

High Performance – Question 10

10. An engineer models the rates of the production of an alloy in the first 10 weeks by two new machines A and B respectively by

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{6t}{(t+1)^{\frac{5}{2}}} \text{ and } \frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{15 \ln(t^2+100)}{16} \text{ for } 0 \leq t \leq 10,$$

where x (in million kg) and y (in million kg) are the amount of the alloy produced by machines A and B respectively, and t (in weeks) is the time elapsed since the beginning of the production.

- (a) Using the substitution $u = t + 1$, find the amount of the alloy produced by machine A in the first 10 weeks. (4 marks)
- (b) Using the trapezoidal rule with 5 sub-intervals, estimate the amount of the alloy produced by machine B in the first 10 weeks. (2 marks)
- (c) The engineer uses the results of (a) and (b) to claim that machine B is more productive than machine A in the first 10 weeks. Do you agree? Explain your answer. (4 marks)

10 (a) Amount by A = $\int_0^{10} \frac{6t}{(t+1)^{\frac{5}{2}}} dt$ ✓ IA

= $\int_1^{11} \frac{6(u-1)}{u^{\frac{5}{2}}} du$ ($\because u = t+1$)

= $\int_1^{11} 6[u^{-\frac{3}{2}} - u^{-\frac{5}{2}}] du$ ✓ IM

= $61 \left[\frac{u^{-\frac{1}{2}}}{-\frac{1}{2}} + \frac{u^{-\frac{3}{2}}}{-\frac{3}{2}} \right]_1^{11}$ ✓ IA

= 45.6636 ✓ IA

(b) Amount by B = $\int_0^{10} \frac{15}{16} \ln(t^2+100) dt$

$\approx \frac{2}{2} \times \frac{15}{16} [\ln(0^2+100) + 2\ln(2^2+100) + 2\ln(4^2+100) + 2\ln(6^2+100) + 2\ln(8^2+100) + \ln(10^2+100)]$ IM

= 45.6792 ✓ IA

(c) $\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{dy}{dt} \right) = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{15}{16} \ln(t^2+100)$

= $\frac{15}{16} \frac{(2t)}{(t^2+100)}$

= $\frac{15t}{8(t^2+100)}$ ✓ IA

$\frac{d^2}{dt^2} \left(\frac{dy}{dt} \right) = \frac{15}{8} \left[\frac{t^2+100 - t(2t)}{(t^2+100)^2} \right] = \frac{15}{8} \left(\frac{100-t^2}{(t^2+100)^2} \right)$ ✓ IA

For $0 < t < 10$, $\frac{d^2}{dt^2} \left(\frac{dy}{dt} \right) > 0$

\therefore The amount produced by B is a under-estimate ✓

\therefore B is more productive than A X

Answers written in the margins will not be marked.

High Performance – Question 13

13. In a supermarket, there are two cashier counters: a regular counter and an express counter. It is known that customers pay at the regular counter. It is found that the waiting time for a customer to pay at the regular counter follows the normal distribution with mean 6.6 minutes and standard deviation 1.2 minutes.
- Find the probability that the waiting time for a customer to pay at the regular counter is more than 6 minutes. (2 marks)
 - Suppose 12 customers who pay at the regular counter are randomly selected. Assume that their waiting times are independent.
 - Find the probability that there are more than 10 of the 12 customers each having a waiting time of more than 6 minutes.
 - Find the probability that the average waiting time of the 12 customers is more than 6 minutes. (5 marks)
 - It is found that the waiting time for a customer to pay at the express counter follows the normal distribution with mean μ minutes and standard deviation 0.8 minutes. It is known that exactly 21.19% of the customers at the regular counter wait less than k minutes, while exactly 3.59% of the customers at the express counter wait more than k minutes.
 - Find k and μ .
 - Two customers are randomly selected. Assume that their waiting times are independent. Given that both of them wait more than μ minutes to pay, find the probability that exactly one of them pays at the regular counter. (8 marks)

13 a) $X \sim N(6.6, 1.2)$		
$P(X > 6) = P(Z > \frac{6-6.6}{1.2})$	✓	1M
$= 0.5 \times 0.1915$		
$= 0.09575$	✓	1A
b) (i) $Y \sim B(0.0915, 12)$		
$P(Y > 10) = C_{11}^{12} (0.0915)^{11} (1-0.0915) + C_1^{12} (0.0915)^{12}$	✓	1M
$= 0.0759$	✓	1A
(ii) $\bar{X} \sim N(6.6, 0.12)$	✓	1A
$P(\bar{X} > 6) = P(Z > \frac{6-6.6}{\sqrt{0.12}})$		
$= 0.5 + 0.4584$		
$= 0.9584$	✓	1A
c) (i) $P(X < k) = 0.2119$	$W \sim N(\mu, 0.8^2)$	
$P(Z < \frac{k-6.6}{1.2}) = 0.2119$	✓ 1M	$P(W > 5.64) = 0.0359$
$\frac{k-6.6}{1.2} = -0.8$		$P(Z > \frac{5.64-\mu}{0.8}) = 0.0359$ 1M
$k = 5.64$ ✓ 1A		$\frac{5.64-\mu}{0.8} = 1.8$
		$\mu = 4.2$ ✓ 1A
(ii) $P(X > 4.2)$	$P(W > 4.2)$	
$= P(Z > \frac{4.2-6.6}{1.2})$	$= 0.5$ (\because mean value = 4.2)	
$= 0.5 + 0.4772$		
$= 0.9772$ ✓		1A
The required prob		
$= \frac{C_1^{12} (0.81)(0.12)}{(0.9772)(0.5)}$ X		
$= 0.4323$ X		

Mid Performance – Question 6

6. A random sample of size 10 is drawn from a normal population with mean μ and variance 8. Let \bar{X} be the mean of the sample.

