

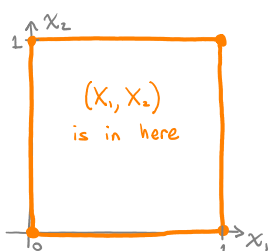
4. Suppose that  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  are iid  $\text{Unif}[0,1]$ . Let  $Y_1 = X_1 + X_2$  and  $Y_2 = X_1 - X_2$ .

(a) Find the region of possible values of the pair  $(Y_1, Y_2)$ .

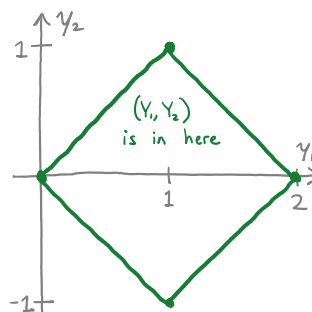
Note that the transformation is linear: 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} Y_1 \\ Y_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Linear transformations map parallelograms to parallelograms.

The point  $(X_1, X_2)$  lies in a square. Let's see where the transformation maps this square:



- $(0,0) \mapsto (0,0)$
- $(1,0) \mapsto (1,1)$
- $(1,1) \mapsto (2,0)$
- $(0,1) \mapsto (1,-1)$



(b) Find the inverse transformation functions  $v_1$  and  $v_2$  such that  $X_1 = v_1(Y_1, Y_2)$  and  $X_2 = v_2(Y_1, Y_2)$ .

Invert the transformation matrix: 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

So 
$$\begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} Y_1 \\ Y_2 \end{bmatrix},$$
 which means

$$X_1 = v_1(Y_1, Y_2) = \frac{Y_1 + Y_2}{2} \quad \text{and} \quad X_2 = v_2(Y_1, Y_2) = \frac{Y_1 - Y_2}{2}$$

(c) Use the transformation theorem to find the joint pdf of  $Y_1$  and  $Y_2$ .

Jacobian matrix: 
$$M = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial v_1}{\partial y_1} & \frac{\partial v_1}{\partial y_2} \\ \frac{\partial v_2}{\partial y_1} & \frac{\partial v_2}{\partial y_2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

So: 
$$\det(M) = \frac{1}{2} \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = -\frac{1}{2}$$

The joint density of  $Y_1$  and  $Y_2$  is:

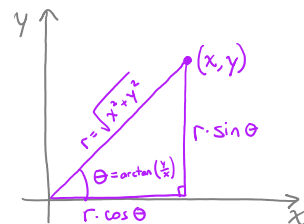
$$g(y_1, y_2) = f(v_1(y_1, y_2), v_2(y_1, y_2)) \cdot |\det(M)| = 1 \cdot \left|\frac{1}{2}\right| = \frac{1}{2}$$

on the region found in part (a).

5. Let  $(X, Y)$  be a random point in the plane, where  $X$  and  $Y$  are independent standard normal random variables. Let  $(R, \Theta)$  be the polar coordinates of  $(X, Y)$ . Find the joint density of  $R$  and  $\Theta$ . Then find the marginal densities of  $R$  and  $\Theta$ . What is the probability that the point  $(X, Y)$  lies in a circle of radius 1 centered at the origin?

Transformations:

$$(X, Y) \begin{matrix} \xrightarrow{R = \sqrt{X^2 + Y^2}, \Theta = \arctan\left(\frac{Y}{X}\right)} \\ \xleftarrow{X = R \cdot \cos \Theta, Y = R \cdot \sin \Theta} \end{matrix} (R, \Theta)$$



Region:  $X$  and  $Y$  may be any real numbers, so  $R \geq 0$  and  $0 \leq \Theta < 2\pi$ .

