots, Z_n = (Y_n - Y_{n-1})$ .

Show that  $Z_1, Z_2, \dots, Z_n$  are independent and identically distributed random variables.

[50 marks]

- (b) Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample of size  $n$  from a Poisson distribution with parameter  $\lambda = 1$ , i.e.

$$P(X_i = x) = \frac{e^{-1}}{x!}, \quad x = 0, 1, 2, \dots, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

- (i) Derive the m.g.f. for  $X_i$ .

- (ii) Let  $\bar{X}_n = \frac{X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_n}{n}$ . Consider

$Y_n = \sqrt{n}(\bar{X}_n - 1)$ . Show that the m.g.f for

$Y_n$  is given by  $\exp[-t\sqrt{n} + n(e^{t/\sqrt{n}} - 1)]$

- (iii) Hence, obtain the limiting distribution of  $Y_n$  when  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

[50 marks]

1. (a) *Katakan  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  adalah pembolehubah-pembolehubah rawak takbersandar dan tertabur secaman dengan fungsi ketumpatan kebarangkalian sepunya*

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \theta e^{-\theta x}, & x \geq 0 \\ 0, & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

*Katakan  $Y_1 = X_{(1)}, Y_2 = X_{(2)}, \dots, Y_n = X_{(n)}$  adalah statistik tertib bagi  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$ .*

*Katakan  $Z_1 = nY_1, Z_2 = (n-1)(Y_2 - Y_1), \dots, Z_n = (Y_n - Y_{n-1})$ .*

*Tunjukkan bahawa  $Z_1, Z_2, \dots, Z_n$  adalah pembolehubah-pembolehubah rawak takbersandar dan tertabur secaman.*

[50 markah]

- (b) *Katakan  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  satu sampel rawak saiz  $n$  daripada suatu taburan Poisson dengan parameter  $\lambda = 1$ , iaitu,*

$$P(X_i = x) = \frac{e^{-1}}{x!}, \quad x = 0, 1, 2, \dots, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

- (i) Terbitkan f.p.m bagi  $X_1$ .
- (ii) Biarkan  $\bar{X}_n = \frac{X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_n}{n}$   
 Pertimbangkan  $Y_n = \sqrt{n}(\bar{X}_n - 1)$ . Tunjukkan f.p.m bagi  $Y_n$  diberi oleh  $\exp[-t\sqrt{n} + n(e^{t/\sqrt{n}} - 1)]$ .
- (iii) Demikian, dapatkan taburan penghad bagi  $Y_n$  apabila  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

[50 markah]

2. (a) Let  $Y_1 < Y_2 < Y_3 < Y_4$  be the order statistics from a random sample of size 4 taken from a distribution with p.d.f.

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x, & 0 < x < 1 \\ 0, & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

- (i) Obtain the joint p.d.f. of  $Y_3$  and  $Y_4$ .
- (ii) Find the conditional p.d.f. of  $Y_3$  given  $Y_4 = y_4$
- (iii) Evaluate  $E(Y_3 | y_4)$ .

[30 marks]

- (b) State and prove Chebychev's inequality.

[30 marks]

- (c) Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample from a distribution with p.d.f.

$$f(x; \theta) = \begin{cases} e^{-(x-\theta)} \exp(-e^{-(x-\theta)}), & x \geq \theta, -\infty < \theta < \infty \\ 0, & x < \theta \end{cases}$$

- (i) Find the MLE for  $\theta$ .
- (ii) Find the MLE for  $P_\theta\{X_1 - \theta \geq 1\}$ .

[40 marks]

2. (a) Katakan  $Y_1 < Y_2 < Y_3 < Y_4$  statistik tertib daripada suatu sampel rawak saiz  $n = 4$  yang diambil daripada suatu taburan dengan f.k.k.

$$f(x, \theta) = \begin{cases} 2x, & 0 < x < 1 \\ 0, & \text{di tempat lain} \end{cases}$$

- (i) Dapatkan f.k.k. tercantum bagi  $Y_3$  dan  $Y_4$ .
- (ii) Cari f.k.k. bersyarat bagi  $Y_3$  diberi  $Y_4 = y_4$ .
- (iii) Nilaikan  $E(Y_3 | y_4)$ .

