

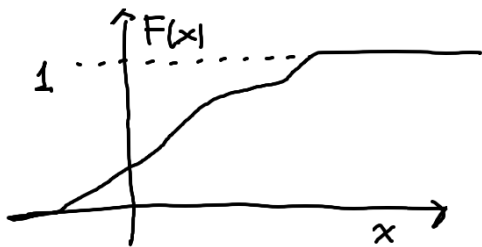
# Seminar 1

- $X, x$  - rand. var,  $X$  takes  $x$  value:  $X=x$
- $\Omega$  set of possible values
- $p(x)$  prob density function,  $p(x) \geq 0, \forall x \in \Omega$
- CDF or  $F(x)$  cumulative distribution func

$$CDF(x) = \int_{-\infty}^x p(x') dx'$$

1.  $F(x): \mathbb{R} \rightarrow [0, 1]$

2.  $F(x_1) \leq F(x_2)$  if  $x_1 < x_2$



- Moments:  $\mathbb{E}[f(x)] = \langle f(x) \rangle = \int_{\Omega} f(x) \cdot p(x) dx$  - general rule

$n$ -th moment  $\langle x^n \rangle = \int_{\Omega} x^n p(x) dx = \mu_n$

mean  $\langle x \rangle = \mu_1$       variance  $G^2 = \langle (x - \langle x \rangle)^2 \rangle = \mu_2 - \mu_1^2$        $G$  - std

# Inequalities

**Markov**

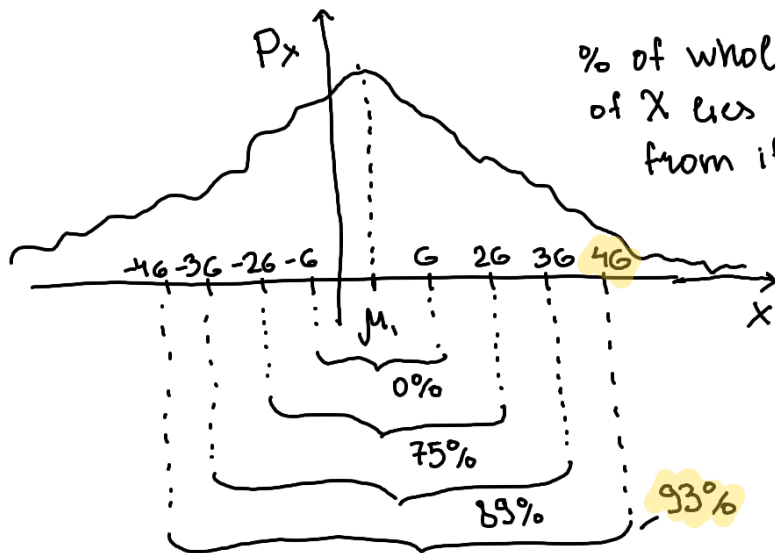
for non-negative R.V  $X > 0$ ,  $c > 0$

$$P_r\{X \geq c\} \leq \frac{E[X]}{c} \quad \text{OR} \quad P_r\{X \geq k \cdot \langle X \rangle\} \leq \frac{1}{k}$$

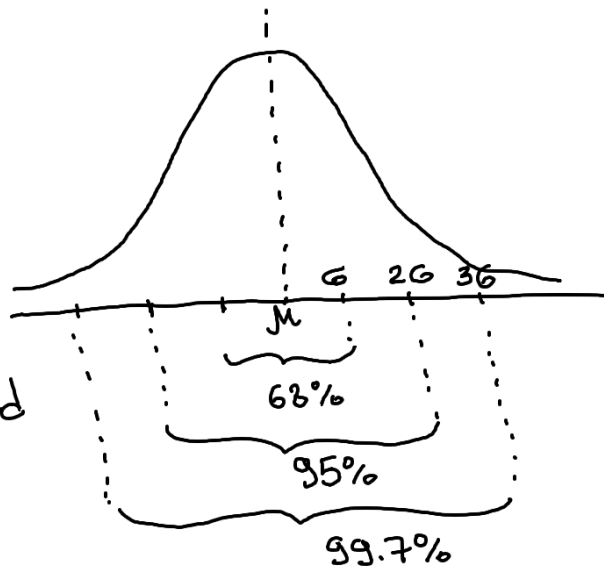
**Chebyshev**

for **any** distribution  
with finite  $\mu_1$  and  $\mu_2$

$$P_r\{|X - \langle X \rangle| \geq c\} \leq \frac{G^2}{c^2} \quad \text{OR} \quad P_r\{|X - \langle X \rangle| \geq k \cdot G\} \leq \frac{1}{k^2}$$



