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If X is a random variable which is uniformly distributed in the interval $[0, K]$, then the value of $E[X^{K-1}]$ is equal to

- A $(K)^K$
- B $(K)^{K-1}$
- C $(K)^{K-2}$ Your answer is Correct
- D K

Solution :

(c)

The amplitude of uniformly distributed is equal to $\frac{1}{K}$.

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore E[X^{K-1}] &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X^{K-1} f_x(x) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{K} \int_0^K X^{K-1} dx = \frac{1}{K} \left[\frac{X^K}{K} \right]_0^K = (K)^{K-2} \end{aligned}$$

- D K

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For discrete memoryless source 'X' with two symbol x_1 and x_2 are $P(x_2) = 0.9$ and $P(x_1) = 0.1$. Then the value $H(X^2)$ is equal to

- A 0.938 Your answer is Correct
- B 0.635
- C 0.425
- D 0.255

Solution :

(a)

$$H(X) = 0.9 \log_2 \frac{1}{0.9} + 0.1 \log_2 \frac{1}{0.1} = 0.469 \text{ bits/message}$$

$$\therefore H(X^2) = 2H(X) = 2 \times 0.469 = 0.938 \text{ bits/message}$$

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The probability density function of a random variable 'X' is given as $f_X(x)$. A random variable Y is defined as $Y = 2X$. The PDF of random variable 'Y' is defined as $f_Y\left(\frac{y}{2}\right)$, then the value of k is equal to

- A $\frac{1}{2}$ Your answer is Correct
- B 1
- C 2
- D $\frac{1}{4}$

Solution :

(a)

Since,

$$Y = 2x$$

Thus,

$$\frac{dx}{dy} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$f_Y(y) = \frac{dx}{dy} f_X(x) = \frac{dx}{dy} f_X\left(\frac{y}{2}\right)$$

$$\therefore K = \frac{1}{2}$$

- B 1
- C 2
- D $\frac{1}{4}$

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Q. 4 [FAQ](#) [Solution Video](#) [Have any Doubt ?](#) [Bookmark](#)

Which of the following is a valid power spectral density?

- A $j\omega^2 + 5$
- B $6\delta(\omega)$ Your answer is Correct
- C $\frac{4}{4 + 5\omega}$
- D $\frac{e^{-|\omega|}}{1 + \omega + \omega^2}$

Solution :

(b)

- C $\frac{4}{4 + 5\omega}$
- D $\frac{e^{-|\omega|}}{1 + \omega + \omega^2}$

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A source transmits two independent messages with probabilities of P and (1 - P) respectively. The maximum entropy is achieved when P is equal to _____.

- A 0.1
- B 0.25
- C 0.5 Your answer is Correct
- D 0.75

Solution :

(c)

$$H = P \log_2 \frac{1}{P} + (1-P) \log_2 \frac{1}{1-P}$$

$$\frac{dH}{dP} = 0$$

Which gives as $P = \frac{1}{2}$

- D 0.75

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Let 'X' be random variable with mean 5 and variance 3. A new random variable 'Y' is defined as $Y = 5X + 9$, the variance of Y is equal to _____.

- A 75 Your answer is Correct

Solution :

75

$$\sigma_Y^2 = (5)^2 \times \sigma_X^2 = 25 \times 3 = 75$$

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Consider the power spectral density of a random process $X(t)$ is given by $S_X(\omega) = 5\delta(\omega + 1.5\delta(\omega - 2\pi) + 1.5\delta(\omega + 2\pi)$

Then, the average power of the process is equal to _____ W.

- A 1.27 (1.25 - 1.30) Your answer is Correct

Solution :

1.27 (1.25 - 1.30)

$$P = E[X^2(t)] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} S_X(\omega) d\omega$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} [5 + 1.5 + 1.5] = \frac{8}{2\pi} = 1.27$$

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A continuous random variable X has a pdf

$$f_X(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{M} & ; 0 \leq x \leq M \\ 0 & ; \text{Otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Then the value of differential entropy

- A increases with increase in value of M. Your option is Correct
- B decreases with increase value of M.
- C is equal to $\log_2 M$. Your option is Correct
- D it is independent of M.

YOUR ANSWER - a,c

CORRECT ANSWER - a,c

STATUS - ✔

Solution :

(a, c)

$$H(x) = - \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_X(x) \cdot \log_2 f_X(x) dx$$

$$= - \int_0^M \frac{1}{M} \log_2 \frac{1}{M} dx = \log_2 M$$

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Which of the following is a property of mutual information $I(X; Y)$ where X and Y are two random variables.

- A $I(X; Y) = I(Y; X)$ Your option is Correct
- B $I(X; Y) \neq 0$
- C $I(X; Y) = H(X) + H(Y) - H(X, Y)$ Your option is Correct
- D $I(X; Y) = H(Y) - H\left(\frac{Y}{X}\right)$ Your option is Correct

YOUR ANSWER - a,c,d

CORRECT ANSWER - a,c,d

STATUS - ✔

Solution :

(a, c, d)

$I(X; Y)$ is always non-negative i.e. $I(X; Y) \geq 0$, but it can be equal to zero.

