

1. Let A_1, A_2, \dots be a sequence of events. Is it correct that

$$\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} P(A_n) > 0$$

implies

$$P(\liminf_n A_n) > 0?$$

Prove or give a counterexample.

2. Let X and Y be independent random variables with continuous distribution functions. Prove that the distribution function of the sum $X + Y$ is also continuous. Moreover, prove that

$$\begin{aligned} & \sup_x P(x < X + Y < x + \Delta) \leq \\ & \leq \min\{\sup_x P(x < X < x + \Delta), \sup_x P(x < Y < x + \Delta)\} \end{aligned}$$

for any $\Delta > 0$.

3. Let X_1, X_2, \dots be a sequence of random variables. Each X_n takes two values, $e^{1/n}$ and e^n , with probabilities

$$P(X_n = e^{1/n}) = 1 - \frac{1}{n}, \quad P(X_n = e^n) = \frac{1}{n}.$$

Does the sequence $\{X_n\}$ converge

- a) in distribution?
- a) in probability?
- b) in L^1 ?

4. X_1, X_2, \dots are independent random variables, and

$$X_n \xrightarrow{P} X, \quad n \rightarrow \infty.$$

Find $\text{Var}(X)$.

5. Are the following functions characteristic functions?

a)

$$\cos \frac{1}{t}$$

b)

$$\sin t$$

c)

$$e^{2021(e^{it}-1)}$$

6. Let X and Y be iid random variables. Prove that for any $\varepsilon > 0$ and any real c

$$P(|X - Y| \geq \varepsilon) \leq 2P(|X - c| \geq \varepsilon/2).$$