

SADLER UNIT 4 MATHEMATICS METHODS

WORKED SOLUTIONS

Chapter 3 Continuous random variables

Exercise 3A

Question 1

a $\frac{163}{186}$

b $\frac{128}{186} = \frac{64}{93}$

c $\frac{4}{186} = \frac{2}{93}$

Question 2

a $\frac{3+7+14}{67} = \frac{24}{67} \sim 36\%$

b $\frac{3+7}{67} = \frac{10}{67} \sim 15\%$

c $\frac{5+3+3+4+1}{67} = \frac{16}{67} \sim 24\%$

d $\frac{17+10+5}{67} = \frac{32}{67} \sim 48\%$

e $\frac{5+3+3+4+1}{67} = \frac{16}{67} \sim 24\%$

f $\frac{17+10}{3+7+14+17+10} = \frac{27}{51} \sim 53\%$

Question 3

a $0.4 \times 50 = 20$

b i $0.38 + 0.28 + 0.12 + 0.04 = 0.82$

ii $0.02 + 0.16 = 0.18$

iii $\frac{0.16}{0.16 + 0.38 + 0.28} = \frac{0.16}{0.82} = \frac{8}{41}$

Question 4

a $0.325 + 0.2 + 0.075 + 0.025 + 0.025 = 0.65$

b 0.65

c $0.075 + 0.075 + 0.15 + 0.325 + 0.2 = 0.825$

d $\frac{0.025 + 0.025 + 0.075}{0.65} = \frac{0.125}{0.650} = \frac{5}{26}$

e $\frac{0.6}{0.75} = 0.8$

Question 5

54 apples in sample.

a $\frac{4 + 11}{54} = \frac{15}{54} \approx 0.28$

b $1 - 0.28 = 0.72$

c $\frac{15 + 10 + 7 + 4}{54} = \frac{36}{54} \approx 0.67$

d $\frac{15 + 10}{39} = \frac{25}{39} \approx 0.64$

Exercise 3B

Question 1

$$4k = 1$$

$$k = 0.25$$

Question 2

$$20k = 1$$

$$k = 0.05$$

Question 3

$$0.5k = 1$$

$$k = 2$$

Question 4

$$(k - 1) \times 0.5 = 0.75$$

$$k - 1 = 1.5$$

$$k = 2.5$$

Question 5

$$(k - 1) \times 1 = 0.8$$

$$k = 1.8$$

Question 6

$$\frac{P(X > (k - 1))}{0.5} = 0.25$$

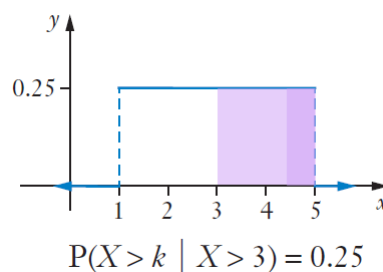
$$P(X > k - 1) = 0.125$$

$$P(X < k - 1) = 0.875$$

$$k - 1 = 0.875 \times 4$$

$$= 3.5$$

$$k = 4.5$$



Question 7

$$\frac{P(10 < X < k)}{P(X < k)} = 0.5$$

If $P(10 < X < k) = 0.5 \times P(5 < X < k)$,

$$k = 15$$

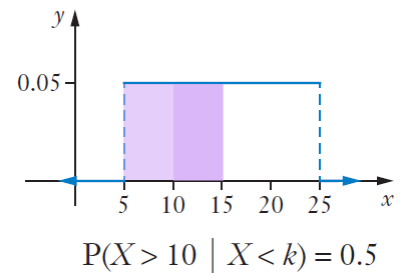
or

$$(k - 10) \times 0.05 = \frac{1}{2}(k - 5) \times 0.05$$

$$k - 10 = \frac{1}{2}(k - 5)$$

$$2k - 20 = k - 5$$

$$k = 15$$



Question 8

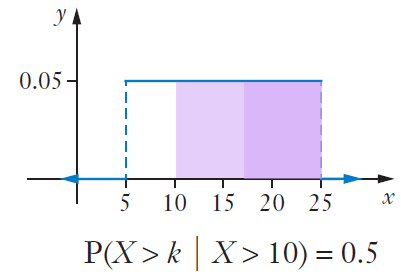
$$\frac{P(X > k)}{P(X > 10)} = 0.5$$

$$P(X > k) = 0.5 \times 0.75$$

$$= 0.375$$

$$\frac{3}{8} \times 20 = 7.5$$

$$25 - 7.5 = 17.5$$



Question 9

$$2k = 1$$

$$k = 0.5$$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 0.5 & \text{for } 1 \leq x \leq 3 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Question 10

a $P(X < 4) = \frac{1}{4}$

b $P(X = 4) = 0$

c $P(X < 8) = \frac{3}{4}$

d

$$\begin{aligned} & P(X > 4 | X < 8) \\ &= \frac{P(4 < X < 8)}{P(X < 8)} \\ &= \frac{0.5}{0.75} \\ &= \frac{2}{3} \end{aligned}$$

