

Joint Distributions

Sample Question The random variables X and Y have the following joint distribution

	$Y = 0$	$Y = 1$	$Y = 2$
$X = 0$	0.2	0	0.2
$X = 1$	0	0.2	0.1
$X = 2$	0.1	0.1	0.1

- ▶ Calculate the marginal distributions of X and Y .
- ▶ Calculate the coefficient of the correlation between X and Y .
- ▶ Are the random variables X and Y independent?