Joint Density:  $N(0, 1)$  has pdf  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-x^2/2}$   
 $X$  and  $Y$  are independent, so  $f(x, y) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-x^2/2} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-y^2/2}$   
 $f(x, y) = \frac{1}{2\pi} e^{-(x^2+y^2)/2}$

From the video for today, the transformation theorem gives:

$$g(r, \theta) = f(r \cdot \cos \theta, r \cdot \sin \theta) \cdot r$$

Thus:  $g(r, \theta) = \frac{1}{2\pi} e^{-(r^2 \cos^2 \theta + r^2 \sin^2 \theta)/2} \cdot r$

$$g(r, \theta) = \frac{r}{2\pi} e^{-r^2/2} \quad \text{for } r \geq 0, 0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$$

Marginal densities:

of  $\theta$ :  $g_\theta(\theta) = \int_0^\infty \frac{r}{2\pi} e^{-r^2/2} dr = \frac{1}{2\pi} e^{-r^2/2} \Big|_{r=0}^{r=\infty} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \text{ for } 0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$   
 $\theta \sim \text{Unif}[0, 2\pi]$

of  $R$ :  $g_r(r) = \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{r}{2\pi} e^{-r^2/2} d\theta = \frac{r}{2\pi} e^{-r^2/2} \Big|_{\theta=0}^{\theta=2\pi} = r e^{-r^2/2} \text{ for } r \geq 0$

$R$  has a Rayleigh distribution

Inside circle:

$$P(R < 1) = \int_0^1 r e^{-r^2/2} dr = -e^{-r^2/2} \Big|_{r=0}^{r=1} = 1 - e^{-1/2} \approx 0.393$$

1. Let  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  be iid  $\text{Exp}\left(\frac{1}{10}\right)$ .  $\rightarrow f(x) = \frac{1}{10} e^{-x/10}$  for  $x > 0$ ,  $F(x) = 1 - e^{-x/10}$  for  $x > 0$

(a) What is the pdf of  $Y_1 = \min(X_1, X_2)$ ?

$$g_1(y) = n [1 - F(y)]^{n-1} f(y) = 2 [1 - (1 - e^{-y/10})]^1 \left(\frac{1}{10} e^{-y/10}\right) = 2 [e^{-y/10}] \left(\frac{1}{10} e^{-y/10}\right) = \frac{1}{5} e^{-y/5} \text{ for } y > 0$$

$Y_1 \sim \text{Exp}(\lambda = \frac{1}{5})$   $\rightarrow$

(b) What is the expected value of  $Y_1$ ?

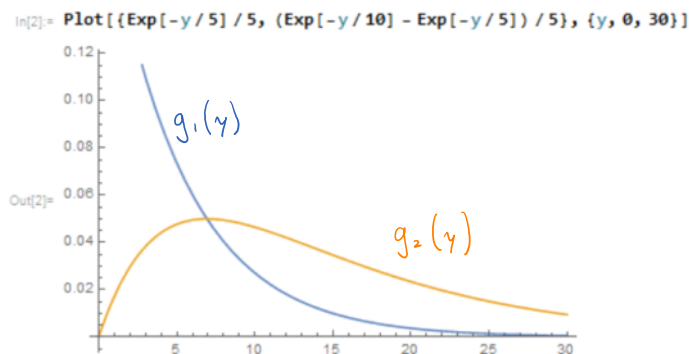
$$E(Y_1) = 5$$

(c) What is the pdf of  $Y_2 = \max(X_1, X_2)$ ? What is  $E(Y_2)$ ?

$$g_2(y) = n [F(y)]^{n-1} f(y) = 2 [1 - e^{-y/10}]^1 \left(\frac{1}{10} e^{-y/10}\right) = \frac{2}{10} (e^{-y/10} - e^{-y/5}) = \frac{1}{5} (e^{-y/10} - e^{-y/5}) \text{ for } y > 0$$

$$E(Y_2) = \int_0^{\infty} y \cdot \frac{1}{5} (e^{-y/10} - e^{-y/5}) dy = 15$$

pdfs of  $Y_1$  and  $Y_2$ :



2. Let  $X_1, X_2, X_3$  be iid  $\text{Exp}\left(\frac{1}{10}\right)$ . What is the expected value of the sample median?

