

1. Let $X \sim \text{Unif}(0,1)$. Show that $X^2 \sim \text{Beta}(\frac{1}{2}, 1)$. $f_X(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & x \in [0,1] \\ 0 & x \notin [0,1] \end{cases}$

First, note that $\Gamma(1) = 1$, $\Gamma(\frac{1}{2}) = \sqrt{\pi}$, $\Gamma(\frac{3}{2}) = \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2}$ according to Wolfram Alpha.

Now, find pdf of $\text{Beta}(\frac{1}{2}, 1)$. $\Rightarrow x^{\frac{1}{2}-1} (1-x)^{1-1} \cdot \frac{\Gamma(\frac{1}{2}+1)}{\Gamma(\frac{1}{2}) \cdot \Gamma(1)} = x^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot \frac{\Gamma(\frac{3}{2})}{\Gamma(\frac{1}{2})} = x^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2\sqrt{\pi}} = \frac{1}{2x}$.

Let $Y = g(X) = X^2$. $S_X = [0,1]$ where g is increasing and one-to-one. We find that $h(Y) = g^{-1}(Y) = \sqrt{Y} = X$. Now we can use the formula to find pdf of Y .

$$f_Y(y) = f_X(h(y)) \cdot |h'(y)| = f_X(\sqrt{y}) \cdot \left| \frac{1}{2\sqrt{y}} \right| = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{y}} = \text{pdf of Beta}(\frac{1}{2}, 1) \quad \checkmark$$

note: $\sqrt{y} > 0 \forall y$,

2. Let $U \sim \text{Unif}(0,1)$ and let $\lambda > 0$. Find the pdf and cdf of $X = -\frac{1}{\lambda} \ln U$.

Let $g(U) = X$. $S_U = [0,1]$ on which g is one-to-one and decreasing. $h(X) = g^{-1}(X) = U = e^{-\lambda X}$. Use the formula to find pdf of X . note: $f_U(u) = \begin{cases} 1 & u \in [0,1] \\ 0 & u \notin [0,1] \end{cases}$

$$f_X(x) = f_U(h(x)) \cdot |h'(x)| = f_U(e^{-\lambda x}) \cdot |- \lambda e^{-\lambda x}| = 1 \cdot \lambda e^{-\lambda x}, \quad x \in [0, \infty). \quad (\text{b.c. } \lambda > 0)$$

Integrate to find cdf: $F_X(x) = \int_{-\infty}^x f_X(t) dt = \int_0^x \lambda e^{-\lambda t} dt = (-e^{-\lambda t}) \Big|_0^x = -e^{-\lambda x} - (-1) = 1 - e^{-\lambda x}. \Rightarrow \boxed{f_X(x) = \begin{cases} \lambda e^{-\lambda x} & x \geq 0 \\ 0 & x < 0 \end{cases} \text{ and } F_X(x) = \begin{cases} 1 - e^{-\lambda x} & x \geq 0 \\ 0 & x < 0 \end{cases}}$

3. Let $A = (0,1)^2$. Find B determined by the transformation $y_1 = u(x_1, x_2) = x_1 + x_2$

and $y_2 = v(x_1, x_2) = x_1 - x_2$. Plot the regions A and B and compute the jacobian.

$$y_1 + y_2 = 2x_1 \Rightarrow x_1 = \frac{y_1 + y_2}{2}, \quad y_1 - y_2 = 2x_2 \Rightarrow x_2 = \frac{y_1 - y_2}{2}. \quad J = \begin{vmatrix} D_1 x_1 & D_2 x_1 \\ D_1 x_2 & D_2 x_2 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1/2 & 1/2 \\ 1/2 & -1/2 \end{vmatrix} = -\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4} = -\frac{1}{2}.$$

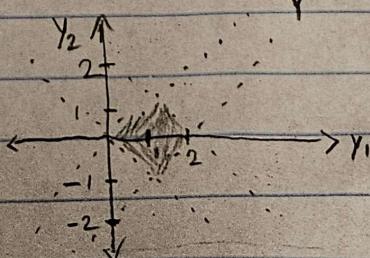
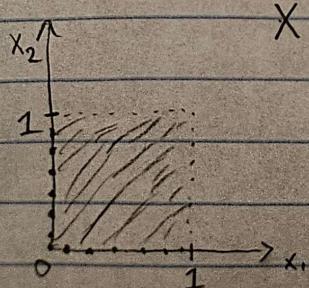
$$0 < x_1 < 1 \Rightarrow 0 < \frac{y_1 + y_2}{2} < 1 \Rightarrow 0 < y_1 + y_2 < 2 \Rightarrow -y_1 < y_2 < 2 - y_1.$$

