

1. Let X and Y be discrete random variables with joint PMF $p(x, y)$ given by

$$p(0, 0) = p(0, 1) = p(1, 1) = p(1, 2) = \frac{1}{4}.$$

- (a) Find the conditional expectation $\mathbb{E}[X|Y=1]$.
- (b) Find the covariance $\text{Cov}(X, Y)$.
- (c) Are they independent?

(b) $\text{Cov}(X, Y) \stackrel{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{Formula}}}{=} \mathbb{E}[X \cdot Y] - \mathbb{E}[X] \cdot \mathbb{E}[Y] = \frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{2} \cdot 1 = \frac{1}{4}$

$$\mathbb{E}[X] = \sum_x \sum_y \boxed{x} \cdot p(x, y) = \sum_x x \cdot \underbrace{p_x(x)}$$

$$p_x(x) = \sum_y p(x, y) \quad , \quad p_x(0) = p(0, 0) + p(0, 1) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$p_x(1) = p(1, 1) + p(1, 2) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\mathbb{E}[X] = 0 \cdot \frac{1}{2} + 1 \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$(X \sim \text{Ber}(\frac{1}{2}))$$

$$p_Y(y) = \sum_x p(x, y)$$

$$p_Y(0) = \frac{1}{4} = p_Y(2) \quad , \quad p_Y(1) = \frac{2}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\mathbb{E}[Y] = 0 \cdot \frac{1}{4} + 1 \cdot \frac{1}{2} + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{4} = 1$$

$$\mathbb{E}[X \cdot Y] = \sum_x \sum_y x \cdot y \cdot p(x, y)$$

$$= 0 \cdot 0 \cdot p(0, 0) + 0 \cdot 1 \cdot p(0, 1) + 1 \cdot 1 \cdot p(1, 1) + 1 \cdot 2 \cdot p(1, 2)$$

$$= \frac{3}{4}$$

$$(a) \quad \mathbb{E}[\underbrace{X|Y=1}] = 0 \cdot \frac{1}{2} + 1 \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}.$$

↑ a new RV w/

$$\begin{aligned} P_{X|Y}(x|1) &= P(X=x|Y=1) \\ &= \frac{P(X=x, Y=1)}{P(Y=1)} = \frac{P(x, 1)}{P_Y(1)} \stackrel{\text{1/4}}{=} \frac{1}{2} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \quad \text{for } x=0, 1 \end{aligned}$$

(c) Are they indep?

- $P(x, y) \neq P_X(x) \cdot P_Y(y)$

$$P(X \in A, Y \in B) = P(X \in A) \cdot P(Y \in B)$$

$$P(0, 0) = \frac{1}{4}, \quad P_X(0) = \frac{1}{2}, \quad P_Y(0) = \frac{1}{4}$$

Dependent.

- $\frac{P(x, y)}{P_Y(y)} = P_X(x)$

$$P_{X|Y}(x|y) = P_X(x)$$

- Note If X, Y are independent, then

$$\left(\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}[XY] &= \mathbb{E}[X] \cdot \mathbb{E}[Y] \\ \Leftrightarrow \text{Cov}(X, Y) &= 0 \end{aligned} \right)$$

5. Let $X \sim \text{Exp}(2)$.

~~(*) For $0 < p < 1$, find the $(100p)$ -th percentile of X .~~

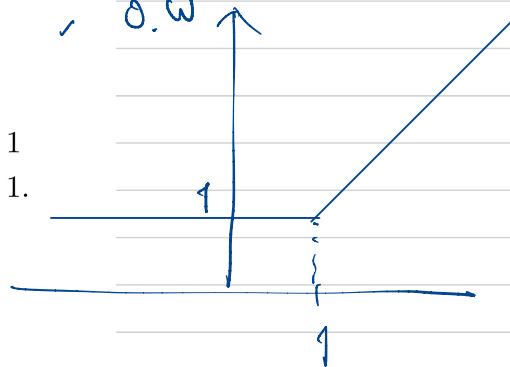
(b) Let $h(x)$ be a function defined by

$$h(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & x \leq 1 \\ x, & x > 1. \end{cases}$$

Compute the expectation $\mathbb{E}[h(X)]$.

(c) Compute the expectation $\mathbb{E}[\max\{X, X^2\}]$.