[30 markah]

- (b) Nyatakan dan buktikan ketaksamaan Chebychev.

[30 markah]

- (c) Katakan  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  adalah suatu sampel rawak dari fungsi ketumpatan kebarangkalian

$$f(x, \theta) = \begin{cases} e^{-(x-\theta)} \exp(-e^{-(x-\theta)}), & x \geq \theta, -\infty < \theta < \infty \\ 0 & , x < \theta \end{cases}$$

- (i) Carikan MLE  $\theta$ .  
 (ii) Carikan MLE bagi  $P_\theta \{X_1 - \theta \geq 1\}$ .

[40 markah]

3. (a) What are the roles of the following theorems in estimation theory:

- (i) Neyman – Fisher Factorization Theorem  
 (ii) Rao – Blackwell Theorem.  
 (iii) Lehmann – Scheffe Theorem.  
 (iv) Cramer – Rao Theorem?

Give examples to illustrate your answer.

[40 marks]

- (b) Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample from a distribution with p.d.f.

$$f(x; \lambda) = \begin{cases} \lambda e^{-\lambda x}, & x > 0, \lambda > 0 \\ 0, & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

- (i) Show that  $T = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$  is a statistic which is sufficient and complete for  $\lambda$ .

- (ii) Let  $U(X_1) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } X_1 < K, \\ 1 & \text{if } X_1 \geq K, \end{cases}$

where  $K$  is a known constant. Show that  $U(X_1)$  is unbiased for  $e^{-K\lambda}$ .

- (iii) Hence, show that the uniformly minimum variance unbiased estimator for  $e^{-K\lambda}$  is given by

$$g(T) = \begin{cases} \left(\frac{T-K}{T}\right)^{n-1} & \text{when } T \geq K \\ 0 & \text{when } T < K \end{cases}$$

[60 marks]

3. (a) Apakah peranan teorem-teorem berikut di dalam teori penganggaran:

- (i) Teorem Pemfaktoran Neyman-Fisher,  
 (ii) Teorem Rao-Blackwell,  
 (iii) Teorem Lehmann-Scheffe,  
 (iv) Teorem Cramer-Rao?

Beri contoh-contoh untuk mengilustrasi jawapan anda.

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- (b) Katakan  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  suatu sampel rawak daripada suatu taburan dengan f.k.k.

$$f(x; \lambda) = \begin{cases} \lambda e^{-\lambda x}, & x > 0, \lambda > 0 \\ 0, & \text{di tempat lain} \end{cases}$$

- (i) Tunjukkan  $T = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$  ialah suatu statistik yang cukup dan lengkap bagi  $\lambda$ .
- (ii) Katakan  $U(X_1) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{jika } X_1 < K, \\ 1 & \text{jika } X_1 \geq K, \end{cases}$   
di mana  $K$  ialah suatu pemalar yang diketahui. Tunjukkan  $U(X_1)$  saksama bagi  $e^{-K\lambda}$ .
- (iii) Demikian, tunjukkan bahawa penganggar saksama bervarians minimum secara seragam bagi  $e^{-K\lambda}$  diberi oleh

$$g(T) = \begin{cases} \left(\frac{T-K}{T}\right)^{n-1} & \text{apabila } T \geq K \\ 0 & \text{apabila } T < K \end{cases}$$

[60 markah]

4. (a) Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample from a distribution with p.d.f.

$$f(x|\theta) = \begin{cases} \theta x^{\theta-1}, & 0 < x < 1, \theta > 0 \\ 0, & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

Suppose that the prior distribution for  $\Theta$  is given by the p.d.f.

$$\pi(\theta) = \begin{cases} \frac{\lambda^r \theta^{r-1} e^{-\theta\lambda}}{\Gamma(r)}, & \theta > 0 \\ 0, & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

where  $r$  and  $\lambda$  are known positive constants.

- (i) Find the posterior p.d.f. for  $\Theta$
- (ii) Find the Bayes estimator for  $\theta$  with respect to the prior  $\pi(\theta)$  above using the squared error loss function

[40 marks]

- (b) Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample of size from a distribution with p.d.f.

$$f(x; \theta) = \begin{cases} \theta(1+x)^{-(1+\theta)}, & 0 < x < \infty, \theta > 0 \\ 0, & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

- (i) Find the m.l.e. for (a)  $\theta$  and (b)  $\frac{1}{\theta}$ .
- (ii) Does there exist a complete and sufficient statistic for  $\theta$ ?

