

1 - Expectation :

$$E[X] = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x f(x) dx \quad \text{for Continuous random variables.}$$

$$E[X] = \sum_i x_i P_r(X=x_i) \quad \text{for Discrete case}$$

2 - Variance :
$$\text{Var}(X) = E[(X - E(X))^2]$$

3 - Covariance :
$$\text{Cov}(X, Y) = E[(X - E[X])(Y - E[Y])]$$

4 - Correlation :
$$\text{Corr}(X, Y) = \frac{\text{Cov}(X, Y)}{\sqrt{\text{Var}(X) \cdot \text{Var}(Y)}}$$

5 - Geometric Dis :
$$P_r[X=i] = q^{i-1} p$$

$$E[X] = \frac{1}{p}, \quad \text{Var}(X) = \frac{q}{p^2}$$

6 - Binomial Dis :
$$P_r[X=i] = \binom{n}{i} p^i q^{n-i}$$

$$B(n, p)$$

$$E[X] = np, \quad \text{Var}(X) = npq$$

7 - Poisson Dis :
$$P_r[X=i] = \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^i}{i!}$$

$$E[X] = \lambda, \quad \text{Var}[X] = \lambda$$

8 - Uniform Dis :
$$P_r(\alpha \leq X \leq \beta) = \beta - \alpha$$

$$U(\alpha, \beta)$$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\beta - \alpha}, \quad E[X] = \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}, \quad \text{Var}(X) = \frac{(\beta - \alpha)^2}{12}$$

9 - Normal Dis :
$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sigma \sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{x - \mu}{\sigma}\right)^2\right]$$

$$N(\mu, \sigma^2)$$

10 - Central Limit Theorem :
$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_r\left\{ \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{X_i - \mu}{\sigma}\right) \leq x \right\} = \Phi(x)$$

cdf of $N(0, 1)$

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Q & A No. 8

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1- Exponential probability density function;

$$f(x) = \lambda e^{-\lambda x} \quad E[X] = \frac{1}{\lambda}, \quad \text{Var}(X) = \frac{1}{\lambda^2}$$

2- Gamma pdf:

$$f(x) = \frac{e^{-\lambda x} \lambda^n x^{n-1}}{\Gamma(n)} \quad E[X] = \frac{n}{\lambda}, \quad \text{Var}(X) = \frac{n}{\lambda^2}$$

3- In $S = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$ if X_i are independent random variable with exponential distribution then S has Gamma pdf.

4- Chi-square pdf:

$$f(x) = \frac{e^{-x/2} x^{v/2-1}}{\Gamma(v/2) 2^{v/2}} \quad E[X] = v, \quad \text{Var}(X) = 2v$$

5- Laplace pdf:

$$f(x) = \frac{\lambda}{2} e^{-\lambda|x|} \quad E[X] = 0, \quad \text{Var}(X) = \frac{2}{\lambda^2}$$

6- Logistic pdf:

$$f(x) = \frac{e^{-x}}{(1+e^{-x})^2} \quad E[X] = 0, \quad \text{Var}(X) = \frac{\pi^2}{3}$$

7- Cauchy pdf: $f(x) = \frac{1}{\pi(1+x^2)}$

8- Beta pdf: $f(x) = \frac{x^{\alpha-1} (1-x)^{\beta-1}}{\Gamma(\alpha) \Gamma(\beta)}$ $0 < \alpha < 1$

$$E[X] = \frac{\alpha}{\alpha+\beta}, \quad \text{Var}[X] = \frac{\alpha\beta}{(\alpha+\beta)^2(\alpha+\beta+1)}$$

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Qd A No. 9

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1- New random variables for old:

$$\text{If } y = g(x)$$

$$f_Y(y) = f_X(x) \left| \frac{dx}{dy} \right| = f_X(g^{-1}(y)) \left| \frac{1}{g'(x)} \right|$$

$$f_Y(y) = f_X(g^{-1}(y)) \left| \frac{1}{g'(g^{-1}(y))} \right|$$

2- In two dimensional case: $w = g(x, y)$
 $z = h(x, y)$

$$\text{Jacobian: } J = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} \\ \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$J^{-1} = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial w} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial z} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial w} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial z} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$f_{W,Z}(w,z) = f_{X,Y}(x,y) \cdot |J^{-1}|$$

$$f_W(w) = \int f_{W,Z}(w,z) dz$$

- See Example 2.4 (page 35)