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 2e^{-2x}, & x \geq 0 \\ 0, & \text{o.w.} \end{cases}$$



$$\begin{aligned} (b) \quad \mathbb{E}[h(x)] &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(x) \cdot \underline{f(x)} \, dx \\ &= \int_0^{\infty} h(x) \cdot 2e^{-2x} \, dx \\ &= \int_0^1 1 \cdot 2e^{-2x} \, dx + \int_1^{\infty} x \cdot 2e^{-2x} \, dx \\ &= \left[-e^{-2x} \right]_0^1 + \left[\underbrace{-xe^{-2x}} - \frac{1}{2}e^{-2x} \right]_1^{\infty} \\ &= 1 - \underline{e^{-2}} + \frac{1}{2}e^{-2} = 1 + \frac{1}{2}e^{-2}. \end{aligned}$$

$$(c) \quad \mathbb{E}[\max\{X, X^2\}]$$

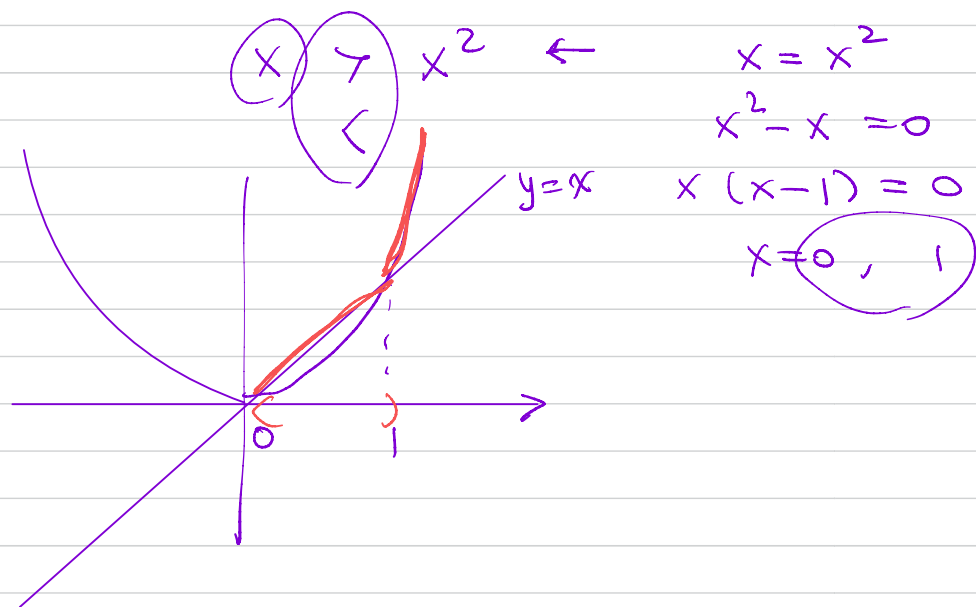
$$= \mathbb{E}[h(X)]$$

$$= \int_0^1 x \cdot 2e^{-2x} \, dx + \int_1^{\infty} x^2 \cdot 2e^{-2x} \, dx$$

$$h(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 & x > 1 \\ x & 0 < x \leq 1 \end{cases}$$

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$$h(x) = \max \{x, x^2\}$$



19. Let $X \sim N(0, 4)$ and $W = X^2$. Find the PDF of W .



a function of X : a New RV

$$\underbrace{h(x)} = \begin{cases} x^2 \\ e^x \end{cases}$$

$$W = X^2$$

$$Z = e^X$$

Start with the CDF of New one!

$$F_W(t) = P(W \leq t) = P(X^2 \leq t)$$

$$= \begin{cases} P(-\sqrt{t} \leq X \leq \sqrt{t}) & \text{if } t \geq 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } t < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$P(-\sqrt{t} \leq \underbrace{X} \leq \sqrt{t}) = \int_{-\sqrt{t}}^{\sqrt{t}} \underbrace{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \cdot 2}}_{\downarrow} e^{-\frac{x^2}{8}} dx$$

$$F'_W(t) = f_W(t) = \begin{cases} (\quad)' & t \geq 0 \\ 0 & , \quad t < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$X \sim N(0, 4) \quad \mu = 0, \quad \sigma^2 = 4$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \cdot \sigma} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Q: \quad \frac{d}{dt} \left(\int_{-\sqrt{t}}^{\sqrt{t}} f(x) dx \right) &= \frac{d}{dt} [F(\sqrt{t}) - F(-\sqrt{t})] \\ &= f(\sqrt{t}) \cdot (\sqrt{t})' - f(-\sqrt{t}) \cdot (-\sqrt{t})' \end{aligned}$$

26. Let X and Y have the joint PDF

$$f(x, y) = \frac{4}{3},$$

$$0 < x < 1, \quad x^3 < y < 1$$

and 0 otherwise. Find $P(X > Y)$.

