

AMS 316 HW#1 Solution.

1. From the joint distribution, we know

$$X+Y, X-Y : \quad (a, a) \quad (a, -a) \quad (-a, a) \quad (-a, -a)$$

$$\text{Prob} : \quad \frac{1}{4} \quad \frac{1}{4} \quad \frac{1}{4} \quad \frac{1}{4}$$

$$X+Y : \quad a \quad -a$$

$$\text{Prob} : \quad \frac{1}{2} \quad \frac{1}{2}$$

$$X-Y : \quad a \quad -a$$

$$\text{Prob} : \quad \frac{1}{2} \quad \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow P(X+Y, X-Y) = P(X+Y) \cdot P(X-Y)$$

$$\Rightarrow X+Y \perp X-Y$$

2.

$$E(X) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x f(x) dx = \frac{1}{B(a,b)} \int_0^1 x^a (1-x)^{b-1} dx = \frac{B(a+1, b)}{B(a, b)}$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = E(X^2) - (E(X))^2 \quad \text{and} \quad E(X^2) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^2 f(x) dx = \frac{1}{B(a,b)} \int_0^1 x^{a+2} (1-x)^{b-1} dx$$

$$= \frac{B(a+2, b)}{B(a, b)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Var}(X) = \frac{B(a+2, b)}{B(a, b)} - \frac{B^2(a+1, b)}{B^2(a, b)}$$

3. From x, y, z joint density, we can get x, y and z are independent

And x, y & z iid $N(0, \sigma^2)$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{x^2}{\sigma^2} + \frac{y^2}{\sigma^2} + \frac{z^2}{\sigma^2} \right) \sim \chi^2(3), \quad \text{Make } a = \frac{1}{\sigma^2} (x^2 + y^2 + z^2).$$

$$\text{We know } a \sim \chi^2(3) \text{ and } f_a(a) = (2\pi)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot a^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot e^{-\frac{a}{2}} \quad 0 \leq a < \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow w^2 = \sigma^2 a^*, \quad a = \frac{w^2}{\sigma^2} \quad \frac{\partial a}{\partial w} = \frac{2w}{\sigma^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(w) = (2\pi)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot \frac{w}{\sigma} \cdot e^{-\frac{w^2}{2\sigma^2}} \cdot \frac{2w}{\sigma^2}$$

$$= \left(\frac{2}{\pi}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \sigma^{-3} w^2 \exp\left(-\frac{w^2}{2\sigma^2}\right), \quad w > 0$$

4. $\sigma^2 = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} (x-\mu)^2 f(x) dx$ according to the definition of variance.

and $f(x) \geq 0$, $(x-\mu)^2 \geq 0$, so $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} (x-\mu)^2 f(x) dx \geq \int_{|x-\mu| \geq \varepsilon} (x-\mu)^2 f(x) dx$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma^2 \geq \int_{|x-\mu| \geq \varepsilon} (x-\mu)^2 f(x) dx$$

When $|x-\mu| \geq \varepsilon$, $(x-\mu)^2 \geq \varepsilon^2$, so $\int_{|x-\mu| \geq \varepsilon} (x-\mu)^2 f(x) dx \geq \int_{|x-\mu| \geq \varepsilon} \varepsilon^2 f(x) dx$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{|x-\mu| \geq \varepsilon} (x-\mu)^2 f(x) dx \geq \varepsilon^2 \int_{|x-\mu| \geq \varepsilon} f(x) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \varepsilon^2 \int_{|x-\mu| \geq \varepsilon} f(x) dx \leq \sigma^2$$

$$\int_{|x-\mu| \geq \varepsilon} f(x) dx \leq \frac{\sigma^2}{\varepsilon^2}$$

$$P(|X-\mu| \geq \varepsilon) \leq \frac{\sigma^2}{\varepsilon^2}$$

5.

$$X = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i / n \quad \text{and} \quad X_1, \dots, X_n \stackrel{\text{i.i.d.}}{\sim} (\mu, \sigma^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow X \sim \left(\mu, \frac{\sigma^2}{n}\right)$$

Using the last formula in Q4, we have

$$P(|X-\mu| \geq \varepsilon) \leq \frac{\sigma^2}{n \cdot \varepsilon^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P(|X-\mu| \geq \varepsilon) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P(|X-\mu| < \varepsilon) = 1, \quad \text{LLN is showed.}$$