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2.2 Let $Y = g(X)$, suppose $X \sim p(x)$, then

$$p(y) = \sum_{x: y=g(x)} p(x)$$

$$p(y) \log p(y) = \sum_{x: y=g(x)} p(x) \log p(y) \geq \sum_{x: y=g(x)} p(x) \log p(x)$$

$$H(X) = \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} p(x) \log \frac{1}{p(x)}$$

since $\sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} p(x) = 1$

$$H(Y) = \sum_{y \in \mathcal{Y}} p(y) \log \frac{1}{p(y)} = - \sum_{y \in \mathcal{Y}} \sum_{x: y=g(x)} p(x) \log p(y) \leq - \sum_{y \in \mathcal{Y}} \sum_{x: y=g(x)} p(x) \log p(x)$$

$$= - \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} p(x) \log p(x) = H(X)$$

Hence, if $Y = g(X)$, the general inequality relationship of $H(X)$ and $H(Y)$ is that $H(X) \geq H(Y)$

with equality iff g is one-to-one

(a) $Y = 2^X$, $H(X) = H(Y)$ since $g = 2^x$ is an one-to-one function

(b) $Y = \cos X$, $H(X) \geq H(Y)$ since $g = \cos x$ is not necessarily one-to-one with equality if $\cos x$ is in the ~~monotonous~~ ^{monotonous} range of X .

2.3 since $p_1 + p_2 + \dots + p_n = 1$ $H(p_1, \dots, p_n) = \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \log \frac{1}{p_i}$

when $p_i = 1$ or 0 $H(\vec{p}) = 0$

Hence $H(p_1, \dots, p_n)_{\min} = 0$, when $\vec{p} = (1, 0, \dots, 0), (0, 1, \dots, 0) \dots$

$(0, 0, \dots, 1)$

2.5 proof. $H(Y|X) = H(X, Y) - H(X) = 0$

i.e. ~~$H(X, Y) = H(X)$~~

~~$$\sum_x \sum_y p(x, y) \log \frac{1}{p(x, y)} = \sum_x p(x) \log \frac{1}{p(x)}$$~~

Assume that there exists a x_0 s.t. $p(x_0, y_1) > 0$, $p(x_0, y_2) > 0$
for $p(x_0) > 0$, then $p(x_0) \geq p(x_0, y_1) + p(x_0, y_2) > 0$ then

~~$$H(Y|X) = \sum_{i=1}^n p(x_i) H(Y|X=x_i) + \sum_x \sum_y p(x, y) \log \frac{1}{p(x, y)}$$~~

$$p(y_1|x_0) = \frac{p(x_0, y_1)}{p(x_0)}$$

$\neq 0$ and

$$p(y_1|x_0) \neq 1$$

$p(y_2|x_0)$ is the same.

~~$$\geq p(x_0, y_1) \log \frac{1}{p(x_0, y_1)} + p(x_0, y_2) \log \frac{1}{p(x_0, y_2)}$$~~

$$H(Y|X) = \sum_x \sum_y p(x, y) \log \frac{1}{p(y|x)} = \sum_x \sum_y p(x, y) \log \frac{p(x)}{p(x, y)}$$

~~$$= \sum_x \sum_y p(x, y) \log p(x) + \sum_x \sum_y p(x, y) \log \frac{1}{p(x, y)}$$~~

$$= \sum_x \sum_y p(x) p(y|x) \log \frac{1}{p(y|x)} = \sum_x p(x) \sum_y p(y|x) \log \frac{1}{p(y|x)}$$

$$\geq p(x_0) p(y_1|x_0) \log \frac{1}{p(y_1|x_0)} + p(x_0) p(y_2|x_0) \log \frac{1}{p(y_2|x_0)} > 0 \neq 0$$

contradiction!

Hence, if $H(Y|X) = 0$, then Y is a function of X .

2.6 (a) since if $X \rightarrow Y \rightarrow Z$, $I(X; Y) \geq I(X; Z)$

when $I(X; Z) = 0$ or X and Z are independent, $I(X; Y) = I(X; Y|Z)$
 give an example:

Let $X = \begin{cases} 0 & p = \frac{1}{2} \\ 1 & p = \frac{1}{2} \end{cases}$ and $Y = X, Z = Y$,

we have $I(X; Y) = H(X) - H(X|Y) = H(X) = \frac{1}{2} \log 2 + \frac{1}{2} \log 2 = 1$

$$I(X; Y|Z) = H(X|Z) - H(X|Y, Z) = 0$$

Hence $I(X; Y|Z) < I(X; Y)$

(b) Let $X = \begin{cases} 0 & p = \frac{1}{2} \\ 1 & p = \frac{1}{2} \end{cases}$ and $Y = \begin{cases} 0, q = \frac{1}{2} \\ 1, q = \frac{1}{2} \end{cases}$, $Z = X + Y$, and X and Y are independent

we have $I(X; Y) = 0$

$$I(X; Y|Z) = H(X|Z) - H(X|Y, Z) = H(X|Z) = P(Z=1) H(X|Z=1)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times \left(\frac{1}{2} \times \log 2 + \frac{1}{2} \times \log 2 \right) = \frac{1}{2}$$

Hence $I(X; Y|Z) > I(X; Y)$