sample median is  $Y_2$  ( $n=3, i=2$ )

$$g_2(y) = \frac{3!}{1! 1!} [1 - e^{-y/10}]^1 [e^{-y/10}]^1 \left(\frac{1}{10} e^{-y/10}\right) = \frac{6}{10} [1 - e^{-y/10}] e^{-y/5} = \frac{3}{5} (e^{-y/5} - e^{-3y/10}) \text{ for } y > 0$$

$$E(Y_2) = \int_0^{\infty} y \cdot \frac{3}{5} (e^{-y/5} - e^{-3y/10}) dy = \frac{25}{3}$$

3. Let  $X_1, X_2, X_3$  be iid  $\text{Unif}[0,1]$ . What is the probability that the sample median is between  $\frac{1}{4}$  and  $\frac{3}{4}$ ?

$n=3$ ,  $\text{Unif}[0,1]$  has pdf  $f(x)=1$ , cdf  $F(x)=x$ , for  $0 \leq x \leq 1$

density of the sample median:

$$g_2(y) = \frac{3!}{(2-1)!(3-2)!} y(1-y) = 6y(1-y) \quad \text{for } 0 \leq y \leq 1$$

$$\text{Thus, } P\left(\frac{1}{4} < Y_2 < \frac{3}{4}\right) = \int_{\frac{1}{4}}^{\frac{3}{4}} (6y - 6y^2) dy = \left[3y^2 - 2y^3\right]_{\frac{1}{4}}^{\frac{3}{4}} = \frac{11}{16}$$

4. Let  $n$  be a positive odd integer and let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be iid Unif[0,1]. What is the smallest  $n$  such that the sample median is between 0.4 and 0.6 with probability greater than  $\frac{1}{2}$ ?

median is  $Y_i$  with  $i = \frac{n+1}{2}$

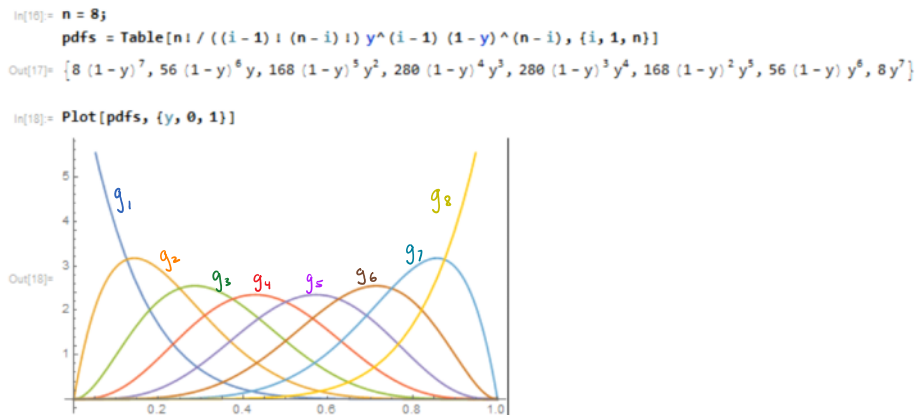
$$\text{density: } g_i(y) = \frac{n!}{(i-1)!(n-i)!} y^{i-1} (1-y)^{n-i} = \frac{n!}{\left(\frac{n-1}{2}\right)!^2} y^{\frac{n-1}{2}} (1-y)^{\frac{n-1}{2}}$$

Use Mathematica to compute  $\int_{0.4}^{0.6} g_i(y) dy$  for various  $n$ .

The smallest odd  $n$  such that  $\int_{0.4}^{0.6} g_i(y) dy > \frac{1}{2}$  is  $n = 11$ .

5. Let  $X_1, \dots, X_8$  be iid Unif[0,1].

(a) Make a plot of the pdfs of all eight order statistics.



(b) What are the expected values of all eight order statistics?

$$E(Y_i) = \frac{i}{9}$$