for Gaussian  
it can be improved  
(68-95-99 RULE OR)  
3G RULE



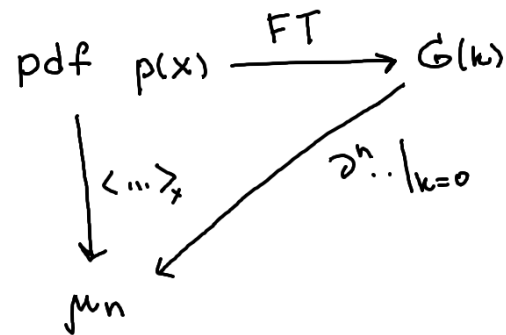
# Characteristic function

$$G(k) = \text{F.T.}[p(x)]$$

$$= \int_{\Omega} e^{ikx} p(x) dx$$

omitting  $i$  gives  
moment-generating func  
(Laplas transform)

$$= \langle e^{ikx} \rangle_x$$



① if  $X_1 \dots X_n$  - independent RV not necessarily identically distributed

then  $S_n = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i X_i$  has  $G_s(k) = G_{x_1}(a_1 k) \cdot \dots \cdot G_{x_n}(a_n k)$

② Relation to moments:

$$\frac{d^n}{dk^n} G(k) = \frac{d^n}{dk^n} \langle e^{ikx} \rangle_x = \langle (ix)^n e^{ikx} \rangle_x$$

$$\left. \frac{d^n}{dk^n} G(k) \right|_{k=0} = \langle i^n x^n \rangle_x = i^n \mu_n$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu_n = \frac{1}{i^n} \left. \frac{d^n}{dk^n} G(k) \right|_{k=0}$$

③ if moments exist:  $G(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(ik)^n}{n!} \mu_n$

Check you calc of  $G(k) \rightarrow G(0) = 1$   
always

## Cumulant generating func.

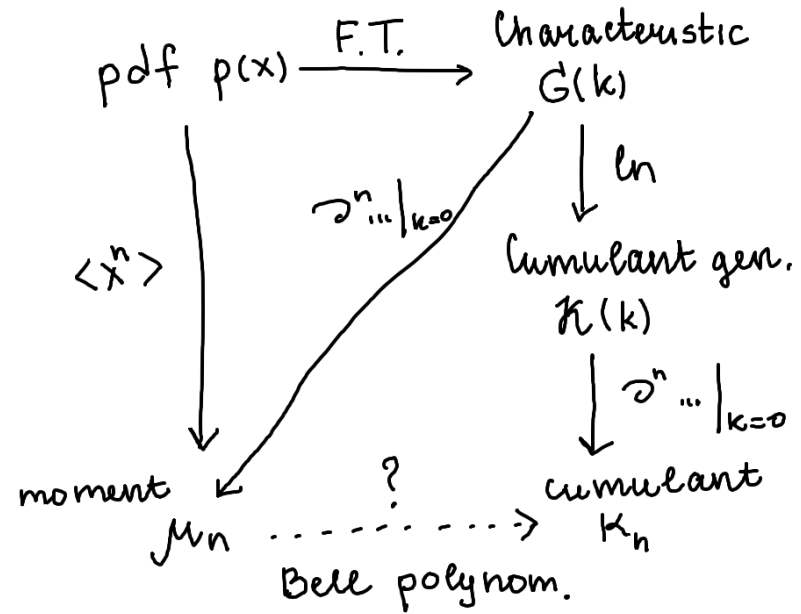
$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{K}(k) &= \ln G(k) \\ &= \ln \langle e^{ikx} \rangle_x\end{aligned}$$

as with  $G(k)$ , we can write  $\mathcal{K}(k)$  as series

$$= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(ik)^m}{m!} K_m \leftarrow \text{replaced } \mu_m$$