- Convolutions: If: $S = X_1 + X_2$

$$\text{Then: } f_S(s) = f_{X_1}(x) * f_{X_2}(x)$$

$$f_S(s) = \int f_{X_1}(x) \cdot f_{X_2}(s-x) dx$$

- See Exercises page 46 ~ 50

1 - If X, Y are independent, then:

$$f(x, y) = f_X(x) \cdot f_Y(y)$$

See Examples 4.9, 4.10, 4.11 (Page 274 ~ 276)

2 - Mean or expected value of X_i :

$$\mu_i = \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} x_j P_{X_i}(x_j) = E[X_i] \quad , X_i \text{ is discrete}$$

$$M_i = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x f_{X_i}(x) dx = E[X_i] \quad , X_i \text{ is continuous}$$

3 - Variance of X_i :

$$\sigma_i^2 = E[(X_i - M_i)^2] = E[X_i^2] - M_i^2$$

$$\text{Var}(X) \geq 0 \quad , \quad \text{Var}(cX) = c^2 \text{Var}(X)$$

$$\text{Var}\left(\sum_{i=1}^n X_i\right) = \sum_{i=1}^n \text{Var}(X_i)$$

4 - Covariance shows measure of dependence between two random variables.

$$\text{Covariance} = c_{ij} = E[(X_i - M_i)(X_j - M_j)]$$

$$c_{ij} = E[X_i X_j] - M_i M_j$$

$$c_{ii} = \sigma_i^2$$

5 - If X_i, X_j are independent, then $c_{ij} = 0$

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1 - If $C_{ij} > 0$ then variables are positively correlated.
If $C_{ij} < 0$, , , negatively correlated.

2 - Correlation :
$$\rho_{ij} = \frac{C_{ij}}{\sqrt{\sigma_i^2 \sigma_j^2}}$$

3 - Covariance stationary :

$$\mu_i = \mu$$
$$\sigma_x^2 = \sigma^2$$

$$C_{i,i+j} = \text{Cov}(X_i, X_{i+j}) = C_{k,k+j}$$

ie. $C_{i,i+j}$ is independent of i and only on the separation samples j (lag)

or:
$$\rho_j = \frac{C_j}{\sigma^2}$$

4 - Estimation of means, variances and correlations

$$\bar{X}(n) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i}{n}, \quad E[\bar{X}(n)] = \mu$$

$$S^2(n) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n [X_i - \bar{X}(n)]^2}{n-1}, \quad E[S^2(n)] = \sigma^2$$

$$\text{Var}[\bar{X}(n)] = \frac{\sigma^2}{n}$$

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Generating ^{NO.12} Uniform Random Variables M.R. Ashraf

1 - Congruential pseudo-random number generators:

$$x_{n+1} = ax_n + b \pmod{m}$$

gives a sequence between $[0, m-1]$

for $x_0 = 89$, $a = 1573$, $b = 19$, $m = 1000$

$$x_1 = 16, \quad x_2 = 187$$

2 -

$$x_{n+1} = 5x_n \pmod{11}$$

$$x_0 = 1, \quad x_1 = 5, \quad x_2 = 3, \quad x_3 = 4, \quad x_4 = 9$$

$$x_5 = 1$$

3 -

$$x_{n+1} = 5x_n \pmod{1000}$$

$$x_1 = 5, \quad x_2 = 25, \quad x_3 = 125, \quad x_4 = 625, \quad x_5 = 125$$

Simulation

Particular NO-13
Methods for
Non-Uniform Random Variables

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1 - for $U_i(0,1)$
 $N = \sum_{i=1}^2 U_i$ has triangular distribution.

2 - for $U_i(0,1)$ $N = \sum_{i=1}^3 U_i$ has bell-shaped distribution.

