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1. (15 分) For uniform distribution  $U(0,1)$  random variables  $U_1, U_2, \dots$ , define  $N = \min\{n: \sum_{i=1}^n U_i > 1\}$ . That is,  $N$  is the number of random numbers that must be summed to exceed 1. Compute the density function of  $N$ ,  $E(N)$ , and  $Var(N)$ .
2. (20 分) Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be independently and identically distributed  $N(0, \sigma^2)$  random variables. Show that:
  - (a)  $X^2 + Y^2$  and  $\frac{X}{\sqrt{X^2 + Y^2}}$  are independent.
  - (b)  $\theta$  is uniformly distributed on  $(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2})$ , if  $\theta = \sin^{-1} \frac{X}{\sqrt{X^2 + Y^2}}$ .
  - (c)  $X/Y$  has a Cauchy distribution.
3. (15 分) Sequential Probability Ratio Test (SPRT), developed by Wald, can be used to test simple null hypothesis ( $H_0$ ) versus simple alternative hypothesis ( $H_1$ ). The test is based on the ratio of likelihood function under  $H_0$  and  $H_1$ , i.e.,

$$\lambda_n = \frac{\prod_{i=1}^n f(X_i | H_0)}{\prod_{i=1}^n f(X_i | H_1)} \quad \text{or} \quad \log \lambda_n = \sum_{i=1}^n \log \left( \frac{f(X_i | H_0)}{f(X_i | H_1)} \right),$$

where  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  are a random sample from p.d.f.  $f(x | H_J)$  with  $J = 0$  or  $1$ . The rule of applying SPRT is to continue sampling until  $\log \lambda_n \geq B$  or  $\log \lambda_n \leq A$ , where  $B > A$ . The values of  $A$  and  $B$  depend on the type I error  $\alpha$  and type II error  $\beta$ . It is proved that the SPRT minimizes the sample size under  $H_0$  and  $H_1$ , given the error probabilities  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ . Suppose the sample is drawn from Bernoulli distribution  $B(1, \theta)$  with  $H_0: \theta = 3/8$  and  $H_1: \theta = 1/2$ . Let  $\alpha = \beta = 0.05$ . Compute the expected sample size if  $H_0$  is true, and the expected sample if  $H_1$  is true.

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4. (15分) Let  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample from Bernoulli( $p$ ) distribution and

$$Y_n = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i}{n}. \quad \text{(a) Show that } \sqrt{n}(Y_n - p) \rightarrow N(0, p(1-p)) \text{ in distribution.}$$

(b) Show that for  $p = 1/2$ ,  $n[Y_n(1-Y_n) - \frac{1}{4}] \rightarrow -\frac{1}{4}\chi_1^2$  in distribution.

5. (15分) Let  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample from uniform distribution

$$U(\theta - \frac{1}{2}, \theta + \frac{1}{2}). \text{ Show that for any } T \text{ such that } X_{(n)} - \frac{1}{2} \leq T \leq X_{(1)} + \frac{1}{2} \text{ is a}$$

maximum likelihood estimate of  $\theta$ , where  $X_{(1)} = \min\{X_1, \dots, X_n\}$  and

$$X_{(n)} = \max\{X_1, \dots, X_n\}.$$

6. (20分) Let  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample from uniform distribution  $U(0, \theta)$  and

$$R = X_{(n)} - X_{(1)}, \text{ where } X_{(n)} = \max\{X_1, \dots, X_n\} \text{ and } X_{(1)} = \min\{X_1, \dots, X_n\}.$$

(a) Find the distribution of  $R$ .

(b) Show that a confidence interval for  $\theta$ , based on  $R$ , with confidence coefficient  $1-\alpha$

is of the form  $[R, R/c]$ , where  $c$  is the root of the equation  $c^{n-1}[n - (n-1)c] = \alpha$ .

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