

\* PROBLEM 30.1

$f(x) = \frac{\cos(x)}{2} \quad \left[-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$ 
 $\Rightarrow$  PROBABILITY DENSITY FUNCTION  
 $\Rightarrow$  MEAN = 0

$ZM_2 = \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} x^2 \cos(x) dx$

$x^2$	$\cos(x)$	
$2x$	$\sin(x)$	+
$2$	$-\cos(x)$	-
$0$	$-\sin(x)$	+

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= x^2 \sin(x) + 2x \cos(x) - 2 \sin(x) \Big|_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \\
 &= (x^2 - 2) \sin(x) + 2x \cos(x) \Big|_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \\
 &= \frac{\pi^2 - 8}{2} \\
 &= \frac{\pi^2 - 8}{4} = 0.4674
 \end{aligned}$$

\* PROBLEM 30.2

$f(x) = \frac{1}{b-a} \quad [a, b] \quad a \leq x \leq b$   
 $\text{else} = 0$   
 $a=1 \quad b=5 \quad f(x) = \frac{1}{5-1} \quad f(x) = \frac{1}{4}$

A)

$$\begin{aligned}
 M_n &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^n f(x) dx \\
 &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^n \left(\frac{1}{5-1}\right) dx \\
 &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{4} dx \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^n dx \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{x^{n+1}}{4(n+1)} \Big|_{-\infty}^{\infty}$$

B) VARIANCE

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Var}(f) &= M_2 - M_1^2 \\
 &= \int_1^5 \frac{x^2}{4} dx - \left( \int_1^5 \frac{x}{4} dx \right)^2 \\
 &= \int_1^5 \frac{x^2}{4} dx - 9 \\
 &= \frac{31}{3} - 9
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{4}{3}$$

STANDARD DEVIATION

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sigma &= \sqrt{\text{Var}(f)} \\
 \sigma &= \sqrt{\frac{4}{3}} \\
 \sigma &= \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{3}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\sigma = 1.1547$$

\* PROBLEM 30.3

$$f(x) \quad \text{for } x < 0 \quad f(x) = 0$$

$$\text{for } x > 0 \quad f(x) = \frac{1}{\log(2)} \frac{e^{-x}}{1 + e^{-x}}$$

A)  $\Rightarrow$  VERIFYING THAT  $f(x)$  IS A PROBABILITY DENSITY FUNCTION

①.  $f(x)$  IS POSITIVE EVERYWHERE

②.  $f(x)$  IS A PIECE-WISE CONTINUOUS FUNCTION

③.  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx = 1$

$$\int_0^{\infty} \frac{1}{\log(2)} \frac{e^{-x}}{1 + e^{-x}} dx$$

$$-\frac{1}{\log(2)} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{e^{-x}}{1 + e^{-x}} dx \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} u = e^{-x} + 1 \\ du = -e^{-x} dx \end{array} \right\}$$

$$-\frac{1}{\log(2)} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{1}{u} du$$

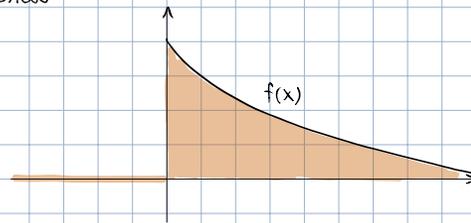
$$-\frac{1}{\log(2)} \cdot \log(u) + C$$

$$= -\frac{1}{\log(2)} \cdot \log(e^{-x} + 1) + C$$

$$= -\frac{\log(e^{-x} + 1)}{\log(2)} + C \quad \Rightarrow \text{ASSUMING THAT } F(x) = 0 \text{ FOR } x \leq 0 \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} F(0) = 0 \\ -\frac{\log(e^{(0)} + 1)}{\log(2)} + C = 0 \end{array} \right\}$$

$$-\frac{\log(2)}{\log(2)} + C = 0$$

$$C = 1$$



THIS IS ALSO A STEP TO FIND CDF  
(THE ANTIDERIVATIVE FOR PDF)

B)  $m = M_1 = \int_0^{\infty} x f(x) dx = 1.18$

C)  $M_2 = \int_0^{\infty} x^2 f(x) dx = 2.601$

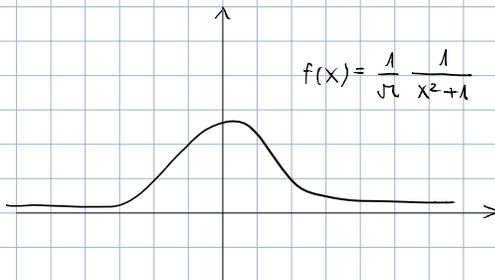
D)  $\sigma = \sqrt{M_2 - M_1^2} = 1.19$

$$\Rightarrow \text{CDF } F(x) = 1 - \frac{\log(e^{-x} + 1)}{\log(2)}$$

\* PROBLEM 30.4

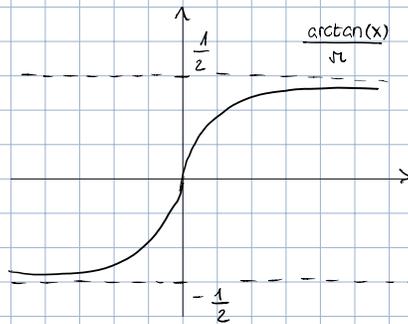
A) PDF  $f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \frac{1}{x^2+1}$  VERIFY THAT CDF  $F(x) = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\arctan(x)}{\sqrt{\pi}}$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \frac{1}{x^2+1}$$

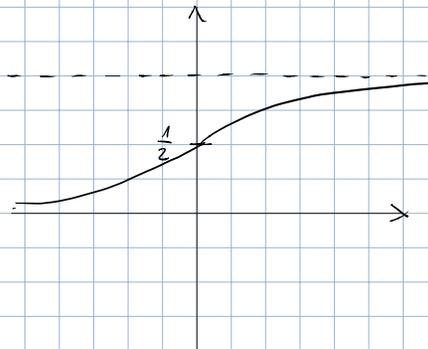


$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \frac{1}{x^2+1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} F(x) &= \int_{-\infty}^x \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int \frac{1}{x^2+1} dx \\ &= \frac{\arctan(x)}{\sqrt{\pi}} \end{aligned}$$



⇒ WE HAVE TO SHIFT  $f(x)$  UP UNTIL IT BECOMES POSITIVE



$$F(x) = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\arctan(x)}{\sqrt{\pi}}$$

B)  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{x^2}{\pi(1+x^2)} dx$

$\frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{x^2}{1+x^2} dx = M_2$

\* PROBLEM 30.5

$$F(x) = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\arctan(x)}{\pi}$$

$y = \tan(\pi x)$  IS CAUCHY DISTRIBUTED  
IF  $x$  IS UNIFORMLY  
DISTRIBUTED ON  $[0, 1]$

PROOF  $y$  IS IN  $[a, b]$  MEANS

$$x \text{ IS IN } \left[ \frac{\arctan(a)}{\pi}, \frac{\arctan(b)}{\pi} \right]$$

WHAT IS THE PROBABILITY

$$\frac{\arctan b}{\pi} - \frac{\arctan a}{\pi} = F(b) - F(a) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx$$

$\Rightarrow$  I USED MATHEMATICA TO COMPUTE 10 RANDOM CAUCHY DISTRIBUTED NUMBERS