3 - for $U_i(0,1)$ $N = \sum_{i=1}^{12} U_i - 6$

is an approximately normal random variable with:
 $E(N) = 0$, $\text{Var}[N] = 1$

4 - The Box-Muller method:

If: $U_1, U_2 \rightarrow U(0,1)$ (uniform)

Then: $\begin{cases} N_1 = (-2 \log_e U_1)^{1/2} \cos(2\pi U_2) \\ N_2 = (-2 \log_e U_1)^{1/2} \sin(2\pi U_2) \end{cases}$

$N_1, N_2 \rightarrow N(0,1)$ (normal distribution)

5 - The Polar Marsaglia Method:

If: $V_1, V_2 \rightarrow U(-1,1)$ (uniform dis.)

Then: $\begin{cases} N_1 = V_2 \left(\frac{-2 \log W}{W} \right)^{1/2} \\ N_2 = V_1 \left(\frac{-2 \log W}{W} \right)^{1/2} \end{cases}$ ($W = V_1^2 + V_2^2$)

$N_1, N_2 \rightarrow N(0,1)$ (Normal Dis.)

(V_1, V_2) are rejected proportion $1 - \frac{\pi}{4}$

1 - If $U(0,1)$ is uniform, then $X = -\log_e U$ has exponential p.d.f.

2 - If Y_i 's are independent random variables with $\lambda e^{-\lambda x}$ distribution then:

$$G = \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i$$

has a gamma $\Gamma(n, \lambda)$ distribution.

3 - To simulate $\Gamma(n, \lambda)$ from U_i

$$G = -\frac{1}{\lambda} \sum_{i=1}^n \log_e U_i$$

$$\text{or: } G = -\frac{1}{\lambda} \log_e \left(\prod_{i=1}^n U_i \right)$$

4 - Generating Binomial $B(n, p)$ random variables:

\therefore Generate U_1, U_2, \dots, U_n ($U \in (0,1)$)

\therefore If $U_i \leq p$ set $B_i = 1$

$U_i > p$ set $B_i = 0$

\therefore Find $X = \sum_{i=1}^n B_i$

X has $B(n, p)$ distribution

5 - Poisson variates:

$\therefore E_i$ has $\lambda e^{-\lambda x}$ (exponential distribution)

$\therefore S_K = \sum_{i=1}^K E_i$ (S_K has $\Gamma(K, \lambda)$ distribution)

\therefore If $S_K \leq 1 < S_{K+1}$ Then K has a Poisson distribution.

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General Methods for Non-uniform Random Variables

1 - Table-look-up method for discrete random variables:

\therefore Generate $U(0,1)$

\therefore If $0 \leq U < p_0$ set $X=0$

\therefore If $\sum_{i=0}^{j-1} p_i \leq U < \sum_{i=0}^j p_i$ set $X=j$

2 - Generate random variable X with geometric random variables:

$$p_i = Pr[X=i] = (1-p)^{i-1} p$$

\therefore Generate $U(0,1)$

$$\text{Find } X = 1 + \left\lfloor \frac{\log_e U}{\log_e (1-p)} \right\rfloor$$

$\lfloor y \rfloor$ is integral part of y .

3 - Generate X , where X has poisson distribution given in table below:

i	0	1	2	3	4	5
$Pr(X \leq i)$	0.1353	0.4060	0.6767	0.8571	0.9473	0.9834

From a uniform random number in table below:

U	0.0318	0.5321	0.2489	0.9583	0.5678	0.6777
X	0	2	1	5	2	3

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1 - Simulate an exponential density random variable X where $f(x) = \lambda e^{-\lambda x}$

from a $U(0,1)$ by using inversion method:

$$\therefore F(x) = \int_0^x f(u) du = 1 - e^{-\lambda x}$$

$$X = F^{-1}(U)$$

$$U = F(x) = 1 - e^{-\lambda x}$$

$$X = -\frac{1}{\lambda} \log_e(1-U)$$

$$X = -\frac{1}{\lambda} \log_e U$$