Question 11

a
$$\begin{aligned} E(X) &= \frac{a+b}{2} \\ &= \frac{0.5+1.5}{2} \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

b $P(X > 1.2) = 0.3$

c $P(X > 2) = 0$

d $P(X < 2) = 1$

e
$$\begin{aligned} & P(X < 1 | X < 1.3) \\ &= \frac{P(X < 1)}{P(X < 1.3)} \\ &= \frac{0.5}{0.8} \\ &= 0.625 \end{aligned}$$

Question 12

a
$$E(X) = (0 + 50) \frac{1}{2}$$
$$= 25$$

b 0

c
$$P(X < 20) = \frac{2}{5} = 0.4$$

d
$$P(X \leq 20) = \frac{2}{5} = 0.4$$

e
$$P(X < 20 | X < 25)$$
$$= \frac{P(X < 20)}{P(X < 25)}$$
$$= \frac{0.4}{0.5}$$
$$= 0.8$$

f
$$P(X < 25 | X < 20) = 1$$

g
$$P(X > 20 | X < 25)$$
$$= \frac{P(20 < X < 25)}{P(X < 25)}$$
$$= \frac{0.1}{0.5}$$
$$= 0.2$$

h
$$P(X > 25 | X < 20) = 0$$

Question 13

a
$$P(X \leq 20) = 0.5$$

b
$$P(X \geq 15) = \frac{25}{40} = 0.625$$

c
$$P(X \leq 20 | X \geq 15)$$
$$= \frac{P(15 \leq X \leq 20)}{P(X \geq 15)}$$
$$= \frac{5}{25}$$
$$= \frac{1}{5}$$

Exercise 3C

Question 1

$$\frac{1}{2} \times 4 \times k = 1$$
$$k = 0.5$$

Question 2

$$\frac{1}{2} \times 8 \times k = 1$$
$$k = 0.25$$

Question 3

$$\frac{1}{2} \times (0.6 + 1) \times k = 1$$
$$k = \frac{1}{0.8}$$
$$= 1.25$$

Question 4

$$\frac{1}{2} \times k \times 0.8 = 1$$
$$k = \frac{1}{0.4}$$
$$= 2.5$$

Question 5

$$3 \times 4k + \frac{1}{2} \times 3 \times 2k = 1$$
$$12k + 3k = 1$$
$$15k = 1$$
$$k = \frac{1}{15}$$

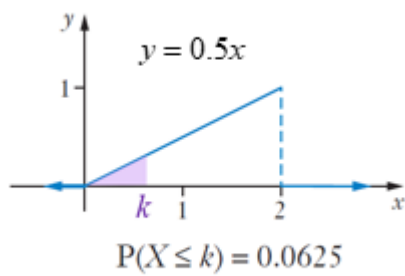
Question 6

$$\frac{1}{2} \times \pi \times k^2 = 1$$

$$k^2 = \frac{2}{\pi}$$

$$k = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}}$$

Question 7



$$y = 0.5x$$

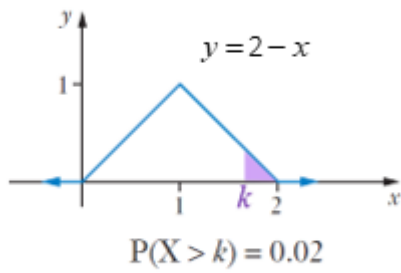
$$\frac{1}{2}k \times \frac{1}{2}k = 0.0625$$

$$\frac{1}{2}k^2 = 0.0625$$

$$k^2 = 0.25$$

$$k = 0.5$$

Question 8



$$P(X > 5) = 0.02 \quad \therefore k > 1$$

$$P(x < k) = 0.98$$

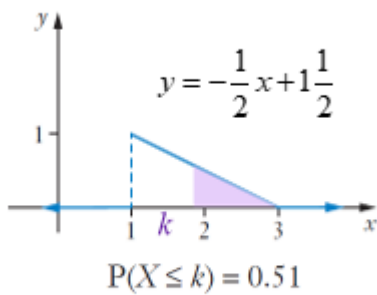
$$\frac{1}{2}(2-k) \times (2-k) = 0.02$$

$$(2-k)^2 = 0.04$$

$$2-k = 0.2$$

$$k = 1.8$$

Question 9



$$P(X \geq k) = 0.49$$

$$\frac{1}{2}(3-k) \times \left(-\frac{1}{2}k + 1\frac{1}{2}\right) = 0.49$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \times \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)(3-k)(k-3) = 0.49$$

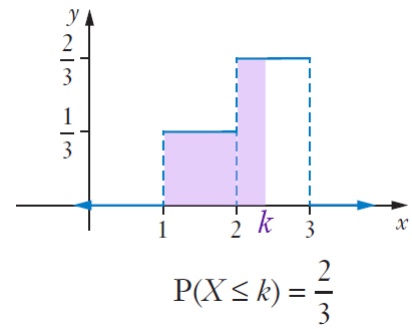
$$(3-k)(k-3) = -1.96$$

$$k = 1.6, \cancel{4.4}$$

$$\therefore k = 1.6$$

Question 10

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{1}{3} + (k-2) \times \frac{2}{3} &= \frac{2}{3} \\ (k-2) \times \frac{2}{3} &= \frac{1}{3} \\ (k-2) &= \frac{1}{2} \\ k &= 2\frac{1}{2}\end{aligned}$$



