

Lec 12/7

Wednesday, December 7, 2016 8:05 AM

Exam: Mon 8-9.45

1.5x length of exams 1 and 2

1/3 ch 7 or 8

2 sheets of notes!

$$X_i \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \text{Exp}(\theta) \quad f_x(x_i) = \frac{1}{\theta} e^{-x_i/\theta} \quad F_x(x) = 1 - e^{-x/\theta}$$

$$Y = \max \{X_1, \dots, X_n\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f_y(y) &= n f_x(y) [F_x(y)]^{n-1} \\ &= \frac{n}{\theta} e^{-y/\theta} [1 - e^{-y/\theta}]^{n-1} \quad \text{for } y > 0. \end{aligned}$$

$$W = Y/2$$

$$\begin{aligned} f_w(w) &= \frac{n!}{(n-2)!} f_x(w) [F_x(y)]^1 [1 - F_x(y)]^{n-2} \\ &= \frac{n(n-1)}{\theta} e^{-y/\theta} [1 - e^{-y/\theta}] [e^{-y/\theta}]^{n-2} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{n(n-1)}{\theta} e^{-\frac{y(n-1)}{\theta}} - \frac{n(n-1)}{\theta} e^{-\frac{yn}{\theta}}$$