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- (iii) Find a uniformly minimum variance unbiased estimator for (a)  $\frac{1}{\theta}$  dan (b)  $\theta$ .
- (iv) Find the Cramer-Rao lower bound for the variances of unbiased estimators of  $\frac{1}{\theta}$ .

[60 marks]

4. (a) Katakan  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  suatu sampel rawak daripada suatu taburan dengan f.k.k.

$$f(x|\theta) = \begin{cases} \theta x^{\theta-1}, & 0 < x < 1, \theta > 0 \\ 0, & \text{di tempat lain} \end{cases}$$

Andaikan bahawa taburan priori bagi  $\Theta$  diberi oleh f.k.k.

$$\pi(\theta) = \begin{cases} \frac{\lambda^r \theta^{r-1} e^{-\theta\lambda}}{\Gamma(r)}, & \theta > 0 \\ 0, & \text{di tempat lain} \end{cases}$$

di mana  $r$  and  $\lambda$  adalah pemalar positif yang diketahui.

- (i) Cari f.k.k. posterior bagi  $\Theta$   
 (ii) Cari penganggar Bayes bagi  $\theta$  terhadap prior  $\pi(\theta)$  di atas dengan menggunakan fungsi kerugian ralat kuasa dua.

[40 markah]

- (b) Katakan  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  suatu sampel rawak saiz  $n$  daripada suatu taburan dengan f.k.k.

$$f(x;\theta) = \begin{cases} \theta(1+x)^{-(1+\theta)}, & 0 < x < \infty, \theta > 0 \\ 0, & \text{di tempat lain} \end{cases}$$

- (i) Cari p.k.m bagi (a)  $\theta$  dan (b)  $\frac{1}{\theta}$ .  
 (ii) Adakah wujudnya suatu statistik yang cukup dan lengkap bagi  $\theta$ ?  
 (iii) Cari suatu penganggar saksama bervarians minimum secara seragam bagi (a)  $\frac{1}{\theta}$  dan (b)  $\theta$ .  
 (iv) Cari batas bawah Cramer-Rao bagi varians penganggar saksama untuk  $\frac{1}{\theta}$ .

[60 markah]

5. (a) State the Neyman-Pearson fundamental lemma.

[10 marks]

- (b) Describe the concepts which are relevant in the theory of hypothesis testing.

[20 marks]

- (c) Let  $X_1, X_2$  be a random sample of size 2 from a distribution with p.d.f.

$$f(x; \theta) = \begin{cases} (1 + \theta)x^\theta, & 0 \leq x \leq 1, \theta > 0 \\ 0 & , \text{ elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

Show that the uniformly most powerful test for testing  $H_0 : \theta = 2$  versus  $H_1 : \theta = \theta_1 < 2$  is given by

$$\phi(x_1, x_2) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x_1 x_2 \leq \frac{3}{4} \\ 0 & \text{if } x_1 x_2 > \frac{3}{4} \end{cases}$$

What is the size of the above test?

[30 marks]

- (d) Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample from a distribution with p.d.f.

$$N(\mu, \sigma^2), \quad -\infty < \mu < \infty, \quad 0 < \sigma^2 < \infty.$$

Let  $Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_m$  be a random sample from a distribution with p.d.f.

$$N(\eta, \tau^2), \quad -\infty < \eta < \infty, \quad 0 < \tau^2 < \infty.$$

Suppose that the two samples are independent. Show that the likelihood ratio test for testing  $H_0 : \sigma^2 = \tau^2, \mu$  and  $\eta$  unknown, versus  $H_0 : \sigma^2 \neq \tau^2, \mu$  and  $\eta$  unknown, can be based on the statistic

$$F = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2 / (n-1)}{\sum_{j=1}^m (Y_j - \bar{Y})^2 / (m-1)},$$

where  $\bar{X} = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i / n$  and  $\bar{Y} = \sum_{j=1}^m Y_j / m$ .

[40 marks]

5. (a) Nyatakan lema asasi Neyman-Pearson.