Question 11

$$\begin{aligned}\int_0^{0.5} kx^2 dx &= 1 \\ \left[\frac{kx^3}{3} \right]_0^{0.5} &= 1 \\ \frac{k}{3} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^3 - 0 &= 1 \\ \frac{k}{24} &= 1 \\ k &= 24\end{aligned}$$

Question 12

$$\begin{aligned}\int_1^2 kx^3 dx &= 1 \\ \left[\frac{kx^4}{4} \right]_1^2 &= 1 \\ \frac{16k}{4} - \frac{k}{4} &= 1 \\ \frac{15k}{4} &= 1 \\ k &= \frac{4}{15}\end{aligned}$$

Question 13

$$\int_0^{0.5} ke^x dx = 1$$
$$ke^x \Big|_0^{0.5} = 1$$
$$ke^{0.5} - ke^0 = 1$$
$$k(e^{0.5} - 1) = 1$$
$$k = \frac{1}{e^{0.5} - 1}$$

Question 14

$$\int_0^k \frac{x^2}{9} dx = 0.512$$
$$\frac{x^3}{27} \Big|_0^k = 0.512$$
$$\frac{k^3}{27} - \frac{0}{27} = 0.512$$
$$k^3 = 13.824$$
$$k = 2.4$$

Question 15

$$\int_0^k 1.5x^{\frac{1}{2}} dx = \frac{1}{8}$$
$$\frac{3}{2} \left[x^{\frac{3}{2}} \times \frac{2}{3} \right]_0^k = \frac{1}{8}$$
$$k^{\frac{3}{2}} - 0 = 2^{-3}$$
$$k = (2^{-3})^{\frac{2}{3}}$$
$$= 2^{-2}$$
$$= 0.25$$

Question 16

$$ke^{-2k} = ke^{-2x}$$
$$\therefore k = 2$$

Question 17

$$\mathbf{a} \quad \frac{1}{2} \times 4 \times k = 1$$

$$k = 0.5$$

$$m = \frac{0.5}{4} = \frac{1}{8}$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{1}{8}x$$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{8}x & \text{for } 0 \leq x \leq 4 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\mathbf{b} \quad k + 2k + k = 1$$

$$4k = 1$$

$$k = 0.25$$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 0.25 & \text{for } 1 \leq x \leq 2 \\ 0.5 & \text{for } 2 < x < 3 \\ 0.25 & \text{for } 3 \leq x \leq 4 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Question 18

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\mathbf{a} \quad \frac{1}{2} \times 0.5 \times 2(0.5) = 0.25$$

$$\mathbf{b} \quad P(X < 0.75) = \frac{1}{2} \times 0.75 \times 1.5 \\ = 0.5625$$

$$P(X > 0.75) = 1 - 0.5625 \\ = 0.4375$$

$$\mathbf{c} \quad P(X < 2) = 1$$

$$\mathbf{d} \quad P(X > 0.5 \mid X < 0.75)$$

$$= \frac{P(0.5 < X < 0.75)}{P(X < 0.75)}$$

$$= \frac{(0.5625 - 0.25)}{0.5625}$$

$$= \frac{5}{9}$$

Question 19

a $P(X < 0.5) = 0.5 \times 1 = 0.5$

b Line involved: $m = -1$

$$\therefore y = -x + 1.5$$

When $x = 1, y = 0.5$

$$\begin{aligned} P(X > 1) &= \frac{1}{2} \times 0.5 \times 0.5 \\ &= \frac{1}{8} \end{aligned}$$

c $P(X < 1)$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{8}$$

$$= \frac{7}{8}$$

d $P(X > 0.5 | X < 1)$

$$= \frac{P(0.5 < X < 1)}{P(X < 1)}$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{7}{8} - \frac{1}{2}\right)}{\frac{7}{8}}$$

$$= \frac{3}{7}$$

Question 20

$$\int_0^5 (0.5 - 0.08x) dx$$

$= 1.5 \therefore$ not a pdf as the area is greater than 1

$$\int_0^5 (0.5 - 0.12x) dx$$

$= 1$

Intercepts : $(0, 0.5)$ $(4\frac{1}{6}, 0)$.

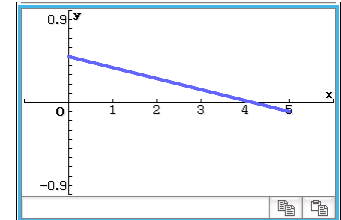
The function has negative area and cannot be a pdf.

$$\int_0^5 (0.5 - 0.08x) dx$$

$= 1$

Intercepts : $(0, 0.4)$ and $(5, 0)$

This is a probability density function.