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Q. 10 [FAQ](#) [Solution Video](#) [Have any Doubt ?](#) [Bookmark](#)

A random process is defined as $X(t) = 6e^{At}$, where 'A' is random variable uniformly distributed in the interval $[0, 2]$. Then the autocorrelation function $R_X(t_1, t_2)$ is given as

- A $18[e^{2(t_1+t_2)} - 1]$
- B $18[e^{2(t_1-t_2)} - 1]$
- C $\frac{18}{t_1+t_2} [e^{2(t_1+t_2)} - 1]$ Your answer is Correct
- D $\frac{18}{t_1-t_2} [e^{2(t_1-t_2)} - 1]$

Solution :

(c)

$$X(t) = 6e^{At}$$

$$R_X(t_1, t_2) = E[X(t_1)X(t_2)] = E[6e^{At_1} 6e^{At_2}]$$

$$= 36 \left[\int_0^2 e^{A(t_1+t_2)} dA \right] = 18 \left[\frac{e^{A(t_1+t_2)}}{t_1+t_2} \right]_0^2 = \frac{18}{t_1+t_2} [e^{2(t_1+t_2)} - 1]$$

- D $\frac{18}{t_1-t_2} [e^{2(t_1-t_2)} - 1]$

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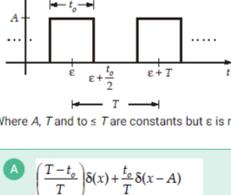
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Q. 11

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A random process $X(t)$ has a periodic sample function as shown in the figure below:



Where A , T and $t_0 \leq T$ are constants but ϵ is random variable uniformly distributed on the interval $(0, T)$, then the pdf is equal to

A $\left(\frac{T-t_0}{T}\right)\delta(x) + \frac{t_0}{T}\delta(x-A)$ Your answer is Correct

Solution :

(a)

The procedure are identical, let $\epsilon = e$,

The above value should be non-negative, this will happen only for $\left(\frac{T-t_0}{T}\right)$ and also since x can have only two values A and 0 , thus

$$\text{Here, } F_X(x|\epsilon=e) = P\{X \leq x | \epsilon=e\} = \left[\frac{(T-t_0)}{T}u(x) + \frac{t_0}{T}u(x-A) \right]$$

Because ' x ' can have only value of zero and A .

$$\text{Thus, } f_X(x|\epsilon=e) = \left[\frac{(T-t_0)}{T}\delta(x) + \frac{t_0}{T}\delta(x) \right]$$

$$f_X(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_X(x|\epsilon=e)f_e(e)de = \left[\frac{(T-t_0)}{T}\delta(x) + \left(\frac{t_0}{T}\right)\delta(x-A) \right]$$

- B** $\frac{t_0}{T}\delta(x) + \left(\frac{T-t_0}{T}\right)\delta(x-A)$
- C** $\left(\frac{T-t_0}{t_0}\right)\delta(x) + \left(\frac{T-t_0}{T}\right)\delta(x-A)$
- D** $\frac{t_0}{T}\delta(x) + \frac{T}{t_0}\delta(x-A)$

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Q. 12

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The random variable Y is defined by $Y = \frac{1}{2}(X+|X|)$ where ' X ' is another random variable. Then the density function of ' Y ' for $y > 0$ is equal to

A $f_Y(y) = \frac{f_X(y)}{1-F_X(0)}$ Your answer is Correct

Solution :

(a)

$$\text{Given, } y = \frac{1}{2}(x+|x|)$$

$$\text{when } x > 0, \quad y = \frac{1}{2}(x+|x|) = \frac{1}{2}(x+x) = \frac{2x}{2} = x, \quad y > 0$$

and $y = x, \quad y > 0$

$$\therefore F_Y(y) = P[X \leq y | X \geq 0] = \frac{P[X \leq y, X \geq 0]}{P(X \geq 0)} = \frac{P(X \leq y, X \geq 0)}{1 - P(X < 0)}$$

$$= \frac{P(0 \leq X \leq y)}{1 - P(X \leq 0)} = \frac{F_X(y) - F_X(0)}{1 - F_X(0)}$$

$$\therefore f_Y(y) = \frac{d}{dy} F_Y(y) = \frac{f_X(y)}{1 - F_X(0)}$$

- B** $f_Y(y) = \frac{f_X(x)}{1-F_X(0)}$
- C** $f_Y(y) = \frac{f_X(x)}{1-F_X(0)}$
- D** $f_Y(y) = \frac{f_X(x)}{1+F_X(0)}$

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Q. 13

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A random variable X has the PDF $f_X(x)$ given by

$$f_X(x) = \begin{cases} Cxe^{-x} & ; x > 0 \\ 0 & ; x \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

Then the value of C is equal to

A 1 Your answer is Correct

Solution :

(a)

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_X(x)dx = 1$$

$$\int_0^{\infty} Cxe^{-x}dx = 1$$

$$C \left[x \left(\frac{e^{-x}}{-1} \right) - 1 \left(\frac{e^{-x}}{1} \right) \right]_0^{\infty} = 1$$

$$C(0+1) = 1$$

$$C = 1$$

\therefore

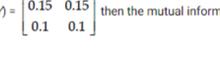
- B** 2
- C** 3
- D** 4

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Q. 14

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Consider the channel shown in the figure below:



If $P(X, Y) = \begin{bmatrix} 0.25 & 0.25 \\ 0.15 & 0.15 \\ 0.1 & 0.1 \end{bmatrix}$ then the mutual information is equal to $I(X; Y) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

0 Correct Option

Solution :

0

$$P(X, Y) = \begin{bmatrix} 0.25 & 0.25 \\ 0.15 & 0.15 \\ 0.1 & 0.1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P(x_1) = 0.25 + 0.25 = 0.5$$

$$P(x_2) = 0.15 + 0.15 = 0.3$$

$$P(x_3) = 0.1 + 0.1 = 0.2$$

and

$$P(y_1) = 0.5$$

$$P(y_2) = 0.5$$

$$P(X) = P(x_1) \log_2 \frac{1}{P(x_1)} + P(x_2) \log_2 \frac{1}{P(x_2)} + P(x_3) \log_2 \frac{1}{P(x_3)}$$

$$= 0.5 \log_2 \frac{1}{0.5} + 0.3 \log_2 \frac{1}{0.3} + 0.2 \log_2 \frac{1}{0.2}$$

$$= 1.485 \text{ bit/symbol}$$

and,

$$H(Y) = P(y_1) \log_2 \frac{1}{P(y_1)} + P(y_2) \log_2 \frac{1}{P(y_2)}$$

$$= 0.5 \log_2 \frac{1}{0.5} + 0.5 \log_2 \frac{1}{0.5} = 1 \text{ bit/symbol}$$

$$H(X, Y) = 0.25 \log_2 \frac{1}{0.25} + 0.25 \log_2 \frac{1}{0.25} + 0.15 \log_2 \frac{1}{0.15} + 0.15 \log_2 \frac{1}{0.15} + 0.1 \log_2 \frac{1}{0.1} + 0.1 \log_2 \frac{1}{0.1}$$

$$= 2.485 \text{ bits/symbol}$$

$$I(X, Y) = H(X) + H(Y) - H(X, Y)$$

$$= 1.485 + 1 - 2.485 = 0 \text{ bits/symbol}$$

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Q. 15

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The probability density function of a random variable X is given by

$$f_X(x) = \frac{8}{x^3} \text{ for } x > 2$$

Then the value of $E\left[\frac{X}{3}\right]$ is equal to _____

1.333 (1.200 - 1.400) Your answer is Correct 1.33

Solution :

1.333 (1.200 - 1.400)

$$E\left[\frac{X}{3}\right] = \int_2^{\infty} \frac{x}{3} f_X(x) dx$$

$$= \int_2^{\infty} \frac{x}{3} \cdot \frac{8}{x^3} dx = \frac{4}{3} = 1.33$$

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Q. 16

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An autocorrelation function of a stationary ergodic random process is shown below:



Then,

- A** the mean value $E[X]$ of the random process is 5.
- B** the value of total power of the signal is 15. Your option is Correct
- C** the value of AC power of the signal is 10. Your option is Correct
- D** the value of DC power of the signal is 25.

YOUR ANSWER - b,c

CORRECT ANSWER - b,c

STATUS - ✓

Solution :

(b, c)

$$\sigma_x^2 = E[X^2] - [E[X]]^2$$

$$E[X^2(t)] = R_{XX}(0) = 15$$

and

$$E[X(t)]^2 = 5$$

\therefore

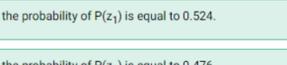
$$\sigma_x^2 = 15 - 5 = 10$$

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Q. 17

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Two binary symmetric channel's are connected in cascade as shown in the figure below:



The value of $P(x_1) = 0.6$ and $P(x_2) = 0.4$. Then,

- A** the probability of $P(z_1)$ is equal to 0.524. Your option is Correct
- B** the probability of $P(z_2)$ is equal to 0.476. Your option is Correct
- C** the probability of $P(y_1) = P(y_2)$.
- D** If $P(x_1) = P(x_2)$, then $P(z_1) = P(z_2)$. Your option is Correct

YOUR ANSWER - a,b,d

CORRECT ANSWER - a,b,d

STATUS - ✓

Solution :

(a, b, d)

$$P[Z|X] = \begin{bmatrix} 0.8 & 0.2 \\ 0.2 & 0.8 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0.7 & 0.3 \\ 0.3 & 0.7 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.62 & 0.38 \\ 0.38 & 0.62 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P(Z) = [P(x_1) P(x_2)] \begin{bmatrix} 0.62 & 0.38 \\ 0.38 & 0.62 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= [0.6 \quad 0.4] \begin{bmatrix} 0.62 & 0.38 \\ 0.38 & 0.62 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P(Z) = [0.524 \quad 0.476]$$

\therefore

If

$$P(x_1) = P(x_2) \text{ then}$$

$$P(Z) = [0.5 \quad 0.5] \begin{bmatrix} 0.62 & 0.38 \\ 0.38 & 0.62 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P(Z) = [0.5 \quad 0.5]$$

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