Cumulant  $K_m$  by definition

$$\begin{aligned}K_m &= \frac{1}{i^m} \frac{d^m}{dk^m} \mathcal{K}(k) \Big|_{k=0} \\ &= \frac{1}{i^m} \frac{d^m}{dk^m} [\ln G(k)] \Big|_{k=0}\end{aligned}$$



## Relation between $\mu_m$ & $K_m$

$$G(k) = e^{\underbrace{\ln G(k)}_{f(k)}}$$

replace with series

$$\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(ik)^m}{m!} \mu_m = \underbrace{\exp\left[\sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{(ik)^m}{m!} K_m\right]}_{\text{expansion}}$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \left[ \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{(ik)^m}{m!} K_m \right]^n$$

$$1 + \underbrace{ik\mu_1}_{k^2} + \frac{(ik)^2}{2!} \mu_2 + \frac{(ik)^3}{3!} \mu_3 + \dots = 1 + \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{(ik)^m}{m!} K_m + \left( \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{(ik)^m}{m!} K_m \right)^2 + \sum \cdot \sum \cdot \sum + \dots$$

$k \cdot k = k^2 \Rightarrow K_1^2$

$k^2 \Rightarrow K_2$

collect the same powers of  $k$  (with resp to factors!)

$$k: \mu_1 = K_1$$

$$k^2: \mu_2 = K_2 + K_1^2$$

$$k^3: \mu_3 = K_3 + K_1 K_2 \cdot 3 + K_1^3$$

and so on...

$$\Rightarrow K_1 = \mu_1 \text{ mean}$$

$$K_2 = \mu_2 - \mu_1^2 \text{ variance!}$$

$$K_3 = \mu_3 - 3\mu_1\mu_2 + 2\mu_1^3$$

clustering approach all ways to split  $N$  dots into clusters

$$\begin{aligned} \bullet &\rightarrow \bullet \\ \bullet\bullet &\rightarrow \text{circle with 2 dots} + \dots \\ \bullet\bullet\bullet &\rightarrow \text{triangle with 3 dots} + \text{circle with 3 dots} \times 3 + \dots \\ \bullet\bullet\bullet\bullet &\rightarrow \text{square} + \text{triangle with 4 dots} \times 4 + \text{circle with 4 dots} \times 6 + \text{circle with 3 dots and 1 dot} \times 3 + \dots \end{aligned}$$

binomial

$$\binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$$

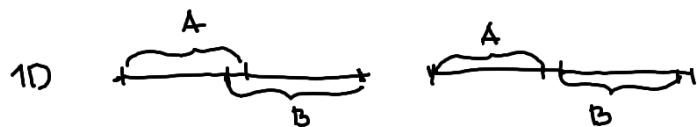
$$\mu_4 = K_4 + 4K_3K_1 + 6K_2K_1^2 + 3K_2^2 + K_1^4$$

# Correlation & Independence

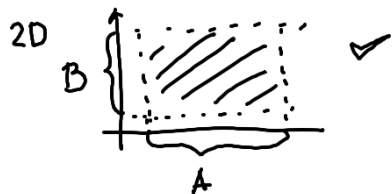
A and B are indep.  $\Leftrightarrow P(A \cap B) = P(A) \cdot P(B)$

for contin. case  $p(x, y) = p_x(x) \cdot p_y(y)$

$\uparrow$  marginal,  $p_x(x) = \int_{\Omega} p(x, y') dy'$



$\xi \in A$  and  $\xi \in B$  ✗



covariance  $\text{cov}(x, y) = \mathbb{E}[(x - \langle x \rangle)(y - \langle y \rangle)]$   
 $= \langle xy \rangle - \langle x \rangle \langle y \rangle$

independence  $\Rightarrow \text{cov}(x, y) = 0$



• Pearson corr. coef

$$\rho(x, y) = \frac{\text{cov}(x, y)}{\sigma_x \sigma_y} = \frac{\langle xy \rangle - \langle x \rangle \langle y \rangle}{\sqrt{\langle x^2 \rangle - \langle x \rangle^2} \sqrt{\langle y^2 \rangle - \langle y \rangle^2}}$$

