

3.21 The moment generating function would be defined by  $\frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^{tx}}{1+x^2} dx$ . On  $(0, \infty)$ ,  $e^{tx} > x$ , hence

$$\int_0^{\infty} \frac{e^{tx}}{1+x^2} dx > \int_0^{\infty} \frac{x}{1+x^2} dx = \infty,$$

thus the moment generating function does not exist.

3.23 a.

$$\int_{\alpha}^{\infty} x^{-\beta-1} dx = \frac{-1}{\beta} x^{-\beta} \Big|_{\alpha}^{\infty} = \frac{1}{\beta \alpha^{\beta}},$$

thus  $f(x)$  integrates to 1 .

b.  $EX^n = \frac{\beta \alpha^n}{(n-\beta)}$ , therefore

$$EX = \frac{\alpha \beta}{(1-\beta)}$$

$$EX^2 = \frac{\alpha \beta^2}{(2-\beta)}$$

$$\text{Var}X = \frac{\alpha \beta^2}{2-\beta} - \frac{(\alpha \beta)^2}{(1-\beta)^2}$$

c. If  $\beta < 2$  the integral of the second moment is infinite.

3.25 Note that if  $T$  is continuous then,

$$\begin{aligned}P(t \leq T \leq t+\delta | t \leq T) &= \frac{P(t \leq T \leq t+\delta, t \leq T)}{P(t \leq T)} \\&= \frac{P(t \leq T \leq t+\delta)}{P(t \leq T)} \\&= \frac{F_T(t+\delta) - F_T(t)}{1 - F_T(t)}.\end{aligned}$$

Therefore from the definition of derivative,

$$h_T(t) = \frac{1}{1 - F_T(t)} = \lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0} \frac{F_T(t + \delta) - F_T(t)}{\delta} = \frac{F'_T(t)}{1 - F_T(t)} = \frac{f_T(t)}{1 - F_T(t)}.$$

Also,

$$-\frac{d}{dt} (\log[1 - F_T(t)]) = -\frac{1}{1 - F_T(t)} (-f_T(t)) = h_T(t).$$