Question 21

a

$$\int_0^3 0.08(x+2) dx$$
$$= 0.08 \int_0^3 (x+2) dx$$
$$= 0.08 \left[\frac{x^2}{2} + 2x \right]_0^3$$
$$= 0.08(4.5 + 6 - 3)$$
$$= 0.84$$

b

$$0.08 \int_1^2 (x+2) dx = 0.28$$

c

$$0.08 \int_1^3 (x+2) dx = 0.64$$
$$P(X \leq 2 | X \geq 1)$$
$$= \frac{P(1 \leq X \leq 2)}{P(X \geq 1)}$$
$$= \frac{0.28}{0.64}$$
$$= \frac{7}{16}$$

Question 22

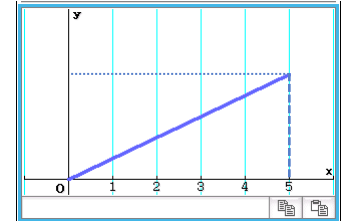
$$\mathbf{a} \quad \frac{1}{2} \times 5 \times 5k = 1$$

$$k = 0.08$$

$$\mathbf{b} \quad P(X \leq 4) = \frac{1}{2} \times 4 \times (0.08 \times 4) \\ = 0.64$$

$$\mathbf{c} \quad P(2 \leq X \leq 4) = \int_2^4 0.08x dx \\ = 0.48$$

$$\mathbf{d} \quad \frac{P(2 \leq X \leq 4)}{P(X < 4)} = \frac{0.48}{0.64} \\ = 0.75$$



Question 23

$$\mathbf{a} \quad \int_1^3 \frac{3}{2x^2} dx \\ = -\frac{3}{2} x^{-1} \Big|_1^3 \\ = -\frac{3}{2} \times \frac{1}{3} - \left(-\frac{3}{2} \times 1 \right) \\ = -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{2} \\ = 1$$

$$\mathbf{b} \quad P(X \geq 2) = \int_2^3 \frac{3}{2x^2} dx \\ = 0.25$$

$$\mathbf{c} \quad P(2 \leq X \leq 2.5) = \int_2^{2.5} \frac{3}{2x^2} dx \\ = 0.15$$

$$\mathbf{d} \quad P(X \leq 2.5 | X \geq 2) \\ = \frac{P(2 \leq X \leq 2.5)}{P(X \geq 2)} \\ = \frac{0.15}{0.25} \\ = 0.6$$

Question 24

a $\int_1^4 (x^2 + kx)dx = \left[\frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{kx^2}{2} \right]_1^4 = 1$

$$\left(\frac{64}{3} + 8k \right) - \left(\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2}k \right) = 1$$

$$21 + 7\frac{1}{2}k = 1$$

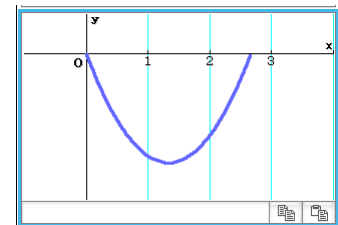
$$\frac{15}{2}k = -20$$

$$k = \frac{-20 \cdot 2}{15}$$

$$= -\frac{8}{3}$$

b No, the graph of $y = x^2 - \frac{8x}{3}$

has negative values for $0 < x \leq 2\frac{2}{3}$.



Question 25

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{a} \quad k \int_1^3 (1-x)(x-3) dx &= \frac{4}{3} k = 1 \\ k &= \frac{3}{4} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{b} \quad P(X \leq 2) &= \int_1^2 \frac{3}{4} (1-x)(x-3) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{c} \quad P(X \leq 2.5) &= \int_1^{2.5} \frac{3}{4} (1-x)(x-3) dx \\ &= 0.84 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{d} \quad P(X \geq q) &= 0.6 \\ \therefore P(X < q) &= 0.4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\int_1^q \frac{3}{4} (1-x)(x-3) dx \\ &= \frac{3}{4} \int_1^q (1-x)(x-3) dx \\ &= \frac{3}{4} \left[-\frac{q^3}{3} + 2q^2 - 3q + \frac{4}{3} \right] \\ &\frac{3}{4} \left[-\frac{q^3}{3} + 2q^2 - 3q + \frac{4}{3} \right] = 0.4 \end{aligned}$$

$$q = 0.339, 1.866$$

0.339 is outside $1 \leq x \leq 3$

$$\therefore q = 1.87$$

Question 26

$$\int_1^4 \left(\frac{a+bx-x^2}{9} \right) dx = 1$$

$$\frac{1}{9} \left[ax + \frac{bx^2}{2} - \frac{x^3}{3} \right]_1^4 = 1$$

$$\left[ax + \frac{bx^2}{2} - \frac{x^3}{3} \right]_1^4 = 9$$

$$\left(4a + 8b - \frac{64}{3} \right) - \left(a + \frac{1}{2}b - \frac{1}{3} \right) = 9$$

$$3a - 7\frac{1}{2} - 21 = 9 \quad \rightarrow \text{Equation 1}$$

$$\int_1^2 \left(\frac{a+bx-x^2}{9} \right) dx = \frac{5}{27}$$

$$\left[ax + \frac{bx^2}{2} - \frac{x^3}{3} \right]_1^2 = \frac{5}{27} \times \frac{9}{1}$$

