

Joint Random Variables

PDF/CDF in 2 RVs

- Joint Probability

$P(A, B)$ = Probability of occurrences of A and B where they may be dependent or independent

- Conditional Probability

$P(A|B)$ = Probability of A given that B occurs

$P(B|A)$ = Probability of B given that A occurs

- Baye's Theorem

$$P(A, B) = P(A|B)P(B) = P(B|A)P(A) = P(B, A)$$

Statistical Independence

$$P(A, B) = P(A)P(B)$$

$$P(A|B) = P(A)$$

$$P(B|A) = P(B)$$

Joint Random Variables

$$f_{X,Y}(x, y) \quad F_{X,Y}(x, y)$$

Conditional RVs

$$f_{X|Y}(x), f_{Y|X}(y)$$

$$f_{X,Y}(x, y) = f_{X|Y}(x)f_Y(y) = f_{Y|X}(y)f_X(x)$$

Statistical Independence

$$f_{X,Y}(x, y) = f_X(x)f_Y(y)$$

PDF Properties

1. $f_{X,Y}(x, y) \geq 0$
2. $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_{X,Y}(x, y) dx dy = 1$
3. $Pr(x_1 \leq x \leq x_2, y_1 \leq y \leq y_2) = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \int_{y_1}^{y_2} f_{X,Y}(x, y) dx dy$
4. $F_{X,Y}(x, y) = \int_x^{\infty} \int_y^{\infty} f_{X,Y}(x', y') dx' dy'$
5. $f_X(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_{X,Y}(x, y) dy; \quad f_Y(y) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_{X,Y}(x, y) dx$

CDF Properties

1. $0 \leq F_{X,Y}(x, y) \leq 1$
2. $F_{X,Y}(-\infty, y) = F_{X,Y}(x, -\infty) = F_{X,Y}(-\infty, -\infty) = 0$
3. $F_{\infty, Y} = F_Y(y); \quad F_{X, Y}(\infty, \infty) = F_{X,Y}(x, y)$
4. $F_{X,Y}(\infty, \infty) = 1$

Moments

$$E\{g(x)\} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(x) f_{X,Y}(x, y) dx dy$$

$$g(y) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(y) f_{X,Y}(x, y) dx dy$$

$$E\{g(x, y)\} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(x, y) f_{X,Y}(x, y) dx dy$$

1. Correlation

$$g(x, y) = xy$$

$$E\{XY\} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} xy f_{X,Y} dx dy$$

2. Covariance

$$g(x, y) = (x - m_x)(y - m_y)$$

$$\sigma\{XY\} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} xy f_{X,Y} dx dy$$

3. Special Case: Statistical Independence

$$f_{X,Y}(x,y) = f_X(x)f_Y(y)$$

$$\implies E\{XY\} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} xy f_X(x) f_Y(y) dx dy$$

$$\implies E\{XY\} = \left(\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x f_X(x) dx \right) \left(\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} y f_Y(y) dy \right)$$

$$\implies E\{XY\} = E\{X\}E\{Y\}$$

$$\implies \sigma_{X,Y} = 0$$

$$\text{Covariance } \sigma_{XY} = E\{XY\} - m_x m_y = 0$$

Orthogonality

$$\hat{a} \cdot \hat{b} = |a||b|\cos\theta = 0$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x)g(x)dx$$

$$\text{Correlation is } E\{XY\} = 0$$

Correlation coefficient

$$\rho_{XY} = \frac{\sigma_{XY}}{\sigma_X \sigma_Y} = \cos\theta$$

Uniform RV

$$f_{XY}(x,y) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{(x_2-x_1)(y_2-y_1)}, & \forall x_1 \leq x \leq x_2; \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$