(a) Calculate $\text{Var}(2\bar{X} + 7)$.

(b) Suppose the mean of the sample is 50. Construct a 97% confidence interval for μ .

(5 marks)

$$\begin{aligned}
 6 \text{ a) } \bar{X} &\sim N\left(\mu, \sqrt{\frac{8}{10}}\right)^2 \\
 &\text{Var}(2\bar{X} + 7) \\
 &= 2^2 \text{Var}(\bar{X}) \\
 &= 4\left(\frac{8}{10}\right) \quad \checkmark \quad \text{1M} \\
 &= 3.2 \quad \checkmark \quad \text{1A}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{b) A 97\% confidence interval for } \mu \\
 &= \left(50 - 2.17 \times \frac{\sqrt{8}}{\sqrt{10}}, 50 + 2.17 \times \frac{\sqrt{8}}{\sqrt{10}}\right) \quad \times \quad \text{1M+1A} \\
 &= (48.264, 51.736) \quad \times
 \end{aligned}$$

表現中等 — 第八題

8. 某農場把其出產的雞蛋裝入箱子中，每個箱子盛有 30 隻雞蛋。一隻隨機選取的雞蛋是變壞的概率為 0.04。
- (a) 求某個箱子盛有超過 1 隻變壞雞蛋的概率。
- (b) 現逐一檢查雞蛋箱子。
- (i) 求第 6 個被檢查的箱子為第 1 個發現盛有超過 1 隻變壞雞蛋的箱子的概率。
- (ii) 求在首次發現盛有超過 1 隻變壞雞蛋的箱子時所曾檢查過的箱子數目的期望值。
- (7 分)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & 8(a) \text{ 所求概率} \\
 & = 1 - C_0^{30} (1-0.04)^{30} - C_1^{30} (0.04) (1-0.04)^{29} \quad \checkmark \text{IM+IM} \\
 & \approx 0.338820 \\
 & = 0.3388 \quad \checkmark \text{IA} \\
 & (b)(i) P = (1-0.338820)^5 (0.338820) \quad \checkmark \text{IM} \\
 & \approx 0.0428121 \\
 & = 0.0428 \quad \checkmark \text{IA} \\
 & (ii) \text{ 期望值} = \frac{1}{0.0428} \quad \times \\
 & \approx 23.3619 \quad \times
 \end{aligned}$$

表現稍遜 — 第一題

1. (a) 展開 $(2x+1)^3$ 。
- (b) 依 x 的升冪次序展開 e^{-ax} 到含 x^2 的項為止，其中 a 為常數。
- (c) 若在 $\frac{(2x+1)^3}{e^{ax}}$ 的展式中， x^2 項的係數是 -4 ，求 a 的值。

(5分)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(a)} \quad (2x+1)^3 &= (2x)^3 + 3(2x)^2 + 3(2x) + 1 \\
 &= 8x^3 + 12x^2 + 6x + 1 \quad \checkmark \quad 1A \\
 \text{(b)} \quad e^{-ax} &= 1 - ax + \frac{a^2}{2}x^2 + \dots \quad \checkmark \quad 1A \\
 \text{(c)} \quad \frac{(2x+1)^3}{e^{ax}} &= \frac{8x^3 + 12x^2 + 6x + 1}{1 + ax + \frac{a^2}{2}x^2 + \dots} \quad \times \\
 \therefore x^2 \text{ 的係數是} &= 12(1) + 8 \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot a = -4 \quad \times \\
 & \qquad \qquad \qquad a = -\frac{1}{2} \quad \times
 \end{aligned}$$

表現稍遜 — 第五題

5. 考慮曲線 $C_1: y = 1 - \frac{e}{e^x}$ 及曲線 $C_2: y = e^x - e$ 。

(a) 求 C_1 及 C_2 所有交點的 x 坐標。

(b) 求 C_1 及 C_2 所圍成區域的面積。

(5 分)

$$\begin{aligned}
 5 \ a) \quad & 1 - \frac{e}{e^x} = e^x - e \\
 & -e = e^{2x} - e^x \cdot e - e^2 \\
 & e^{2x} - (e+1)e^x + e = 0 \quad \checkmark \quad 1A \\
 & (e^x - e)(e^x - 1) = 0 \\
 & e^x = e \quad \text{或} \quad 1 \\
 & x = 1 \quad \text{或} \quad 0 \quad \checkmark \quad 1A \\
 b) \quad & \int_0^1 (e^x - e) - (1 - \frac{e}{e^x}) dx \quad \checkmark \quad 1M \quad PP-1 \\
 & = \int_0^1 \frac{e^x - e - 1 + e}{e^x} dx \\
 & = \int_0^1 \frac{e^x - 1}{e^x} dx \\
 & = \int_0^1 (1 - e^{-x}) dx \\
 & = [x + e^{-x}]_0^1 \\
 & = 1.3679 \quad \times \quad 0A
 \end{aligned}$$