$$\left(2a + 2b - \frac{8}{3} \right) - \left(a + \frac{1}{2}b - \frac{1}{3} \right) = \frac{5}{3}$$

$$a + \frac{3}{2}b - \frac{7}{3} = \frac{5}{3}$$

$$a + \frac{3}{2}b = 4 \quad \rightarrow \text{Equation 2}$$

Solving simultaneously

$$a = -5, b = 6$$

Question 27

a $f(3) = 0.4$

$$P(X < 3) = 1 \times 2 \times 0.4 \\ = 0.4$$

b $P(X < 4 | X > 3) = \frac{P(3 < X < 4)}{P(X > 3)}$

$$= \frac{0.4}{1 - P(X < 3)}$$
$$= \frac{0.4}{0.6}$$
$$= \frac{2}{3}$$

Question 28

$$m_1 = \frac{1}{15} \times \frac{1}{15} = \frac{1}{225}$$

$$m_2 = -\frac{1}{15} \times \frac{1}{15} = -\frac{1}{225}$$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x-15}{225} & \text{for } 15 \leq x \leq 30 \\ \frac{45-x}{225} & \text{for } 30 \leq x \leq 45 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

a $\int_{15}^{25} \frac{x-15}{225} dx = \frac{2}{9}$

b $2 \int_{25}^{30} \frac{x-15}{225} dx = \frac{5}{9}$

c $\int_{30}^{40} \frac{45-x}{225} dx = \frac{4}{9}$

$$P(X < 40 | X > 30)$$

$$= \frac{P(30 < X < 40)}{P(X > 30)}$$

$$= \frac{4}{9} \div \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= \frac{8}{9}$$

Question 29

$$\mathbf{a} \quad \int_{10}^{18} 0.025(x-10) dx = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{b} \quad & \int_{14}^{18} 0.025(x-10) dx + \int_{18}^{20} 0.1(20-x) dx \\ & = 0.6 + 0.2 \\ & = 0.8 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{c} \quad & 1 - \int_{19}^{20} 0.1(20-x) dx \\ & = 1 - 0.05 \\ & = 0.95 \end{aligned}$$

Question 30

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{a} \quad & f(x) = 0.2e^{-0.2x} \quad \text{or} \quad \int_0^{\infty} 0.2e^{-0.2x} dx = 0.2019 \\ & P(X > 8) = 1 - P(X < 8) \\ & P(X < 8) = \int_0^8 0.2e^{-0.2x} dx \\ & \quad = -e^{-0.2x} \Big|_0^8 \\ & \quad = -e^{-1.6} - (-e^0) \\ & \quad = 0.7981 \end{aligned}$$

$$1 - 0.7981 = 0.2019$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{b} \quad & P(\text{success}) = 0.2019 \\ & = \binom{6}{2} (0.2019)^2 (0.7981)^4 \\ & = 0.2481 \end{aligned}$$

Exercise 3D

Question 1

$E(X)$ is midpoint as pdf is uniform $\Rightarrow \frac{7+2}{2} = 4.5$

Alternatively

$$\begin{aligned} E(X) &= \int_2^7 0.2x \, dx \\ &= 4.5 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Var}(X) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x)(x - \mu)^2 \, dx \\ &= \int_2^7 0.2 \times (x - 4.5)^2 \, dx \\ &= \frac{25}{12} \end{aligned}$$

Question 2

$$\begin{aligned} E(X) &= \int_0^1 (x \times 3x^2) \, dx \\ &= \frac{3}{4} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Var}(X) &= \int_0^1 3x^2 \left(x - \frac{3}{4}\right)^2 \, dx \\ &= \frac{3}{80} \end{aligned}$$

Question 3

$$\begin{aligned} E(X) &= \int_0^1 3x(x-1)^2 \, dx \\ &= 0.25 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Var}(X) &= \int_0^1 3(x-1)^2 \left(x - \frac{1}{4}\right)^2 \, dx \\ &= 0.0375 \end{aligned}$$

Question 4

$$E(X) = \int_0^4 \frac{3x^{\frac{3}{2}}}{16} dx$$
$$= 2.4$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = \int_0^4 \frac{3\sqrt{x}}{16} (x - 2.4)^2 dx$$
$$= \frac{192}{175}$$

Question 5

a

$$E(x) = \int_2^{12} \frac{x(12-x)}{50} dx$$
$$= \frac{16}{3}$$

b

$$\text{Var}(X) = \int_2^{12} \frac{(12-x)}{50} \left(x - \frac{16}{3}\right)^2 dx$$
$$= \frac{50}{9}$$
$$\text{SD}(X) = \sqrt{\frac{50}{9}} = \frac{5\sqrt{2}}{3}$$

Question 6

$$E(X) = \int_0^{\infty} x(0.01e^{-0.01x}) dx$$
$$= 100 \text{ metres}$$

Question 7

$$E(X) = \int_1^5 \frac{3x(6x - x^2 - 5)}{32} dx$$
$$= 3$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = \int_1^5 \left(\frac{3(6x - x^2 - 5)}{32} (x - 3)^2 \right) dx$$
$$= \frac{4}{5}$$

$$\text{SD}(X) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}$$
$$= \frac{2\sqrt{5}}{5} \sim 0.89$$

Question 8

$$E(X) = 4.5 + 2 = 6.5$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = \frac{25}{12}$$

Q1 pdf with a change of origin of 2 units.

