

# 13.1 MOMENT GENERATING FUNCTION:

IF  $X$  IS A RANDOM VARIABLE THEN

$$M(t) := E(e^{t \cdot X})$$

FACTS:  $M'(0) = E(X)$

$$M''(0) = E(X^2)$$

## 13.1 $X \sim \text{GEO}(p)$ : $P(X = k) = p \cdot (1-p)^{k-1}$

L.O.T.U.S.

$k = 1, 2, \dots$

$$E(e^{t \cdot X}) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} e^{t \cdot k} \cdot P(X = k) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} e^{t \cdot k} \cdot p \cdot (1-p)^{k-1} =$$

$$= p \cdot e^t \cdot \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (e^t \cdot (1-p))^{k-1} = \begin{cases} +\infty, & \text{IF } e^t \cdot (1-p) \geq 1 \\ \frac{p \cdot e^t}{1 - e^t \cdot (1-p)}, & \text{IF } e^t \cdot (1-p) < 1 \end{cases}$$

THUS  $M(t) = \frac{p}{e^{-t} - (1-p)}$

IF  $t < \ln\left(\frac{1}{1-p}\right)$

$$M'(t) = \frac{p \cdot e^{-t}}{(p + e^{-t} - 1)^2}$$

$$M''(t) = p \cdot \left( \frac{2 \cdot e^{-2t}}{(p + e^{-t} - 1)^3} - \frac{e^{-t}}{(p + e^{-t} - 1)^2} \right)$$

$$E(X) = M'(0) = \frac{1}{p}$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = M''(0) - \left(\frac{1}{p}\right)^2 =$$

$$= p \cdot \left( \frac{2}{p^3} - \frac{1}{p^2} \right) - \frac{1}{p^2} = \frac{1-p}{p^2} \quad \checkmark$$

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$$X \sim \text{UNI}[a, b] \quad f(x) = \frac{1}{b-a} \cdot \mathbb{1}[a < x < b]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}(e^{t \cdot X}) &\stackrel{\text{L.O.F.U.S}}{=} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{t \cdot x} \cdot f(x) dx = \int_a^b e^{t \cdot x} \cdot \frac{1}{b-a} dx \\ &= \frac{e^{t \cdot b} - e^{t \cdot a}}{t \cdot (b-a)} = M(t) \end{aligned}$$

IF  $t \neq 0$

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$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} M(t) = 1 \quad \text{AND OF COURSE: } \mathbb{E}(e^{0 \cdot X}) = 1$$

$$M'(t) = \dots = \frac{(a \cdot t - 1) \cdot e^{a \cdot t} + (1 - b \cdot t) \cdot e^{b \cdot t}}{t^2 \cdot (a - b)}$$

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} M'(t) \stackrel{\uparrow}{=} \frac{a^2 - b^2}{2 \cdot (a - b)} = \frac{a + b}{2} \quad \checkmark$$

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CENTRAL LIMIT THEOREM (C.L.T.):

IF  $X_1, X_2, \dots$  ARE I.I.D.,  $\mathbb{E}(X_i) = \mu$ ,  $\text{Var}(X_i) = \sigma^2$ ,  
 $S_n = X_1 + \dots + X_n$  THEN  $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}$ :

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P\left(\frac{S_n - n \cdot \mu}{\sigma \cdot \sqrt{n}} < x\right) = \Phi(x) \quad \text{C.D.F. OF } \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$$

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AN APPLICATION: IF  $X_i \sim \text{POI}(1)$  THEN

$$\boxed{S_n \sim \text{POI}(n)} \quad \boxed{E(X_i) = 1} \quad \boxed{\text{Var}(X_i) = 1}$$

THUS  $P\left(\frac{S_n - n}{\sqrt{n}} < x\right) \stackrel{\text{C.L.T.}}{\approx} \Phi(x)$  IF  $n$  IS LARGE

13.2  $X_i \sim \text{EXP}\left(\frac{1}{5}\right)$   $\boxed{\mu = 5}$   $\boxed{\sigma^2 = 25}$   $\boxed{\text{C.L.T.}}$

$$P(S_{100} > 525) = P\left(\frac{S_{100} - 5 \cdot 100}{\sqrt{25} \cdot \sqrt{100}} > \frac{525 - 5 \cdot 100}{\sqrt{25} \cdot \sqrt{100}}\right) \approx$$

$\swarrow Y \sim N(0,1)$

$$\approx P\left(Y > \frac{25}{50}\right) = 1 - \Phi\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = 1 - 0.6915 = 0.3085$$

ALTERNATIVE SOLUTION: IF WE HAD  $\infty$ -LY MANY LIGHT BULBS THEN THE TIMES OF LIGHT-BULB CHANGES WOULD FORM A P.P.P. WITH INTENSITY  $1/5$ . THUS THE NUMBER  $N$  OF LIGHT-BULB CHANGES IN  $[0, 525]$  WOULD HAVE  $\text{POI}(105)$  DISTRIBUTION.