$$0 < x_2 < 1 \Rightarrow 0 < \frac{y_1 - y_2}{2} < 1 \Rightarrow 0 < y_1 - y_2 < 2 \Rightarrow y_2 < y_1 < 2 + y_2.$$

$$-y_1 > -2 - y_2 \quad \text{and} \quad -y_1 < -y_2 \Rightarrow 2 - y_1 < 2 - y_2 \Rightarrow -2 - y_2 < y_2 < 2 - y_2 \Rightarrow -2 < 2y_2 < 2$$

$$\Rightarrow -1 < y_2 < 1.$$

$$-y_1 < y_2 < 2 - y_1 \quad \text{and} \quad y_2 < y_1 < 2 - y_1$$



$$\det J = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$J = \begin{pmatrix} 1/2 & 1/2 \\ 1/2 & -1/2 \end{pmatrix}$$

4. Let X_1, X_2 be independent r.v. $Y_1 = u(X_1)$ and $Y_2 = v(X_2)$. $S_{X_1, X_2} = S_{Y_1, Y_2}$

a. Compute the jacobian. Let $w_1(Y_1) = X_1$ and $w_2(Y_2) = X_2$.

$$J = \begin{vmatrix} D_1 w_1 & D_2 w_1 \\ D_1 w_2 & D_2 w_2 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} w'_1 & 0 \\ 0 & w'_2 \end{vmatrix} = [w'_1(y_1) \cdot w'_2(y_2)].$$

b. Apply the formula. Note that $f_{X_1, X_2}(x_1, x_2) = f_{X_1}(x_1) \cdot f_{X_2}(x_2)$ by independence.

$$\Rightarrow f_{Y_1, Y_2}(y_1, y_2) = f_{X_1, X_2}(w_1(y_1), w_2(y_2)) \cdot |w'_1(y_1) \cdot w'_2(y_2)|$$

$$= f_{X_1}(w_1(y_1)) \cdot f_{X_2}(w_2(y_2)) \cdot |w'_1(y_1)| \cdot |w'_2(y_2)| = [f_{X_1}(u_1(y_1)) \cdot |w_1(y_1)| \cdot f_{X_2}(u_2(y_2)) \cdot |w_2(y_2)|]$$

c. Apply formula to find f_{Y_1} and f_{Y_2} : $f_{Y_1}(y_1) = f_{X_1}(w_1(y_1)) \cdot |w'_1(y_1)|$.

$$f_{Y_2}(y_2) = f_{X_2}(w_2(y_2)) \cdot |w'_2(y_2)|.$$

$$\text{Now, } f_{Y_1}(y_1) \cdot f_{Y_2}(y_2) = f_{X_1}(w_1(y_1)) \cdot |w'_1(y_1)| \cdot f_{X_2}(w_2(y_2)) \cdot |w'_2(y_2)| = f_{Y_1, Y_2}(y_1, y_2).$$

Therefore, Y_1, Y_2 are independent.

5. Let X_1 and X_2 be two independent r.v. with distribution $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$.

Let $Y_1 = X_1 + X_2$ and $Y_2 = X_1 - X_2$.

a. I disagree

b. Find f_{Y_1, Y_2} . First, $f_{X_1, X_2}(x_1, x_2) = f_{X_1}(x_1) \cdot f_{X_2}(x_2) = \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp(-\frac{1}{2}(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma})^2)$

$$\cdot \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp(-\frac{1}{2}(\frac{x_2-\mu}{\sigma})^2) = \frac{1}{\sigma^2 \cdot 2\pi} \cdot \exp(-\frac{1}{2}((\frac{x_1-\mu}{\sigma})^2 + (\frac{x_2-\mu}{\sigma})^2)).$$

Now find inverses: $Y_1 + Y_2 = 2X_1 \Rightarrow X_1 = \frac{Y_1 + Y_2}{2}$ and $Y_1 - Y_2 = 2X_2 \Rightarrow X_2 = \frac{Y_1 - Y_2}{2}$.

Apply the formula: $f_{Y_1, Y_2}(y_1, y_2) = f_{X_1, X_2}(\frac{Y_1 + Y_2}{2}, \frac{Y_1 - Y_2}{2}) \cdot \frac{1}{2} \leftarrow J \text{ derived in Prob. 3.}$

$$-\frac{1}{2} \left(\left(\frac{Y_1 + Y_2 - 2\mu}{2\sigma} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{Y_1 - Y_2 - 2\mu}{2\sigma} \right)^2 \right) = -\frac{1}{8\sigma^2} (2y_1^2 + 2y_2^2 + 8\mu^2 - 8\mu y_1) = -\frac{.25y_1^2 + .25y_2^2 + \mu^2 - \mu y_1}{\sigma^2}.$$

$$\Rightarrow f_{Y_1, Y_2}(y_1, y_2) = \frac{1}{4\pi\sigma^2} \cdot \exp\left(-\frac{.25y_1^2 + .25y_2^2 + \mu^2 - \mu y_1}{\sigma^2}\right)$$

$$C \cdot g(y_1) \cdot h(y_2) \text{ for a constant } C, \text{ and functions } g, h \text{ of } y_1, y_2 \text{ respectively.}$$