Question 9

$$E(X) = 4.5 \times 2 = 9$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = \frac{25}{12} \times 2^2$$
$$= \frac{25}{3}$$

Q1 pdf with a change of scale $\times 2$

Question 10

a $Y = 3X$ $E(Y) = 12 \times 3 = 36$ $\text{SD}(Y) = 3 \times 3 = 9$

b $Y = X + 3$ $E(Y) = 12 + 3 = 15$ $\text{SD}(Y) = 3$

c $Y = 2X + 5$ $E(Y) = 2 \times 12 + 5 = 29$ $\text{SD}(Y) = 3 \times 2 = 6$

Question 11

$$\begin{aligned} X : \quad \mu &= 20 \quad \sigma = 4 \\ Z = 5X + 2 : \quad \mu &= 102 \quad \sigma = 20 \\ Z = 2X + 5 : \quad \mu &= 45 \quad \sigma = 8 \\ Z = 3X + 4 : \quad \mu &= 64 \quad \sigma = 12 \end{aligned}$$

a $Z = 5X + 2$ $E(Z) = 20 \times 5 + 2 = 102$ $SD(Z) = 4 \times 5 = 20$

b $Z = 2X + 5$ $E(Z) = 20 \times 2 + 5 = 45$ $SD(Z) = 4 \times 2 = 8$

c $Z = 3X + 4$ $E(Z) = 20 \times 3 + 4 = 64$ $SD(Z) = 4 \times 3 = 12$

Question 12

$$\begin{aligned} X \quad E(X) &= 48 \quad \text{Var}(X) = 16 \\ Y &= 1.8X + 32 \\ E(Y) &= 48 \times 1.8 + 32 = 118.4 \\ \text{Var}(Y) &= 16 \times 1.8^2 = 51.84 \\ SD(Y) &= 4 \times 1.8 = 7.2 \end{aligned}$$

Question 13

If random variable X involves lengths in centimetres and random variable Y involves lengths in metres

$$\begin{aligned} Y &= X \div 100 \\ E(Y) &= E(X) \div 100 \\ SD(Y) &= SD(X) \div 100 \end{aligned}$$

Question 14

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^k 0.25 \, dx &= [0.25x]_0^k \\ &= 0.25k \\ \therefore P(X \leq x) &= \begin{cases} 0 & x \leq 0 \\ 0.25x & 0 < x \leq 4 \\ 1 & x > 4 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Question 15

$$\begin{aligned}\int_2^k 0.25 dx &= [0.25x]_2^k \\ &= 0.25k - 0.25(2) \\ &= 0.25(k - 2)\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore P(X \leq x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x \leq 2 \\ 0.25(x - 2) & 2 < x \leq 6 \\ 1 & x > 6 \end{cases}$$

Question 16

$$\begin{aligned}\int_0^k 3x^2 dx &= [x^3]_0^k \\ &= k^3\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore P(X < x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x \leq 0 \\ x^3 & 0 < x \leq 1 \\ 1 & x > 1 \end{cases}$$

Question 17

$$\begin{aligned}\int_1^k \frac{1}{x} dx &= [\ln x]_1^k \\ &= \ln k - \ln 1 \\ &= \ln k\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore P(X \leq x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x \leq 1 \\ \ln x & 1 < x \leq e \\ 1 & x > e \end{cases}$$

Question 18

$$\begin{aligned}\int_0^k e^{-x} dx &= [-e^{-x}]_0^k \\ &= -e^{-k} - (-e^{-0}) \\ &= -e^{-k} + e^0 \\ &= 1 - e^{-k}\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore P(X \leq x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x \leq 0 \\ 1 - e^{-x} & x > 0 \end{cases}$$

Question 19

$$\begin{aligned}\int_5^k (0.5 - 0.04x) dx &= [0.5x - 0.02x^2]_5^k \\ &= 0.5k - 0.02k^2 - \left(2.5 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \\ &= 0.5k - 0.02k^2 - 2\end{aligned}$$
$$\therefore P(X \leq x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x \leq 5 \\ 0.5x - 0.02x^2 - 2 & 5 < x \leq 10 \\ 1 & x > 10 \end{cases}$$