[10 markah]

- (b) Huraikan konsep-konsep yang berkaitan di dalam teori pengujian hipotesis.

[20 markah]

- (c) Katakan  $X_1, X_2$  sampel rawak saiz 2 daripada suatu taburan dengan f.k.k.

$$f(x; \theta) = \begin{cases} (1 + \theta)x^\theta, & 0 \leq x \leq 1, \theta > 0 \\ 0 & , \text{ di tempat lain} \end{cases}$$

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Tunjukkan bahawa ujian yang paling berkuasa secara seragam untuk menguji  $H_0 : \theta = 2$  lawan  $H_1 : \theta = \theta_1 < 2$  diberi oleh

$$\phi(x_1, x_2) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{jika } x_1 x_2 \leq \frac{3}{4} \\ 0 & \text{jika } x_1 x_2 > \frac{3}{4} \end{cases}.$$

Apakah saiz ujian di atas?

[30 markah]

(d) Katakan  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  sampel rawak daripada taburan dengan f.k.k.

$$N(\mu, \sigma^2), -\infty < \mu < \infty, 0 < \sigma^2 < \infty.$$

Katakan  $Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_m$  sampel rawak daripada taburan dengan f.k.k.

$$N(\eta, \tau^2), -\infty < \eta < \infty, 0 < \tau^2 < \infty.$$

Andaikan dua sampel tersebut tak bersandar. Tunjukkan bahawa ujian nisbah kebolehjadian untuk menguji  $H_0 : \sigma^2 = \tau^2, \mu$  dan  $\eta$  anu, lawan  $H_0 : \sigma^2 \neq \tau^2, \mu$  dan  $\eta$  anu, boleh didasarkan pada statistik.

$$F = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2 / (n-1)}{\sum_{j=1}^m (Y_j - \bar{Y})^2 / (m-1)},$$

di mana  $\bar{X} = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i / n$  dan  $\bar{Y} = \sum_{j=1}^m Y_j / m$ .

[40 markah]



Taburan	Fungsi Kebarangkalian $f$	Min $\mu = E[X]$	Varians $\sigma^2 = E[(X - \mu)^2]$	Fungsi penjana Momen
Sebarang Distribusi	$f(x) = \frac{1}{N} I_{\{1, 2, \dots, N\}}(x)$	$\frac{N+1}{2}$	$\frac{N^2 - 1}{12}$	$\sum_{j=1}^N \frac{1}{N} t^j$
Bernoulli	$f(x) = p q^x I_{\{0, 1\}}(x)$	$p$	$pq$	$q + pt^1$
Binomial	$f(x) = \binom{n}{x} p^x q^{n-x} I_{\{0, 1, \dots, n\}}(x)$	$np$	$npq$	$(q + pt^1)^n$
Geometri	$f(x) = p q^x I_{\{0, 1, \dots\}}(x)$	$\frac{q}{p}$	$\frac{q}{p}$	$\frac{p}{1 - qt}$
Poisson	$f(x) = e^{-\lambda} \frac{\lambda^x}{x!} I_{\{0, 1, \dots\}}(x)$	$\lambda$	$\lambda$	$\exp\{\lambda(t - 1)\}$
Sebarang	$f(x) = \frac{1}{b-a} I_{[a, b]}(x)$	$\frac{a+b}{2}$	$\frac{(b-a)^2}{12}$	$\frac{bt - at}{(b-a)t}$
Normal	$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left\{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right\} I_{(-\infty, \infty)}(x)$	$\mu$	$\sigma^2$	$\exp\left\{\mu t + \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2 t^2\right\}$
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	$f(x) = \frac{\lambda^n}{\Gamma(n)} e^{-\lambda x} x^{n-1} I_{(0, \infty)}(x)$	$\frac{n}{\lambda}$	$\frac{n}{\lambda^2}$	$\left(\frac{\lambda}{\lambda - t}\right)^n, t < \lambda$
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	$f(x) = \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+\beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)} x^{\alpha-1} (1-x)^{\beta-1} I_{(0, 1)}(x)$	$\frac{\alpha}{\alpha+\beta}$	$\frac{\alpha\beta}{(\alpha+\beta)(\alpha+\beta)^2}$	—