• Kendall rank coef

$$\tau = \frac{\left[ \begin{array}{c} \text{number of} \\ \text{concordant} \\ \text{pairs} \end{array} \right] - \left[ \begin{array}{c} \text{number of} \\ \text{discordant} \\ \text{pairs} \end{array} \right]}{\left[ \begin{array}{c} \text{total number of} \\ \text{pairs} \end{array} \right]}$$

concordant — simultaneous increase or decrease in X & Y

X : 1, 0, 1, 100  
 Y : 1, 2, 5, 7

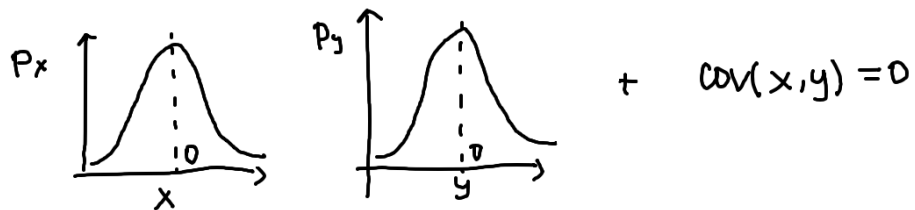
discordant

multidim case:  $x_1 \dots x_n = x$

$$\text{cov}(x) = \begin{pmatrix} \text{cov}(x_1, x_1) & \dots & \text{cov}(x_n, x_1) \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \text{cov}(x_1, x_n) & \dots & \text{cov}(x_n, x_n) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} \sigma^2(x_1) & \dots & \text{cov}(x_n, x_1) \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \text{cov}(x_1, x_n) & \dots & \sigma^2(x_n) \end{pmatrix}$$

Example: two gaussian marginal distributions and  $\text{cov}(x, y) = 0$



$$x \sim N(0, G)$$

$$W \sim \begin{cases} +1 & \text{with } p = 1/2 \\ -1 & \text{with } p = 1/2 \end{cases}$$

then  $y = W \cdot x$ ,  $W$  and  $x$  are indep.

$y$  and  $x$  are not



$$\begin{aligned} \text{cov}(x, y) &= \text{cov}(x, xW) \\ &= \langle x \cdot x \cdot W \rangle - \underbrace{\langle x \rangle}_0 \langle xW \rangle \\ &= \langle x^2 \rangle \underbrace{\langle W \rangle}_0 \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{but } P\{y > 1 \mid |x| < 1/2\} = 0$$

How to check independence?

$$P(A \cap B) = P(A) \cdot P(B)$$

OR

$$P(A|B) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)} = P(A)$$

## Sampling (HW1)

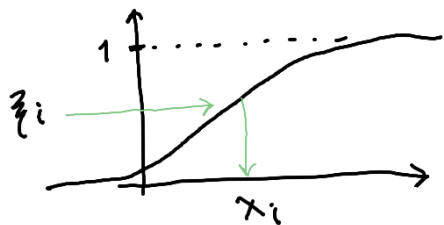
① Not correlated  $X$  &  $Y$  (or single  $X$ )

1. marginalise  $p_x = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} p(x, y) dy$

2. get  $CDF_x(x) = \int_{-\infty}^x p_x(x') dx'$

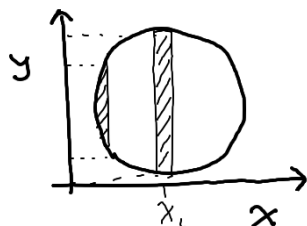
3. sample uniform  $\xi_x \in \text{Uni}[0, 1]$

4. generate  $x_i = CDF_x^{-1}(\xi_x)$  - inverse of CDF



do the same  
for  $y$

② Correlated Sampling,  $X$  &  $Y$



now the range  
of accessible values  
for  $y_i$  depends on  $x_i$

1. first steps  
2. are the same

3.

