Joint Continuous Probability Distributions

X, Y Random Variable

$$f_{XY}(x,y)$$

Properties

$$f_{XY}(x,y) \ge 0$$

$$\int_x \int_y f_{XY}(x,y) = 1$$

Marginal PDFs

$$f_X(x) = \int_{\mathcal{Y}} f_{XY}(x, y) dy$$

$$f_Y(y) = \int_Y f_{XY}(x, y) dx$$

Expected Values

$$E(X) = \int_{\mathcal{X}} x f_X(x) dx$$

$$E(Y) = \int_{Y} y f_{Y}(y) dy$$

Variance

$$Var(X) = \sigma_X^2 = \int_X x^2 f_X(x) dx - (E(X))^2$$

$$Var(Y) = \sigma_y^2 = \int_{Y} y^2 f_Y(y) dy - (E(Y))^2$$

Covariance

$$Cov(x,y) = \int_{Y} \int_{Y} xy f_{XY}(x,y) dx dy - E(X)E(Y)$$

Correlation

$$\rho_{XY} = \frac{Cov(x,y)}{\sigma_x \sigma_y}$$

Joint Continuous Probability Distributions

X, *Y* Random Variable where, $0 \le x \le 2$ and $0 \le y \le 1$

$$f_{XY}(x,y) = \frac{9}{10}xy^2 + \frac{1}{5}$$

Test

$$f_{XY}(x,y) \ge 0$$

Now,

$$f_{XY}(1,1) = \frac{9}{10}1(1)^2 + \frac{1}{5} = \frac{9}{10} + \frac{1}{5} = 1.1$$
, So Here, $1.1 > 0$

And, Test

$$\int_{x} \int_{y} f_{XY}(x,y) = 1$$

$$\int_{0}^{2} \int_{0}^{1} f_{XY}(x,y) = \int_{0}^{2} \int_{0}^{1} \left(\frac{9}{10}xy^{2} + \frac{1}{5}\right) dy dx$$

$$= \int_{0}^{2} \int_{0}^{1} \left(\frac{9}{10}xy^{2} + \frac{1}{5}\right) dy dx$$

$$= \int_{0}^{2} \left[\frac{9}{10 \times 3}xy^{3} + \frac{1}{5 \times 1}y\right]_{0}^{1} dx$$

$$= \int_{0}^{2} \left(\left(\frac{9}{10 \times 3}x(1)^{3} + \frac{1}{5 \times 1}(1)\right) - \left(\frac{9}{10 \times 3}x(0)^{3} + \frac{1}{5 \times 1}(0)\right)\right) dx$$

$$= \int_{0}^{2} \left(\left(\frac{9}{10 \times 3}x \times 1 + \frac{1}{5 \times 1} \times 1\right) - (0 + 0)\right) dx$$

$$= \int_{0}^{2} \left(\frac{3}{10}x + \frac{1}{5}\right) dx$$

$$= \left[\frac{3}{10 \times 2}x^{2} + \frac{1}{5 \times 1}x\right]_{0}^{2}$$

$$= \left(\frac{3}{10 \times 2}(2)^{2} + \frac{1}{5 \times 1}(2)\right) - \left(\frac{3}{10 \times 2}(0)^{2} + \frac{1}{5 \times 1}(0)\right)$$

$$= \left(\frac{3}{10 \times 2} \times 4 + \frac{1}{5} \times 2\right) - (0 + 0)$$

$$= \left(\frac{3 \times 2}{10} + \frac{2}{5}\right) - 0$$

$$= \frac{6 + 4}{10}$$

$$= \frac{10}{10}$$

Marginal PDFs

$$f_{XY}(x,y) = \frac{9}{10}xy^2 + \frac{1}{5}$$

Now,

$$f_X(x) = \int_y f_{XY}(x, y) dy = \int_0^1 \left(\frac{9}{10}xy^2 + \frac{1}{5}\right) dy$$

$$= \int_0^1 \left(\frac{9}{10}xy^2 + \frac{1}{5}\right) dy$$

$$= \left[\frac{9}{10 \times 3}xy^3 + \frac{1}{5}y\right]_0^1$$

$$= \left(\frac{9}{10 \times 3}x(1)^3 + \frac{1}{5}(1)\right) - \left(\frac{9}{10 \times 3}x(0)^3 + \frac{1}{5}(0)\right)$$

