

Probability Calculus 2018/2019, Homework 9 (three problems)

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In the problems below, please use the following: as k – the sum of digits in your student's number; as m – the sum of the two largest digits in your student's number; and as n – the smallest digit in your student's number plus 1. For example, if an index number is 609999: $k = 42$, $m = 18$, $n = 1$.

Please write down the solutions (transformations, substitutions etc.), and additionally provide the final answer in the space specified (the answer should be a number in decimal notation, rounded to four digits).

23. Let (X, Y) be a random vector such that: $\mathbb{P}((X, Y) = (0, 0)) = (2k)^{-1}$, $\mathbb{P}((X, Y) = (0, 1)) = m^{-1}$, $\mathbb{P}((X, Y) = (1, 0)) = (2k)^{-1}$, $\mathbb{P}((X, Y) = (1, 1)) = 1 - k^{-1} - m^{-1}$. Find the best linear approximation of variable Y with variable X (i.e., linear regression).

Your answer should be in the form $Y \sim aX + b$, for appropriate coefficients a, b .

ANSWER:

Solution:

24. We have a die, for which the probabilities of rolling 1, 2, 3, 4 points amount to $1/k$, the probability of obtaining 5 points is equal to $1/m$, and the probability of rolling a 6 amounts to $1 - 4/k - 1/m$. We roll this die until we obtain 1. Let X denote the number of rolls, and Y denote the sum of points obtained in all rolls (including the last roll). Find $\mathbb{E}(Y|X = 2)$ and $\mathbb{E}(X|Y = 5)$.

ANSWER:

$$\mathbb{E}(Y|X = 2) =$$

$$\mathbb{E}(X|Y = 5) =$$

Solution:

25. Let (X, Y) be a random vector with density $g(x, y) = ne^{-nx} \mathbf{1}_{\{0 \leq y \leq nx\}}$. Find $\mathbb{E}(kY + m|X)$.

ANSWER:

Solution: