

ECE 341 - Homework #6

LaPlace Transforms, Continuous Probability Density Functions. Summer 2023

LaPlace Transforms

1) Let X and Y be related by the following transfer function:

$$Y = \left(\frac{10s+20}{(s+3)(s+10)} \right) X$$

a) What is the differential equation relating X and Y?

Cross multiply

$$(s^2 + 13s + 30)Y = (10s + 20)X$$

'sy' means 'the derivative of y(t)'

$$y'' + 13y' + 30y = 10x' + 20x$$

or

$$\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} + 13\frac{dy}{dt} + 30y = 10\frac{dx}{dt} + 20x$$

b) Determine y(t) assuming

$$x(t) = 2 \cos(4t) + 3 \sin(4t)$$

This is a phasor problem

$$s = j4$$

$$X = 2 - j3 \quad \text{real} = \text{cosine}, \text{ -imag} = \text{sine}$$

$$Y = \left(\frac{10s+20}{(s+3)(s+10)} \right) X$$

$$Y = \left(\frac{10s+20}{(s+3)(s+10)} \right)_{s=j4} \cdot (2 - j3)$$

$$Y = 1.1310 - j2.7724$$

meaning

$$y(t) = 1.1310 \cos(4t) + 2.7724 \sin(4t)$$

c) Determine $y(t)$ assuming $x(t)$ is the unit step function (0 for $t < 1$, 1 for $t > 0$)

$$x(t) = u(t)$$

This is a LaPlace problem ($x(t) = 0$ for $t < 0$)

$$Y = \left(\frac{10s+20}{(s+3)(s+10)} \right) X$$

$$Y = \left(\frac{10s+20}{(s+3)(s+10)} \right) \left(\frac{1}{s} \right)$$

Do a partial fraction expansion

$$Y = \left(\frac{0.6667}{s} \right) + \left(\frac{0.4762}{s+3} \right) + \left(\frac{-1.1429}{s+10} \right)$$

Take the inverse LaPlace transform

$$y(t) = 0.6667 + 0.4762e^{-3t} - 1.1429e^{-10t} \quad t > 0$$

2) Let X and Y be related by the following transfer function

$$Y = \left(\frac{10s+200}{(s+3+j10)(s+3-j10)} \right) X$$

a) What is the differential equation relating X and Y?

Cross multiply

$$(s^2 + 6s + 109)Y = (10s + 200)X$$

$$y'' + 6y' + 109y = 10x' + 200x$$

b) Determine y(t) assuming

$$x(t) = 2 \cos(4t) + 3 \sin(4t)$$

Use phasors

$$X = 2 - j3$$

$$s = j4$$

$$Y = \left(\frac{10s+200}{(s+3+j10)(s+3-j10)} \right) X$$

$$Y = \left(\frac{10s+200}{(s+3+j10)(s+3-j10)} \right)_{s=j4} \cdot (2 - j3)$$

$$Y = 3.8894 - j6.5951$$

convert back to time

$$y(t) = 3.8894 \cos(4t) + 6.5951 \sin(4t)$$

c) Determine y(t) assuming x(t) is the unit step function (0 for t<1, 1 for t>0)

$$x(t) = u(t)$$

$$Y = \left(\frac{10s+200}{(s+3+j10)(s+3-j10)} \right) \left(\frac{1}{s} \right)$$

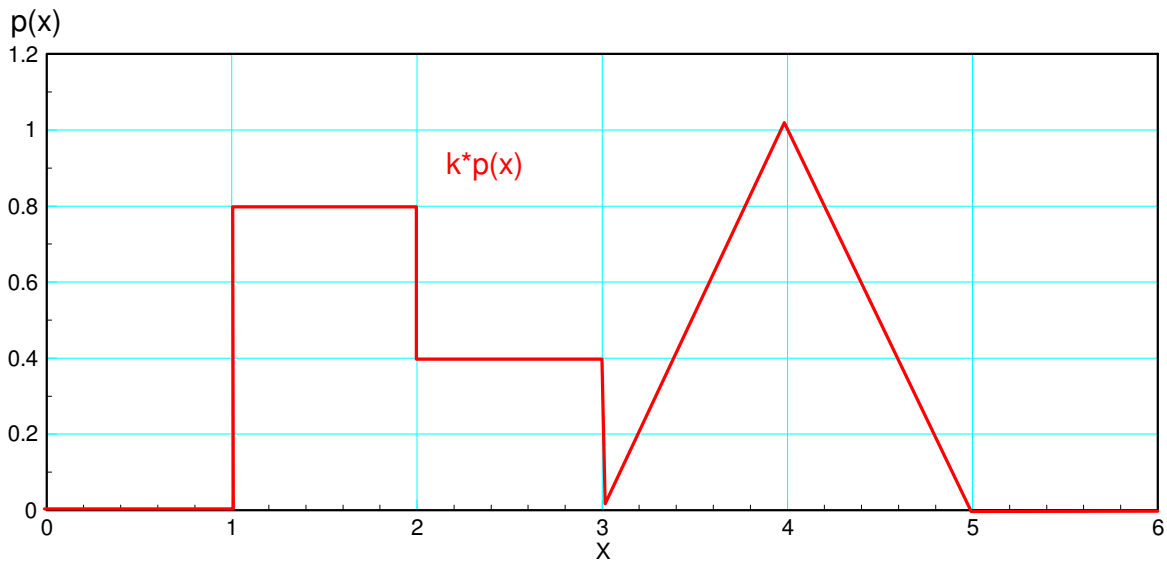
Use partial fractions

$$Y = \left(\frac{1.8349}{s} \right) + \left(\frac{0.9578 \angle -163.3^\circ}{s+3+j10} \right) + \left(\frac{0.9578 \angle 163.3^\circ}{s+3-j10} \right)$$

Convert back to time

$$y(t) = 1.8349 + 1.9157 e^{-3t} \cos(10t + 163.3^\circ) \quad t > 0$$

Continuous Probability Density Functions



3) Determine the scalar so that the above function is a valid pdf (i.e. the total area is 1.000)

Currently, the area is 2.2

Scale the y axis by $1/2.2 = 0.4545$

4) Determine the corresponding cdf

$$2.2 \cdot pdf = \begin{cases} 0 & x < 1 \\ 0.8 & 1 < x < 2 \\ 0.4 & 2 < x < 3 \\ x-3 & 3 < x < 4 \\ 5-x & 4 < x < 5 \\ 0 & x > 5 \end{cases}$$

Integrate

$$2.2 \cdot cdf = \begin{cases} 0 & x < 1 \\ 0.8x - 0.8 & 1 < x < 2 \\ 0.4x & 2 < x < 3 \\ 0.5x^2 - 3x + 5.7 & 3 < x < 4 \\ -0.5x^2 + 5x - 10.3 & 4 < x < 5 \\ 2.2 & x > 5 \end{cases}$$

Checking in Matlab

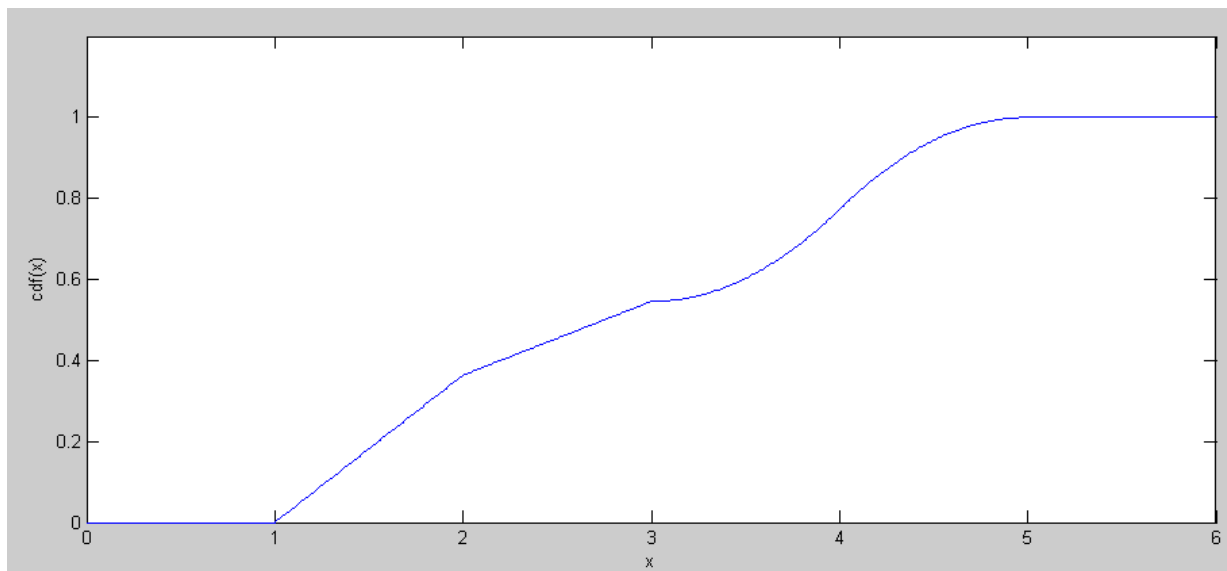
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function [y] = cdf(x)

if(x < 1)
    y=0;
elseif(x<2)
    y = 0.8*x-0.8;
elseif(x<3)
    y = 0.4*x;
elseif(x<4)
    y = 0.5*x^2 - 3*x + 5.7;
elseif(x<5)
    y = -0.5*x^2 + 5*x - 10.3;
else
    y=2.2;
end

y = y / 2.2;
end
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From the command window

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>> x = [0:0.01:6]';
>> C = 0*x;
>> for i=1:length(x)
    C(i) = cdf(x(i));
end
>> plot(x,C)
>> ylim([0,1.2])
>> xlabel('x');
>> ylabel('cdf(x)');
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5) Using Matlab, find 20 random values of x for the above pdf

Solve using interval halving:

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function [x] = Prob5(p)

x1 = 1;
p1 = cdf(x1) - p;
x2 = 5;
p2 = cdf(x2) - p;
for i=1:20
    x3 = (x1+x2)/2;
    p3 = cdf(x3) - p;

    if (p3<0) x1 = x3;
    else      x2 = x3;
    end

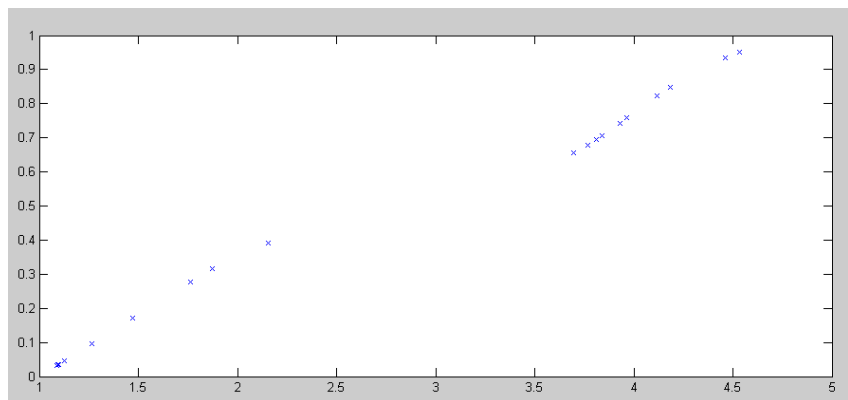
    % disp([x1,x2,cdf(x3)])
    % pause(0.5);
end
x = x3;
end
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Generate 20 random probabilities and corresponding x's

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>> p = rand(20,1);
>> x = 0*p;
>> for i=1:20
    x(i) = Prob5(p(i));
end
>> plot(x,p,'x')
>> [p,x]
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| p | x |
|--------|--------|
| 0.6557 | 3.6966 |
| 0.0357 | 1.0982 |
| 0.8491 | 4.1852 |
| 0.9340 | 4.4611 |
| 0.6787 | 3.7658 |
| 0.7577 | 3.9665 |
| 0.7431 | 3.9326 |
| 0.3922 | 2.1572 |
| 0.6555 | 3.6958 |
| 0.1712 | 1.4708 |
| 0.7060 | 3.8406 |
| 0.0318 | 1.0875 |
| 0.2769 | 1.7615 |
| 0.0462 | 1.1270 |
| 0.0971 | 1.2671 |
| 0.8235 | 4.1186 |
| 0.6948 | 3.8107 |
| 0.3171 | 1.8720 |
| 0.9502 | 4.5320 |
| 0.0344 | 1.0947 |

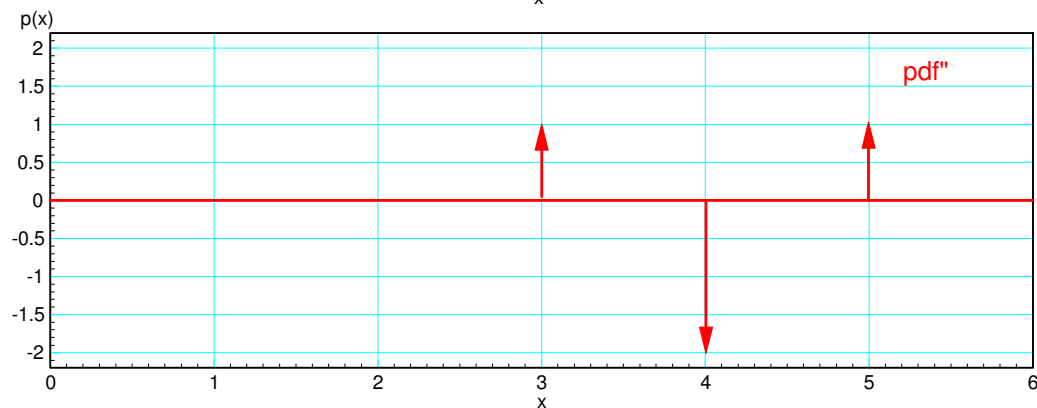
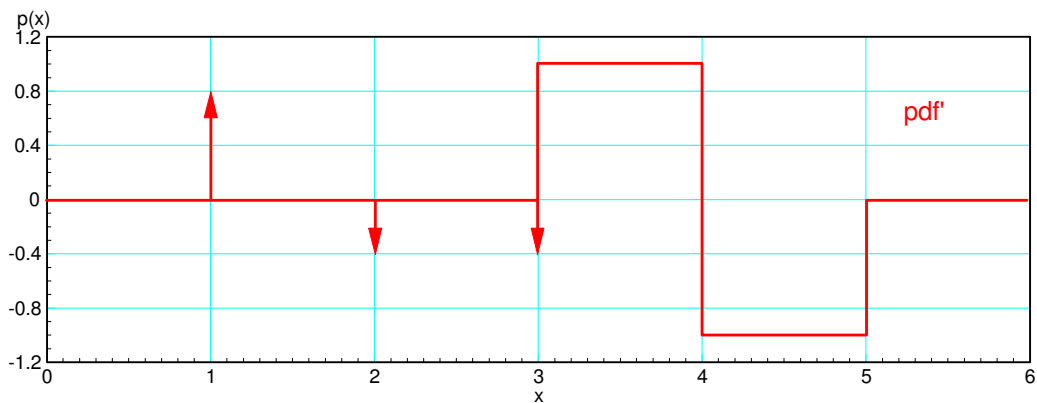
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6) Find the moment generating function for $p(x)$

a.k.a. Find the LaPlace transform for $p(x)$

Differentiate until you get delta functions (or something you recognize)



$$\psi(s) = \left(\frac{0.4545}{s}\right)(0.8e^{-s} - 0.4e^{-2s} - 0.4e^{-3s}) + \left(\frac{0.4545}{s^2}\right)(e^{-3s} - 2s^{-4s} + e^{-5s})$$

The 0.4545 term is include to make this a valid pdf (area is 1.0000)