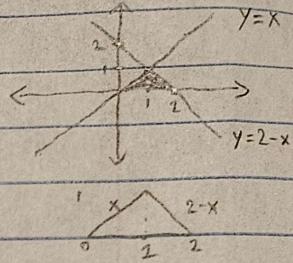
Because the joint pdf is separable in this manner (and the domain lacks dependence)

I believe Y_1, Y_2 are independent.

6. Let $f_{X,Y}(x,y) = \begin{cases} 3xy & 0 \leq y \leq x \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

a. $P(X \leq \frac{1}{2}, Y \leq 1) = P(X \leq \frac{1}{2}, Y \leq X) =$

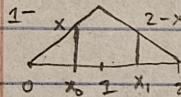
$$\int_0^{1/2} \int_0^x 3xy dy dx = \int_0^{1/2} \frac{3xy^2}{2} \Big|_{y=0}^{y=x} dx = \int_0^{1/2} \frac{3x^3}{2} dx \\ = \frac{3x^4}{8} \Big|_0^{1/2} = \frac{3}{8} \left(\frac{1}{16} - 0 \right) = \boxed{\frac{3}{128} \approx .0234}$$



$F(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}) = P(X \leq \frac{1}{2}, Y \leq \frac{1}{4}) = P(X \leq \frac{1}{4}, Y \leq X) + P(\frac{1}{4} \leq X \leq \frac{1}{2}, Y \leq \frac{1}{4})$

$$= \int_0^{1/4} \int_0^x 3xy dy dx + \int_{1/4}^{1/2} \int_0^x 3xy dy dx = \int_0^{1/4} \frac{3xy^2}{2} \Big|_{y=0}^{y=x} dx + \int_{1/4}^{1/2} \frac{3xy^2}{2} \Big|_{y=0}^{y=1/4} dx \\ = \int_0^{1/4} \frac{3x^3}{2} dx + \int_{1/4}^{1/2} \frac{3x}{32} dx = \frac{3x^4}{8} \Big|_0^{1/4} + \frac{3x^2}{64} \Big|_{1/4}^{1/2} = \frac{3}{2048} - 0 + \frac{3}{256} - \frac{3}{1024} = \boxed{\frac{21}{2048} \approx .0103}$$

b. Find f_X and f_Y . $f_X(x) = \begin{cases} \int_0^x 3xy dy & \text{if } x < 1 \\ \int_0^{2-x} 3xy dy & \text{if } x > 1 \end{cases} \Rightarrow f_X(x) = \begin{cases} .5(3x^3) & \text{if } 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ .5(3x^3 - 12x^2 + 12x) & \text{if } 1 < x \leq 2 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$



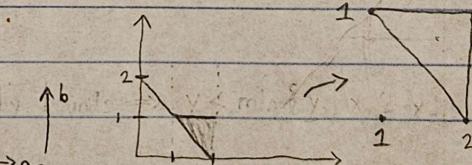
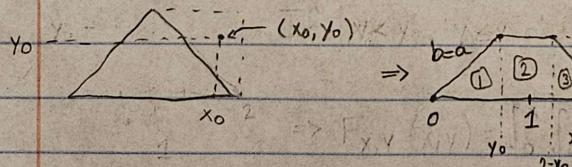
$$\Rightarrow \int_0^x 3xy dy = \frac{3xy^2}{2} \Big|_{y=0}^{y=x} = \frac{3x^3}{2} \quad \int_0^{2-x} 3xy dy = \frac{3x(2-x)^2}{2} = \frac{3x^3 - 12x^2 + 12x}{2}$$

$f_Y(y) = \begin{cases} \int_y^{2-y} 3xy dx & \text{if } 0 \leq y \leq 1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

$$\Rightarrow f_Y(y) = \begin{cases} 6y - 6y^2 & \text{if } 0 \leq y \leq 1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

c. $E(X) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} xf_X(x) dx = \frac{3}{2} \int_0^1 x^4 dx + \frac{3}{2} \int_1^2 (x^6 - 4x^3 + 4x^2) dx = \frac{3}{2} \left(\frac{x^5}{5} \Big|_0^1 + \left[\frac{x^5}{5} - x^4 + \frac{4}{3}x^3 \right]_1^2 \right)$
 $= \frac{3}{2} \left(\frac{1}{5} - 0 + \frac{32}{5} - 16 + \frac{32}{3} - \frac{1}{5} + 1 - \frac{4}{3} \right) = \frac{3}{2} \left(\frac{28}{3} - 15 + \frac{32}{5} \right) = \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{11}{15} = \boxed{\frac{11}{10} = 1.1}$

d. Find $F_{X,Y}$ on $\{(x,y) : 1 \leq x \leq 2, 2-x \leq y \leq 1\}$



Region of points within the domain of the pdf which satisfy $X \leq x_0$ and $Y \leq y_0$.