$$= \frac{3}{10}x + \frac{1}{5}$$

And,

$$f_Y(y) = \int_x f_{XY}(x, y) dx = \int_0^2 \left(\frac{9}{10}xy^2 + \frac{1}{5}\right) dx$$

$$= \int_0^2 \left(\frac{9}{10}xy^2 + \frac{1}{5}\right) dx$$

$$= \left[\frac{9}{10 \times 2}x^2y^2 + \frac{1}{5}x\right]_0^2$$

$$= \left(\frac{9}{10 \times 2}(2)^2y^2 + \frac{1}{5}(2)\right) - \left(\frac{9}{10 \times 2}(0)^2y^2 + \frac{1}{5}(0)\right)$$

$$= \frac{9 \times 4}{10 \times 2}y^2 + \frac{2}{5}$$

$$= \frac{9}{5}y^2 + \frac{2}{5}$$

Expected Values

$$f_X(x) = \frac{3}{10}x + \frac{1}{5}$$
$$f_Y(y) = \frac{9}{5}y^2 + \frac{2}{5}$$

Now,

$$E(X) = \int_{x} x f_{X}(x) dx = \int_{0}^{2} x \left(\frac{3}{10}x + \frac{1}{5}\right) dx$$

$$= \int_{0}^{2} x \left(\frac{3}{10}x + \frac{1}{5}\right) dx$$

$$= \int_{0}^{2} \left(\frac{3}{10}x^{2} + \frac{1}{5}x\right) dx$$

$$= \left[\frac{3}{10 \times 3}x^{3} + \frac{1}{5 \times 2}x^{2}\right]_{0}^{2}$$

$$= \left(\frac{3}{10 \times 3}(2)^{3} + \frac{1}{5 \times 2}(2)^{2}\right) - \left(\frac{3}{10 \times 3}(0)^{3} + \frac{1}{5 \times 2}(0)^{2}\right)$$

$$= \frac{3 \times 8}{10 \times 3} + \frac{1 \times 4}{5 \times 2} - 0$$

$$= \frac{4}{5} + \frac{2}{5}$$

$$= \frac{4 + 2}{5}$$

$$= \frac{6}{5}$$

$$= 1.2$$

And,

$$E(Y) = \int_{y} y f_{Y}(y) dy = \int_{0}^{1} y \left(\frac{9}{5}y^{2} + \frac{2}{5}\right) dy$$

$$= \int_{0}^{1} y \left(\frac{9}{5}y^{2} + \frac{2}{5}\right) dy$$

$$= \int_{0}^{1} \left(\frac{9}{5}y^{3} + \frac{2}{5}y\right) dy$$

$$= \left[\frac{9}{5 \times 4}y^{4} + \frac{2}{5 \times 2}y^{2}\right]_{0}^{1}$$

$$= \left(\frac{9}{5 \times 4}(1)^{4} + \frac{2}{5 \times 2}(1)^{2}\right) - \left(\frac{9}{5 \times 4}(0)^{4} + \frac{2}{5 \times 2}(0)^{2}\right)$$

$$= \frac{9}{20} + \frac{1}{5} - 0$$

$$= \frac{9 + 4}{20}$$

$$= \frac{13}{20}$$

$$= 0.65$$

Variance

Now,
$$f_X(x) = \frac{3}{10}x + \frac{1}{5}$$
, and, $E(X) = \frac{6}{5}$

$$\therefore Var(X) = \sigma_x^2 = \int_X x^2 f_X(x) dx - (E(X))^2 = \int_0^2 x^2 \left(\frac{3}{10}x + \frac{1}{5}\right) dx - \left(\frac{6}{5}\right)^2$$

$$= \int_0^2 x^2 \left(\frac{3}{10}x + \frac{1}{5}\right) dx - \left(\frac{6}{5}\right)^2$$

$$= \int_0^2 \left(\frac{3}{10}x^3 + \frac{1}{5}x^2\right) dx - \left(\frac{6}{5}\right)^2$$

$$= \left[\frac{3}{10 \times 4}x^4 + \frac{1}{5 \times 3}x^3\right]_0^2 - \left(\frac{6}{5}\right)^2$$

$$= \left(\frac{3}{10 \times 4}(2)^4 + \frac{1}{5 \times 3}(2)^3\right) - \left(\frac{6}{5}\right)^2$$

