

MATH 371 - Quiz 4 - Solution

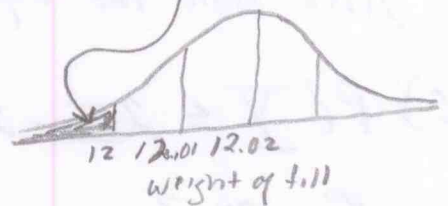
$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{I. } F(y) &= P(Y \leq y) = P(-2\theta \ln(X) \leq y) = P(\ln X \geq -\frac{y}{2\theta}) \\
 &= P(X \geq e^{-y/(2\theta)}) = \int_{e^{-y/(2\theta)}}^1 \theta x^{\theta-1} dx = x^\theta \Big|_{e^{-y/(2\theta)}}^1 \\
 &= 1 - (e^{-y/(2\theta)})^\theta = 1 - e^{-y/2}, \quad 0 \leq y < \infty
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus $f(y) = F'(y) = \frac{1}{2} e^{-y/2}, \quad 0 \leq y < \infty$

II (a) normalcdf(-1E99, 12, 12.02, .1) = .02275

(b) Let Y be the # of cans chosen that weigh 12oz. or less. Then $Y \sim b(n=50, p=.02275)$. Thus $P(Y \geq 1) = 1 - P(Y=0)$

$$= 1 - (.97725)^{50} = \boxed{.6836}$$

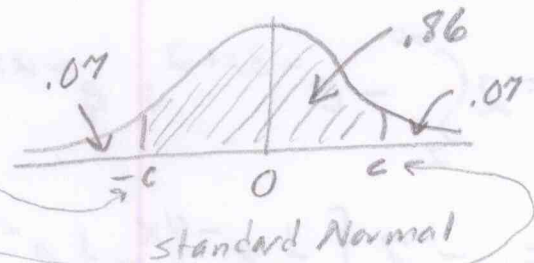


III $P(|Z| < c) = .86 \iff P(-c < Z < c) = .86$

So $\text{invNorm}(.07) = -1.476$

OR $\text{invNorm}(.93) = 1.476$

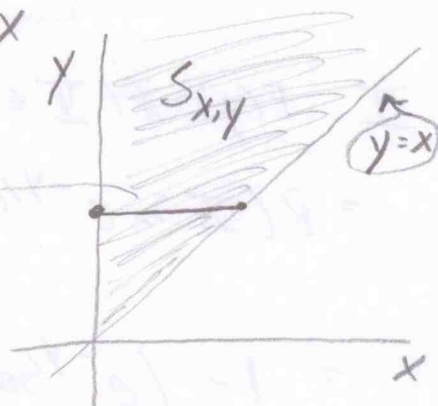
$\therefore \boxed{c = 1.476}$



$$\text{IV } f_Y(y) = \int_{\text{all } x} f(x,y) dx = \int_0^y 2e^{-x-y} dx$$

$$(a) = 2e^{-y} \int_0^y e^{-x} dx$$

$$= 2e^{-y} [1 - e^{-y}]$$



$$(b) 2e^{-y} [1 - e^{-y}] (2e^{-2x}) \neq 2e^{-x-y}$$

$\forall (x,y) \in S_{x,y}$. $\therefore X$ and Y are not independent.

Also note the support is not rectangular.

$$(c) P(Y \leq 2X - 2)$$

$$= \int_2^{\infty} \int_x^{2x-2} 2e^{-x-y} dy dx$$

$$= \int_2^{\infty} 2e^{-x} [-e^{-2x+2} + e^{-x}] dx$$

$$= 2 \int_2^{\infty} -e^{-3x+2} + e^{-2x} dx = 2 \left[\frac{1}{3} e^{-3x+2} - \frac{1}{2} e^{-2x} \right]_2^{\infty}$$

$$= -2 \left[\frac{1}{3} e^{-4x} - \frac{1}{2} e^{-4x} \right] = \frac{1}{3} e^{-4x}$$