$$P(X > Y) = P((x, y) \in A)$$

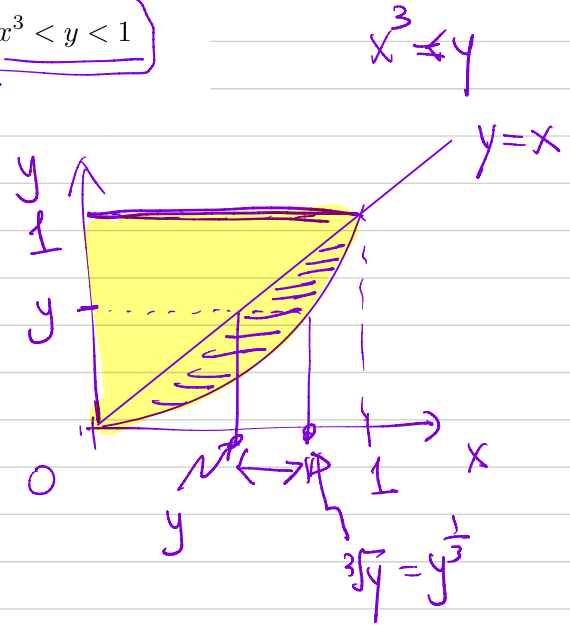
$$= \iint_A \frac{4}{3} dx dy$$

$$\{x > y\}$$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_y^{y^{1/3}} \frac{4}{3} dx dy$$

$$= \frac{4}{3} \cdot \text{Area}(A)$$

$$= \frac{4}{3} \left(\text{Area of square} - \text{Area of region below } y=x^3 \right) = 1 - \frac{2}{3} = \frac{1}{3}.$$



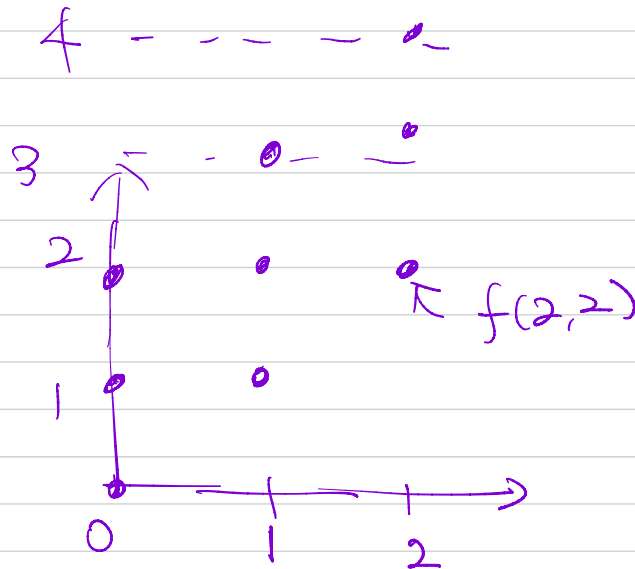
(b) Find the least square regression line.

24. Let X and Y be discrete random variables with joint PMF $f(x, y) = \frac{1}{9}$ for $(x, y) \in S$ where

$$S = \{(x, y) : 0 \leq x \leq 2, x \leq y \leq x+2, x, y \text{ are integers}\}.$$

Find $f_X(x)$, $f_{Y|X}(y|1)$, $\mathbb{E}[Y|X=1]$, and $f_Y(y)$.

9 pts



$$f_X(x) = \frac{1}{3} \quad \text{for } x=0, 1, 2$$

$$f_{Y|X}(y|1) = \frac{f(1, y)}{f_X(1)} = \frac{\frac{1}{9}}{\frac{1}{3}} = \frac{1}{3} \quad \text{for } y=1, 2, 3$$

$$\mathbb{E}[Y|X=1] = 2$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \cdot 1 + \frac{1}{3} \cdot 2 + \frac{1}{3} \cdot 3$$

$$f_Y(y) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{9} & y=0, 4 \\ \frac{2}{9} & y=1, 3 \\ \frac{3}{9} & y=2 \end{cases}$$

$$T_1 \sim \text{Exp}(10)$$

$$T_2 \sim \text{Exp}(20)$$

$T = \min(T_1, T_2)$: a new RV

CDF of T

$$F_T(t) = P(T \leq t)$$

$$= 1 - P(\underline{T > t})$$

$$= 1 - P(\min(T_1, T_2) > t)$$

$$= 1 - P(T_1 > t, T_2 > t)$$

Indep.

$$= 1 - P(T_1 > t) \cdot P(T_2 > t)$$

$$= 1 - e^{-10t} \cdot e^{-20t}$$

$$= 1 - e^{-30t}$$

Exercise what if $T = \max\{T_1, T_2\}$