4. generate  $x_i$

5. compute  $p(y|x) = \frac{p(x, y)}{p_x(x)}$

6. get conditional CDF

$$F(y|x) = \int_{-\infty}^y p(y'|x) dy'$$

7. sample  $\xi_y \in \text{Uni}[0, 1]$

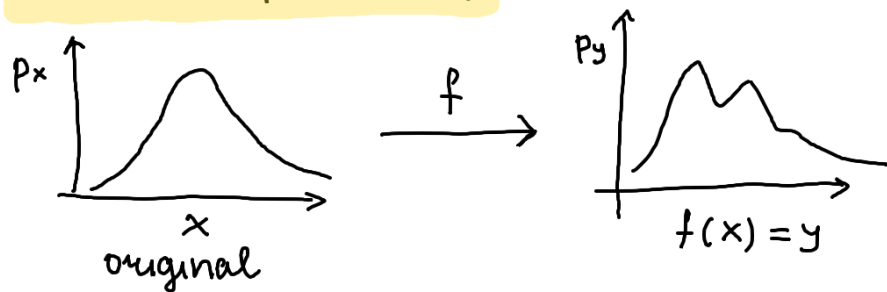
8. for given  $x_i$

generate  $y = F^{-1}(\xi_y | x_i)$

direct correlated  
sampling may be tedious due to inverse functions



## PDF transformation



exact mapping of CDFs should be guaranteed  $P(X=x) = P[f(X)=f(x)] = P(Y=y)$

$$F_y(y) = F_x(x)$$

take derivatives:  $\frac{d}{dx} F_y(y) = F'_y(y) \frac{dy}{dx} = p_y(y) \frac{dy}{dx} = p_x(x)$

since pdf  $\geq 0$  we take abs. val

$$p_y(y) = \frac{1}{\left| \frac{dy}{dx} \right|} p_x(x)$$

$$= \left| \frac{df(x)}{dx} \right|^{-1} p_x(x)$$

multivariate  $x = (x_1, \dots, x_n)$

$$f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$$

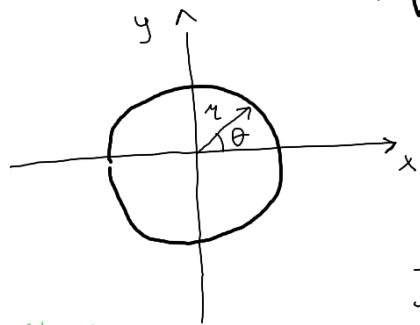
$$J_f = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_1} & \dots & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial f_n}{\partial x_1} & \dots & \frac{\partial f_n}{\partial x_n} \end{pmatrix}$$

Jacobian matrix

shows how much space is expanded/contracted by a transform.

$$p_y(y) = \frac{1}{|\det J_f|} p_x(x)$$

Example: polar transform.  
sampling from uniform disk



$$(1) \quad \begin{aligned} x &= r \cdot \cos \theta \\ y &= r \cdot \sin \theta \end{aligned} \quad \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \xleftarrow{f} \begin{pmatrix} r \\ \theta \end{pmatrix}$$

$$J_T = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial r} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial r} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -r \sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & r \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\det J_T = r (\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta) = r, \quad r > 0$$

no need to take abs

we want to have uniform density  
in  $(x, y)$  so  $p(x, y) = \frac{1}{\pi R^2} = \frac{1}{\pi}$ ,  $R=1$

$$\text{then } p(x, y) = \frac{p(r, \theta)}{r} = \frac{1}{\pi}$$

$$\Rightarrow p(r, \theta) = \frac{r}{\pi}$$

check:

$$r = z_1$$

$$\theta = 2\pi z_2$$

$$z_1, z_2 \in \text{Uni}[0, 1]$$

$$1. \quad p_r(r) = \int_0^{2\pi} p(r, \theta) d\theta = 2r$$

$$2. \quad \text{CDF}_r(R) = \int_0^R 2r dr = R^2$$

3, 4  $\Rightarrow$  produce  $r_i$

$$5. \quad p(\theta | r) = \frac{p(r, \theta)}{p(r)} = \frac{r}{\pi} \frac{1}{2r} = \frac{1}{2\pi}$$

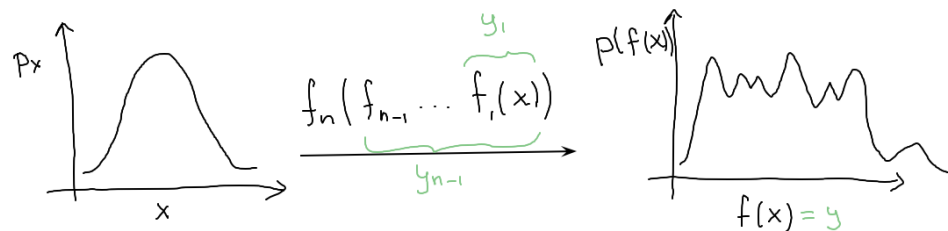
$p(r, \theta) = p(r)p(\theta)$   
independent

$$6. \quad F(\theta | r) = \int_0^\theta \frac{1}{2\pi} d\theta = \frac{\theta}{2\pi} \leftarrow \text{uniform}$$

7, 8  $\Rightarrow$  produce  $\theta$  from  $\text{uni}[0, 2\pi]$

now we can sample  $(x, y)$  coord.  
using  $(r, \theta)$  pairs.