$$= \left(\frac{3 \times 16}{10 \times 4} + \frac{8}{5 \times 3}\right) - \left(\frac{6}{5}\right)^2$$

$$= \left(\frac{6}{10 \times 4} + \frac{8}{15}\right) - \frac{36}{25}$$

$$= \left(\frac{18 + 8}{15}\right) - \frac{36}{25}$$

$$= \frac{26}{15} - \frac{36}{25}$$

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$$= 0.2933$$

$$\sigma_x^2 = 0.2933$$

$$\sigma_x = \sqrt{0.2933} = 0.5416$$

And,
$$f_Y(y) = \frac{9}{5}y^2 + \frac{2}{5}$$
, and, $E(Y) = \frac{13}{20}$

$$\therefore Var(Y) = \sigma_y^2 = \int_y y^2 f_Y(y) dy - \left(E(Y)\right)^2 = \int_0^1 y^2 \left(\frac{9}{5}y^2 + \frac{2}{5}\right) dy - \left(\frac{13}{20}\right)^2$$

$$= \int_0^1 y^2 \left(\frac{9}{5}y^2 + \frac{2}{5}\right) dy - \left(\frac{13}{20}\right)^2$$

$$= \int_0^1 \left(\frac{9}{5}y^4 + \frac{2}{5}y^2\right) dy - \left(\frac{13}{20}\right)^2$$

$$= \left[\frac{9}{5 \times 5}y^5 + \frac{2}{5 \times 3}y^3\right]_0^1 - \left(\frac{13}{20}\right)^2$$

$$= \left(\frac{9}{5 \times 5}(1)^5 + \frac{2}{5 \times 3}(1)^3\right) - \left(\frac{13}{20}\right)^2$$

$$= \left(\frac{9}{25} + \frac{2}{15}\right) - \left(\frac{13}{20}\right)^2$$

$$= \frac{9}{25} + \frac{2}{15} - \frac{169}{400}$$

$$= 0.070833$$

$$\sigma_y^2 = 0.070833$$

$$\sigma_y = \sqrt{0.070833} = 0.266$$

Covariance

$$f_{XY}(x,y) = \frac{9}{10}xy^2 + \frac{1}{5}$$

$$E(X) = \frac{6}{5}$$

$$E(Y) = \frac{13}{20}$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} &Cov(x,y) = \int_{x} \int_{y} xy f_{XY}(x,y) dy dx - E(X) E(Y) = \int_{0}^{2} \int_{0}^{1} xy \left(\frac{9}{10}xy^{2} + \frac{1}{5}\right) dy dx - \frac{6}{5} \times \frac{13}{20} \\ &= \int_{0}^{2} \int_{0}^{1} xy \left(\frac{9}{10}xy^{2} + \frac{1}{5}\right) dy dx - \frac{6}{5} \times \frac{13}{20} \\ &= \int_{0}^{2} \int_{0}^{1} \left(\frac{9}{10}x^{2}y^{3} + \frac{1}{5}xy\right) dy dx - \frac{6}{5} \times \frac{13}{20} \\ &= \int_{0}^{2} \left[\frac{9}{10 \times 4}x^{2}y^{4} + \frac{1}{5 \times 2}xy^{2}\right]_{0}^{1} dx - \frac{6}{5} \times \frac{13}{20} \\ &= \int_{0}^{2} \left(\frac{9}{10 \times 4}x^{2} + \frac{1}{5 \times 2}x\right) dx - \frac{6}{5} \times \frac{13}{20} \\ &= \left[\frac{9}{10 \times 4 \times 3}x^{3} + \frac{1}{5 \times 2 \times 2}x^{2}\right]_{0}^{2} - \frac{6}{5} \times \frac{13}{20} \\ &= \left(\frac{9 \times 8}{10 \times 4 \times 3} + \frac{1 \times 4}{5 \times 2 \times 2}\right) - \frac{6}{5} \times \frac{13}{20} \\ &= 0.02 \end{aligned}$$

Correlation

$$\sigma_x = \sqrt{0.2933} = 0.5416$$
 $\sigma_y = \sqrt{0.070833} = 0.266$
 $Cov(x, y) = 0.02$

$$\rho_{XY} = \frac{Cov(x, y)}{\sigma_x \sigma_y} = \frac{0.02}{0.5416 \times 0.266} = 0.1388$$