Question 20

a $P(X \leq 12) = 0.1(12 - 5)$
 $= 0.7$

b $P(X \leq 8) = 0.1(8 - 5)$
 $= 0.3$

c $P(8 \leq X \leq 12) = 0.7 - 0.3$
 $= 0.4$

d $P(X > 8) = 1 - P(X \leq 8)$
 $= 0.7$

Question 21

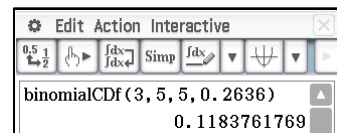
a $P(X \leq 20)$
 $= 1 - e^{-\frac{4}{3}}$
 $= 0.7364$

b $P(X \geq 20)$
 $= 1 - P(X \leq 20)$
 $= 0.2636$

c $P(X \leq 5)$
 $= 1 - e^{-\frac{1}{3}}$
 $= 0.2835$

d $P(X \geq 20 | X \geq 15)$
 $= \frac{P(X \geq 20)}{P(X \geq 15)}$
 $= \frac{1 - \left(1 - e^{-\frac{4}{3}}\right)}{1 - \left(1 - e^{-1}\right)}$
 $= \frac{e^{-\frac{4}{3}}}{e^{-1}}$
 $= 0.7165$

e $P(X \geq 20) = 0.2636$
 $P(\text{success}) = 0.2636$
 $\binom{5}{3}(0.2636)^3(0.7364)^2 + \binom{5}{4}(0.2636)^4(0.7364) + \binom{5}{5}(0.2636)^5$
 $= 0.1184$



Miscellaneous exercise three

Question 1

$$3^x - 1 = 5$$

$$3^x = 6$$

$$\log 3^x = \log 6$$

$$x \log 3 = \log 6$$

$$x = \frac{\log 6}{\log 3}$$

Question 2

a $P(X \geq 0) = \frac{3}{5} = 0.6$

b $P(1 \leq X \leq 2) = \frac{1}{5} = 0.2$

c
$$P(X \leq 2 | X \geq 1) = \frac{P(1 \leq X \leq 2)}{P(X \geq 1)}$$
$$= \frac{0.2}{0.4}$$
$$= \frac{1}{2}$$

Question 3

a $\log_c 5$
 $= \log_c \left(\frac{10}{2} \right)$
 $= \log_c 10 - \log_c 2$
 $= q - p$

b $\log_c 40$
 $= \log_c (10 \times 2^2)$
 $= \log_c 10 + \log_c 2^2$
 $= \log_c 10 + 2\log_c 2$
 $= 2p + q$

c $\log_c 200$
 $= \log_c (10^2 \times 2)$
 $= \log_c 10^2 + \log_c 2$
 $= 2\log_c 10 + \log_c 2$
 $= p + 2q$

d $\log_c (8c)$
 $= \log_c 8 + \log_c c$
 $= \log_c 2^3 + 1$
 $= 3\log_c 2 + 1$
 $= 3p + 1$

e $\log_2 10$
 $= \frac{\log_c 10}{\log_c 2}$
 $= \frac{q}{p}$

f $\log_{10} 2$
 $= \frac{\log_c 2}{\log_c 10}$
 $= \frac{p}{q}$

Question 4

a $e^x + e^{x+1} = 17$

$$e^x(1+e) = 17$$

$$e^x = \frac{17}{e+1}$$

$$\ln e^x = \ln\left(\frac{17}{e+1}\right)$$

$$x \ln e = \ln\left(\frac{17}{e+1}\right)$$

$$x = \ln\left(\frac{17}{e+1}\right)$$

b $e^{2x+1} = 50^{x-7}$

$$\ln e^{2x+1} = \ln 50^{x-7}$$

$$(2x+1) \ln e = (x-7) \ln 50$$

$$2x+1 = x \ln 50 - 7 \ln 50$$

$$2x - x \ln 50 = -1 - 7 \ln 50$$

$$x(2 - \ln 50) = -(1 + 7 \ln 50)$$

$$x = -\frac{(7 \ln 50 + 1)}{(2 - \ln 50)}$$

$$= \frac{7 \ln 50 + 1}{\ln 50 - 2}$$

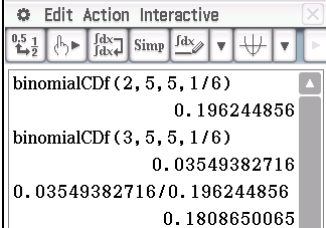
Question 5

a $\binom{5}{3} \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^3 \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^2 = 0.03215$

b $\left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^3 = 0.00463$

c
$$\begin{aligned} & \binom{5}{4} \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^4 \left(\frac{5}{6}\right) + \binom{5}{5} \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^5 \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^0 \\ &= \frac{5 \times 5}{6^5} + \frac{1}{6^5} \\ &= \frac{26}{6^5} \\ &= 0.00334 \end{aligned}$$

d
$$\begin{aligned} & P(X > 2 | X > 1) \\ &= \frac{P(X > 3)}{P(X > 2)} \\ &= \frac{0.035494}{0.196245} \\ &= 0.18087 \end{aligned}$$



The screenshot shows a calculator window titled "Edit Action Interactive" with a toolbar containing icons for various mathematical functions. The main display area shows the following results:

binomialCdf(2, 5, 5, 1/6)	0.196244856
binomialCdf(3, 5, 5, 1/6)	0.03549382716
0.03549382716/0.196244856	0.1808650065

Question 6

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{d}{dx}(\ln 5x) \\ &= \frac{5}{5x} \\ &= \frac{1}{x} \end{aligned}$$

Question 7

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{d}{dx}(3x + \ln 3x) \\ &= 3 + \frac{3}{3x} \\ &= 3 + \frac{1}{x} \end{aligned}$$