# Function composition & Normalising flows



$f = f_n \circ \dots \circ f_i \circ \dots \circ f_1$  - composition:

1.  $f_i$  - easily invertible
2.  $J_i$  - easy to compute

$$\begin{aligned}
 p_x(x) &= \left| \det \frac{df(x)}{dx} \right| \cdot p_y(y) \\
 &= \left| \det \frac{df_n}{dy_{n-1}} \cdot \frac{df_{n-1}}{dy_{n-2}} \dots \frac{df_1(x)}{dx} \right| \cdot p_y(y) \\
 &= \left| \det \left( \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{df_i}{dy_{i-1}} \right) \right| p_y(y) \\
 &= \prod_{i=1}^n \left| \det \frac{df_i}{dy_{i-1}} \right| p_y(y)
 \end{aligned}$$

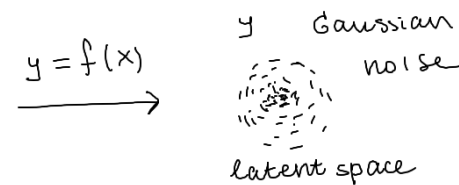
lets apply log:  $\prod \rightarrow \sum$

$$\log p_x(x) = \sum_{i=1}^n \log \left( \left| \det \frac{df_i}{dy_{i-1}} \right| \right) + \log p_y(f(x))$$

finally

$$\underbrace{\log p_y(f(x))}_{\text{output loss}} = \underbrace{\log p_x(x)}_{\text{input}} - \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^n \log \left( \left| \det \frac{df_i}{dy_{i-1}} \right| \right)}_{\text{flow}}$$

① Inference



② Generation

flow-based generative model



$$x = f^{-1}(y)$$

$$\text{loss} = -\frac{1}{|\text{Dataset}|} \sum_{y \in D} \log p_y(f(x))$$

negative log-likelihood (NLL)

example taken from "Real NVP" paper

# Copulas

"link" in latin

Copula (CDF<sub>1</sub>, CDF<sub>2</sub>...,  $\alpha$ )  $\rightarrow$  Joint distribution

takes on input marginal CDFs and some parameters, produces joint distr.

we want somehow add/mix  $F_1$  &  $F_2$ :

$$P(A) + P(B) > 1 \text{ - prohibited}$$

$F_1, F_2$  are in  $[0, 1]$  domain

$\Psi$  transform them into different domain

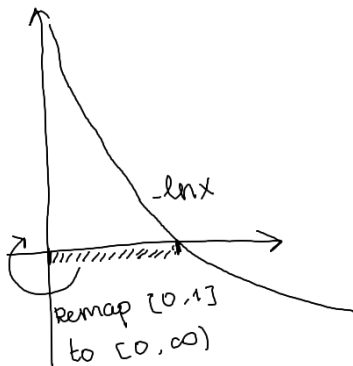
$$\Psi(F_1), \Psi(F_2) \in [0, \infty)$$

$\Psi^{-1}$  perform some operations

return them back

$$\Psi^{-1}(\Psi(F_1) + \Psi(F_2)) \in [0, 1]$$

$\Psi$  - generator func



$$\Psi = -\ln x$$

$$\Psi^{-1} = e^{-x}$$

$$C(P_A, P_B) = e^{-[(-\ln P_A) + (-\ln P_B)]} = P_A \cdot P_B$$

(quite useless independent copula  $\Psi$ )

But if we introduce param  $\alpha$  like

$$\Psi[F(x)] = [-\ln F(x)]^\alpha$$

we'll get Gumbel copula:

$$\text{Gumbel}(F_1, F_2, \alpha) = e^{-[(-\ln F_1)^\alpha + (-\ln F_2)^\alpha]^{1/\alpha}}$$

where  $\alpha = 1 \sim$  independence

$\alpha \rightarrow \infty \sim$  fully correlated  
(50 is enough)