$$P(N < 100) = P\left(\frac{N - 105}{\sqrt{105}} < \frac{100 - 105}{\sqrt{105}}\right) \stackrel{\text{C.L.T.}}{\approx}$$
$$\approx \Phi\left(\frac{-5}{\sqrt{105}}\right) = \Phi(-0.488) = 1 - \Phi(0.488) \approx$$

$$1 - 0.6879 = 0.3121$$

$$\boxed{13.3} \quad E(X_i) = 74 \quad \sqrt{\text{Var}(X_i)} = 14$$

$$a) \quad P\left(\frac{S_{25}}{25} \geq 80\right) = P(S_{25} \geq 2000) =$$

$$P\left(\frac{S_{25} - 25 \cdot 74}{\sqrt{25} \cdot 14} \geq \frac{2000 - 25 \cdot 74}{\sqrt{25} \cdot 14}\right) \stackrel{\text{C.L.T.}}{\approx} P\left(\mathcal{Y} \geq \frac{150}{70}\right)$$

$$= 1 - \Phi\left(\frac{15}{7}\right) = 1 - 0.9838 = 0.0162$$

b)  $\frac{1}{2}$  AND WE WILL SEE WHY FROM THE SOLUTION OF c)

$$c) \quad S_{25} = X_1 + \dots + X_{25}, \quad S_{64}^* = X_1^* + \dots + X_{64}^*$$

$$\mathcal{Y} := \frac{S_{25} - 25 \cdot 74}{5 \cdot 14} \quad \mathcal{Y}^* = \frac{S_{64}^* - 64 \cdot 74}{8 \cdot 14}$$

$$P\left(\frac{S_{25}}{25} + 2.2 < \frac{S_{64}^*}{64}\right) =$$

$$P\left(\frac{5 \cdot 14 \cdot \mathcal{Y} + 25 \cdot 74}{25} + 2.2 < \frac{8 \cdot 14 \cdot \mathcal{Y}^* + 64 \cdot 74}{64}\right) =$$

$$P\left(\frac{14}{5} \cdot \mathcal{Y} + 2.2 < \frac{14}{8} \cdot \mathcal{Y}^*\right) = P\left(2.2 < \frac{14}{8} \cdot \mathcal{Y}^* - \frac{14}{5} \cdot \mathcal{Y}\right)$$

C.L.T.  $\Rightarrow \mathcal{Y} \approx \mathcal{N}(0, 1), \mathcal{Y}^* \approx \mathcal{N}(0, 1), \text{ i.i.d.}$  😊

$$\text{THUS } Z := \left(\frac{14}{8} \cdot \mathcal{Y}^* - \frac{14}{5} \cdot \mathcal{Y}\right) \sim \mathcal{N}\left(0, \left(\frac{14}{8}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{14}{5}\right)^2\right) = \mathcal{N}(0, 5^2)$$

$$\boxed{5 = 3.3} \quad \text{😊} = P(2.2 < Z_1) = 1 - \Phi\left(\frac{2.2}{3.3}\right)$$

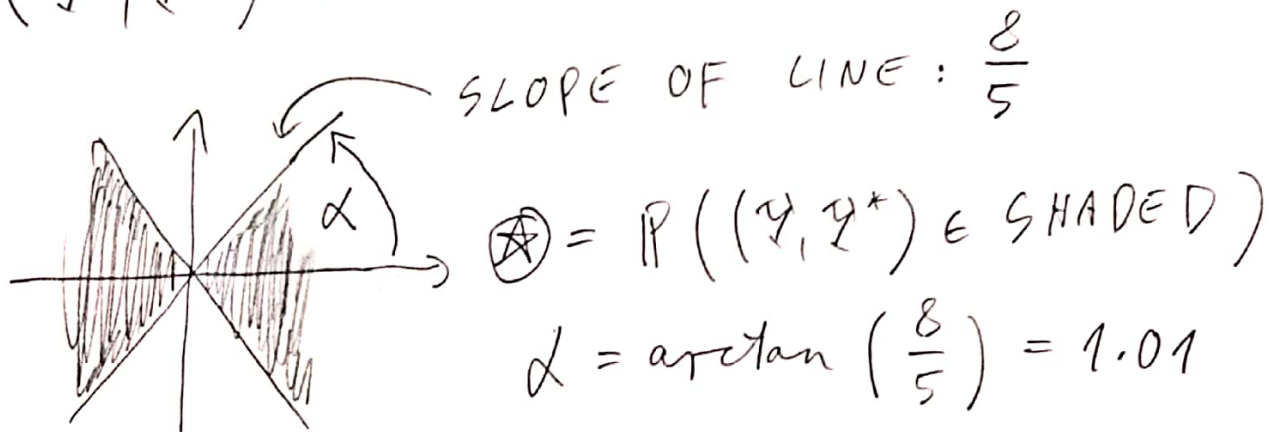
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$$13.3 (d) \quad P\left(\left|\frac{S_{64}^*}{64} - 74\right| < \left|\frac{S_{25}}{25} - 74\right|\right) =$$

$$P\left(\left|\frac{14}{8} \cdot Y^*\right| < \left|\frac{14}{5} \cdot Y\right|\right) = P\left(|Y^*| < \frac{8}{5} \cdot |Y|\right) = \star$$