Integrate over that region (split into 3 parts)

$$\int_0^y \int_0^a 3ab db da + \int_y^{2-y} \int_0^a 3ab db da + \int_{2-y}^x \int_0^{2-a} 3ab db da = \int_0^y \frac{3ab^2}{2} \Big|_{b=0}^{b=a} da + \int_y^{2-y} \frac{3ab^2}{2} \Big|_{b=0}^{b=y} da$$

$$+ \int_{2-y}^x \frac{3ab^2}{2} \Big|_{b=0}^{b=2-a} da = \int_0^y \frac{3a^3}{2} da + \int_y^{2-y} \frac{3ay^2}{2} da + \int_{2-y}^x \frac{3}{2} a^3 - 6a^2 + 6a da = \frac{3y^4}{8} - 3(y-1)y^2 - \frac{3y^4 - 8y^3 - 3x^4 + 16x^3}{8}$$

$$\Rightarrow -3y^3 + 3y^2 + y^2 + \frac{3}{8}x^4 - 2x^3 + 3x^2 - 2 = \frac{3}{8}x^4 - 2x^3 + 3x^2 - 2 + 3y^2 - 2y^3.$$

$$\Rightarrow F_{X,Y}(x,y) = \frac{3}{8}x^4 - 2(x^3 + y^3) + 3(x^2 + y^2) - 2 \quad \text{for } (x,y) : 1 \leq x \leq 2 \text{ and } 2-x \leq y \leq 1.$$

$$7. f_{X_1, X_2}(x_1, x_2) = \begin{cases} x_1 - x_2 & \text{if } x_1 \in [1, 2], x_2 \in [0, 1] \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Let $Y = X_1 + X_2$. Find F_Y . Let $Z = X_2$. $\Rightarrow X_1 = Y - X_2 = Y - Z = u(Y, Z)$ and $X_2 = v(Y, Z) = Z$.

$$J = \begin{pmatrix} D_{1u} & D_{2u} \\ D_{1v} & D_{2v} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, |\det J| = |1 - 0| = 1, 0 \leq X_2 \leq 1 \Rightarrow 0 \leq Z \leq 1.$$

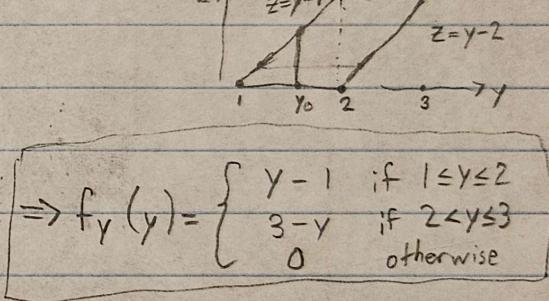
$$1 \leq X_1 \leq 2 \Rightarrow 1 \leq Y - Z \leq 2 \Rightarrow 1 + Z \leq Y \leq 2 + Z.$$

Now $f_{Y, Z}(y, z) = f_{X_1, X_2}(y-z, z) \cdot 1 = y - 2z$ for $0 \leq z \leq 1$ and $1+z \leq y \leq 2+z$.

$$\text{Now } f_{X_1 + X_2}(y) = f_Y(y) = \begin{cases} \int_0^{y-1} y - 2z dz & \text{if } 1 \leq y \leq 2 \\ \int_{y-2}^1 y - 2z dz & \text{if } 2 < y \leq 3 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow (yz - z^2) \Big|_0^{y-1} = y^2 - y - y^2 + 2y - 1 - 0 - 0 = y - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow (yz - z^2) \Big|_{y-2}^1 = y - 1 - y^2 + 2y + y^2 - 4y + 4 = 3 - y$$



$$b. f_{X_1} = \int_0^1 x_1 - x_2 dx_2 = x_1 - \frac{1}{2} \quad f_{X_2} = \int_1^2 x_1 - x_2 dx_1 = \frac{3}{2} - x_2$$

$$\Rightarrow f_{X_1} \cdot f_{X_2} = (x_1 - \frac{1}{2})(\frac{3}{2} - x_2) \neq x_1 - x_2 = f_{X_1, X_2} \Rightarrow \boxed{X_1, X_2 \text{ are not independent.}}$$