

共七題，總分 100 分

1. (10%) A group of  $N$  people throw their hats into the center of a room. The hats are mixed up, and each person randomly selects a hat. Let  $X$  be the number of people that select their own hat. Find  $E(X)$  and  $\text{var}(X)$ .
2. (15%) Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be independent Poisson random variables with parameters  $\lambda_1$  and  $\lambda_2$  respectively.
  - (a) (10%) Find the distribution of  $X + Y$ .
  - (b) (5%) Compute the conditional distribution of  $X$ , given that  $X + Y = n$ .

Note: You must write down the computing process in details.

3. (15%) A coin is selected from a box and flipped three times. Let  $A$  be the event of {Head, Tail, Head}. Suppose that the probability that the selected coin occurs a head is a random variable  $Y$ , where  $Y$  is assumed to be uniformly distributed on  $[0, 1]$ .
  - (a) (10%) Compute  $P(A)$  and the conditional probability density function  $f_{Y|A}(y|A)$ .
  - (b) (5%) For what value of  $y$  does this conditional density have a maximum value?
4. (15%) Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample from a normal population  $N(0, 1)$ .
  - (a) (5%) Show that

$$V_n = \frac{X_1^2 + X_2^2 + \dots + X_n^2}{n}$$

converges in probability to 1.

- (b) (10%) Find the limiting distribution of

$$W_n = \sqrt{n} \frac{X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_n}{X_1^2 + X_2^2 + \dots + X_n^2}$$

5. (10%) Let  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample of size  $n$  from a distribution with the p.d.f.

$$f(x; \theta) = \frac{3\theta^3}{x^4} \quad \text{for } x \geq \theta,$$

where  $\theta > 0$  is an unknown parameter. Find the maximum likelihood estimate  $\hat{\theta}$  and a one-dimensional sufficient statistic.

6. (15%) Let  $X$  be a random variable whose p.d.f. is given by

$$H_0: f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x, & 0 < x < 0.5 \\ 2-x, & 0.5 \leq x < 1 \end{cases} \quad \text{v.s.} \quad H_1: f(x) = 1, \text{ if } 0 < x < 1.$$

- (a) (10%) State the Neyman-Pearson Lemma. On the basis of one observation, find a most powerful test of size  $\alpha$ , assuming that  $0 < \alpha < 0.5$ .
- (b) (5%) Find the power of your test.
7. (20%) Suppose that  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  are a random sample from a uniform population  $U(0, \theta)$ . Define  $M_n = \max\{X_1, \dots, X_n\}$ .
- (a) (10%) Find the p.d.f. for  $M_n$  and show that  $E_\theta(M_n - \theta)^2 = 2\theta^2/(n+1)(n+2)$ .
- (b) (10%) Use the Chebyshev inequality to show that an approximate  $(1 - \alpha)$  confidence interval for  $\theta$  is

$$\left( M_n, M_n \left( 1 + \frac{1}{n} \sqrt{\frac{2}{\alpha}} \right) \right).$$