$(Y, Y^*)$  IS 2DIM STANDARD NORMAL



ANGLE OF  $(Y, Y^*)$  IS UNIFORM ON  $[0, 2\pi]$

$$\star = \frac{4\alpha}{2\pi} = 0.64$$

$$13.4 \quad E(X_i) = \mu, \quad \sqrt{\text{Var}(X_i)} = 2$$

$$0.95 \stackrel{\text{WANT}}{=} P\left(\left|\frac{S_n}{n} - \mu\right| \leq 0.5\right) = P\left(\left|\frac{S_n - n\mu}{2\sqrt{n}}\right| \leq \frac{0.5\sqrt{n}}{2}\right)$$

$\swarrow$  C.L.T.

$$\approx P\left(|Y| \leq \frac{\sqrt{n}}{4}\right) = \Phi\left(\frac{\sqrt{n}}{4}\right) - \Phi\left(-\frac{\sqrt{n}}{4}\right) =$$

$$= 2 \cdot \Phi\left(\frac{\sqrt{n}}{4}\right) - 1, \quad \text{THUS: WANT: } 0.975 = \Phi\left(\frac{\sqrt{n}}{4}\right)$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{n}}{4} = \Phi^{-1}(0.975) = 1.96, \quad \text{THUS } \boxed{n = 62}$$

WHERE

$$Y \sim N(0, 1)$$

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13.5  $X \sim \text{BIN}(60, \frac{1}{2})$   $E(X) = 30$ ,  $\text{Var}(X) = 15$

a)  $P(|X - 30| \geq 20) \stackrel{\text{CHEB.}}{\leq} \frac{\text{Var}(X)}{(20)^2} = 0.0375$

b) DE MOIVRE-CAPLACE IS NOT TOO INFORMATI VE:

$$P\left(\left|\frac{X-30}{\sqrt{15}}\right| \geq \frac{20}{\sqrt{15}}\right) \approx P\left(|Y| \geq 5.16\right) =$$

$$2 \cdot \left(1 - \underbrace{\Phi(5.16)}_{\leftarrow N(0,1)}\right) \approx 2 \cdot (1-1) = 0$$

THIS VALUE DOES NOT EVEN APPEAR ON OUR  $\Phi$  TABLE, AND ALSO THE ERROR TERM OF THE C.L.T. APPROXIMATION IS OF ORDER  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}$  (ACCORDING TO THE BERRY-ESSÉN THEOREM), SO THE ERROR TERM IS BIGGER THAN THE PROBABILITY THAT WE WANT TO APPROX.

c)  $E(Y_\beta) = \underbrace{M_X(\beta)} = \dots = 2^{-60} \cdot (1+e^\beta)^{60}$

MOMENT GENERATING FUNCTION OF  $X$   
EVALUATED AT  $\beta$

$$d) P(X \geq 50) \stackrel{\beta \geq 0}{=} P(e^{\beta \cdot X} \geq e^{\beta \cdot 50}) =$$

$$P(Y_{\beta} \geq e^{\beta \cdot 50}) \stackrel{\text{MARKOV}}{\leq} \frac{E(Y_{\beta})}{e^{\beta \cdot 50}} = \frac{2^{-60} \cdot (1+e^{\beta})^{60}}{e^{\beta \cdot 50}}$$

$$e) g(\beta) := \frac{2^{-60} \cdot (1+e^{\beta})^{60}}{e^{\beta \cdot 50}} \quad \boxed{\min_{\beta > 0} g(\beta) = ?}$$

$$f(\beta) := \frac{1}{60} \cdot \ln(g(\beta)) = \ln\left(\frac{1+e^{\beta}}{2}\right) - \frac{5}{6}\beta$$

$$f'(\beta) = \frac{e^{\beta}}{1+e^{\beta}} - \frac{5}{6}, \quad f''(\beta) > 0 \quad (f \text{ IS CONVEX})$$

$$\boxed{f'(\beta^*) = 0} \implies \boxed{\beta^* = \ln(5)} \quad g(\beta^*) = \frac{3^{60}}{5^{50}}$$

$$e) P(|X-30| \geq 20) = \underbrace{P(X \geq 50)}_{\leq \frac{3^{60}}{5^{50}}} + \underbrace{P(X \leq 10)}_{\text{☺}}$$

$$\text{☺} = P(\text{NUMBER OF TAILS} \geq 50) \leq \frac{3^{60}}{5^{50}}, \text{ THUS}$$

$$P(|X-30| \geq 20) \leq 2 \cdot \frac{3^{60}}{5^{50}} < 10^{-6} \quad (\text{MUCH BETTER BOUND THAN THE ONE OBTAINED IN a)})$$

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