Question 8

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{d}{dx}(2\ln x) \\ &= \frac{2}{x} \end{aligned}$$

Question 9

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{d}{dx}(2\ln(x^3)) \\ &= \frac{d}{dx}(6\ln x) \\ &= \frac{6}{x} \end{aligned}$$

Question 10

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{d}{dx}(\ln(2\sqrt{x})) \\ &= \frac{2 \times \frac{1}{2} \times x^{-\frac{1}{2}}}{2\sqrt{x}} \\ &= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x} \times \sqrt{x}} \\ &= \frac{1}{2x} \end{aligned}$$

Question 11

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{d}{dx}\left(\ln\left(\frac{2}{x}\right)\right) \\ &= \frac{d}{dx}(\ln 2 - \ln x) \\ &= -\frac{1}{x} \end{aligned}$$

Question 12

$$A = A_0 0.95^t$$

$$0.2A_0 = A_0 0.95^t$$

$$0.2 = 0.95^t$$

$$\log 0.2 = t \log 0.95$$

$$t = \frac{\log 0.2}{\log 0.95}$$

$$= 31.38$$

\therefore Approximately 31 years.

Question 13

a $\frac{dy}{dx} = 1 + \frac{1}{x}$

$$\frac{3}{2} = 1 + \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\frac{1}{x} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$x = 2$$

When $x = 2$,

$$y = 2 + \ln(2 \times 2)$$

$$= 2 + \ln 4$$

$\therefore (2, 2 + \ln 4)$

b $y = \ln x + \ln(x+3)$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x+3}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} = \frac{x+x+3}{x(x+3)}$$

$$4x+6 = x^2+3x$$

$$x^2 - x - 6 = 0$$

$$(x-3)(x+2) = 0$$

$$x = -2, 3 \quad (x > 0)$$

$$x = 3$$

When $x = 3$,

$$x(x+3) = 18$$

$$y = \ln 18$$

$\therefore (3, \ln 18)$

Question 14

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{a} \quad \frac{dC}{dx} &= 200 \times \frac{1}{x+1} \\ &= \frac{200}{x+1} \text{ \$/unit} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{b} \quad \frac{200}{x+1} &= 2 \\ x+1 &= 100 \\ x &= 99 \\ C(99) &= 600 + 200 \ln(100) \\ \therefore \text{Average cost} &: \frac{600 + 200 \ln(100)}{99} \\ &= \$15.36 \end{aligned}$$

Question 15

$$y = \ln 2 + \ln \sin x$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{\cos x}{\sin x} \\ &= \frac{\cos x}{\sin x} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{When } x = \frac{\pi}{6},$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{\cos \frac{\pi}{6}}{\sin \frac{\pi}{6}} \\ &= \sqrt{3} \end{aligned}$$

Equation of tangent

$$y = \sqrt{3}x + c$$

$$\text{Using } \left(\frac{\pi}{6}, 0 \right)$$

$$0 = \sqrt{3} \times \frac{\pi}{6} + c$$

$$c = -\frac{\sqrt{3}\pi}{6}$$

$$\therefore y = \sqrt{3}x - \frac{\sqrt{3}\pi}{6}$$

Question 16

- a** $P(X \leq 8) = 1 - e^{-\frac{8}{8}}$
 $= 0.6321$
- b** $P(X \leq 24) = 1 - e^{-3}$
 $= 0.9502$
- c** $1 - 0.9502 = 0.0498$

Question 17

Stationary points when $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$.

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dy}{dx} &= 4x - \frac{1}{x} \\ 0 &= 4x - \frac{1}{x} \\ \frac{1}{x} &= 4x \\ 4x^2 &= 1 \\ x^2 &= \frac{1}{4} \\ x &= \frac{1}{2} \quad (x > 0)\end{aligned}$$

When $x = \frac{1}{2}$,

$$\begin{aligned}y &= 2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 - \log_e\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} - \log_e 2^{-1} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} + \log_e 2 \\ \therefore &\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} + \log_e 2\right)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} &= \frac{d}{dx}\left(4x - \frac{1}{x}\right) \\ &= 4 - (-1)x^{-2} \\ &= 4 + \frac{1}{x^2}\end{aligned}$$

When $x = \frac{1}{2}$,

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 4 + \frac{1}{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2}$$

$$= 8$$

\therefore As $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} > 0$, $\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} + \log_e 2\right)$ is a minimum point.

Question 18

$$\int_0^{\infty} ae^{-bx} dx = -\frac{a}{b} \int_0^{\infty} (-be^{-bx}) dx$$

$$= -\frac{a}{b} [e^{-bx}]_0^{\infty}$$

$$1 = -\frac{a}{b} (e^{-\infty} - e^0)$$

$$-\frac{b}{a} = \frac{1}{e^{\infty}} - 1$$

As $x \rightarrow \infty$, $\frac{1}{e^{\infty}} \rightarrow 0$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{b}{a} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow b = a$$

$$E(X) = \int_0^{\infty} 0.25xe^{-0.25x} dx$$

$$= 4$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = \int_0^{\infty} 0.25e^{-0.25x}(x-4)^2 dx$$

$$= 16$$