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1. (15pts) Let  $X$  be a random variable on the probability space  $(\Omega, A, P)$ . Prove Chebyshev's inequality: for any  $a > 0$ ,

$$P(|X| \geq a) \leq \frac{1}{a^2} E(X^2)$$

2. (30pts) Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots$  be i.i.d. Uniform $[0, \theta]$ , for  $\theta > 0$ . Show that

(a) (15pts)  $X_{(n)}$  is the MLE of  $\theta$ .

(b) (15pts)  $n(\theta - X_{(n)})$  converges in distribution to the Exponential distribution with mean  $\theta$ .

3. (55pts) The Poisson distribution  $P(\lambda)$  with parameter  $\lambda > 0$  is

$$p_\lambda(\kappa) = \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^\kappa}{\kappa!}, \text{ for } \kappa = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

(a) (10pts) Show that the gamma family of distributions constitutes a conjugate family of priors for  $\lambda$ .

(b) (10pts)  $X \sim P(\lambda)$ . Find the risk function of  $\delta(X) = X$  under the loss function

$$\ell(\lambda, d) = \frac{(\lambda - d)^2}{\lambda}$$

(c) (5pts) Show that  $P(\lambda)$  has moment generating function

$$M(t) = \exp\{\lambda(e^t - 1)\}$$

(d) (10pts) Show that for  $0 < x < 1$ ,  $x - \frac{x^2}{2} < \log(1+x) < x$ .  
(Hint: use Taylor expansion of  $\log(1+x)$  around  $x=0$ )

(e) (10pts) Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots$  be i.i.d.  $P(\lambda)$ ,  $\lambda > 0$ . Let  $S_n = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$ . Show that, for  $t > 0$ ,

$$P(S_n > n(\lambda + \epsilon)) \leq \exp\{n\lambda(e^t - 1) - nt(\lambda + \epsilon)\}.$$

(f) (10pts) Show that for  $0 < \epsilon < \lambda/2$ ,  $P(S_n > n(\lambda + \epsilon)) \leq \exp\{-\frac{n\epsilon^2}{4\lambda}\}$

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- 一、作答於試題上者，不予計分。  
二、試題請隨卷繳交。