

Lecture 7-8 ①

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Show that

$$\text{corr}(ax+b, cy+d) = \text{corr}(X, Y)$$

Proof:

$$\therefore \text{corr}(X, Y) = \frac{\text{cov}(X, Y)}{\sqrt{V(X)} \cdot \sqrt{V(Y)}} \quad \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_X = \sqrt{V(X)} \\ \sigma_Y = \sqrt{V(Y)} \end{pmatrix}$$

So; $\text{corr}(ax+b, cy+d) = \frac{\text{cov}(ax+b, cy+d)}{\sqrt{V(ax+b)} \sqrt{V(cy+d)}}$

$$= \frac{E(ax+b)(cy+d) - E(ax+b) \cdot E(cy+d)}{\sqrt{V(ax+b)} \sqrt{V(cy+d)}} \quad \begin{matrix} \because \text{cov}(X, Y) \\ = EXY - EXEY \end{matrix}$$

$$= \frac{E(acXY + adX + bcY + bd) - E(ax+b)E(cy+d)}{\sqrt{a^2V(X)} \sqrt{c^2V(Y)}} \quad \begin{matrix} \because V(ax+b) \\ = a^2V(X) \end{matrix}$$

$$= \frac{acE(XY) + adE(X) + bcE(Y) + bd - (aE(X)+b)(cE(Y)+d)}{a\sqrt{V(X)} \cdot c\sqrt{V(Y)}}$$

$$= \frac{acE(XY) + ad\cancel{E(X)} + bc\cancel{E(Y)} + \cancel{bd} - acEX \cdot EY - ad\cancel{EX} - bc\cancel{EY} - \cancel{bd}}{ac \cdot \sigma_X \cdot \sigma_Y}$$

$$= \frac{ac(E(XY) - E(X) \cdot E(Y))}{ac \cdot \sigma_X \cdot \sigma_Y}$$

$$= \frac{E(XY) - E(X) \cdot E(Y)}{\sigma_X \cdot \sigma_Y}$$

$$= \text{corr}(X, Y) \quad \#$$

Result:

(2)

Show that

$$V(ax+by) = a^2 V(X) + b^2 V(Y) + 2ab \operatorname{cov}(X, Y)$$

Proof:

$$V(ax+by) = E(ax+by)^2 - (E(ax+by))^2 \quad \because V(X) = EX^2 - (EX)^2$$

$$= E(a^2 X^2 + b^2 Y^2 + 2abXY) - (aEX + bEY)^2$$
$$= a^2 EX^2 + b^2 EY^2 + 2ab EXY - a^2 (EX)^2 - b^2 (EY)^2 - 2ab EX \cdot EY$$

$$= a^2 (EX^2 - (EX)^2) + b^2 (EY^2 - (EY)^2)$$

$$+ 2ab (EXY - EX \cdot EY)$$

$$= a^2 V(X) + b^2 V(Y) + 2ab \operatorname{cov}(X, Y) \quad \#$$

Do it
Result:

$$V(ax-by) = a^2 V(X) + b^2 V(Y) - 2ab \operatorname{cov}(X, Y)$$

Result: $\operatorname{cov}(aX, bY) = ab \cdot \operatorname{cov}(X, Y)$

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For any two r.v X, Y show that

$-1 \leq \text{corr}(X, Y) \leq 1$ i.e. range of correlation coefficient is between 1 and -1.

Proof.

We know that

$$V(X) \geq 0$$

Consider,

$$V\left(\frac{X}{\sigma_X} + \frac{Y}{\sigma_Y}\right) \geq 0 \quad ; \text{ where } \sigma_X \text{ and } \sigma_Y \text{ are}$$

$$\therefore V(aX + bY) = a^2 V(X) + b^2 V(Y) + 2ab \text{cov}(X, Y) \quad \text{standard deviation of } X \text{ and } Y \text{ respec.}$$

$$\Rightarrow V\left(\frac{X}{\sigma_X}\right) + V\left(\frac{Y}{\sigma_Y}\right) + 2 \cdot \text{cov}\left(\frac{X}{\sigma_X}, \frac{Y}{\sigma_Y}\right) \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{V(X)}{\sigma_X^2} + \frac{V(Y)}{\sigma_Y^2} + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{\sigma_X \sigma_Y} \text{cov}(X, Y) \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{V(X)}{V(X)} + \frac{V(Y)}{V(Y)} + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{\sigma_X \sigma_Y} \text{cov}(X, Y) \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + 1 + 2 \text{corr}(X, Y) \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{corr}(X, Y) \geq -1 \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

Similarly, consider

$$V\left(\frac{X}{\sigma_X} - \frac{Y}{\sigma_Y}\right) \geq 0$$

$$\therefore V(aX - bY) = a^2 V(X) + b^2 V(Y) - 2ab \text{cov}(X, Y)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sigma_X^2} V(X) + \frac{1}{\sigma_Y^2} V(Y) - 2 \cdot \frac{1}{\sigma_X \sigma_Y} \text{cov}(X, Y) \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + 1 - 2 \text{corr}(X, Y) \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{corr}(X, Y) \leq 1 \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

From (i) and (ii)

$$\boxed{-1 \leq \text{corr}(X, Y) \leq 1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore V(aX) &= a^2 V(X) \\ \text{Cov}(aX, bY) &= ab \text{cov}(X, Y) \\ &\text{You can easily prove it} \end{aligned}$$

EXERCISES Section 5.1 (1-21)

1. A service station has both self-service and full-service islands. On each island, there is a single regular unleaded pump with two hoses. Let X denote the number of hoses being used on the self-service island at a particular time, and let Y denote the number of hoses on the full-service island in use at that time. The joint pmf of X and Y appears in the accompanying tabulation.

$p(x, y)$		y		
		0	1	2
x	0	.10	.04	.02
	1	.08	.20	.06
	2	.06	.14	.30

- What is $P(X = 1 \text{ and } Y = 1)$?
- Compute $P(X \leq 1 \text{ and } Y \leq 1)$.
- Give a word description of the event $\{X \neq 0 \text{ and } Y \neq 0\}$, and compute the probability of this event.
- Compute the marginal pmf of X and of Y . Using $p_X(x)$, what is $P(X \leq 1)$?
- Are X and Y independent rv's? Explain.

2. When an automobile is stopped by a roving safety patrol, each tire is checked for tire wear, and each headlight is checked to see whether it is properly aimed. Let X denote the number of headlights that need adjustment, and let Y denote the number of defective tires.

- If X and Y are independent with $p_X(0) = .5$, $p_X(1) = .3$, $p_X(2) = .2$, and $p_Y(0) = .6$, $p_Y(1) = .1$, $p_Y(2) = p_Y(3) = .05$, and $p_Y(4) = .2$, display the joint pmf of (X, Y) in a joint probability table.

- Compute $P(X \leq 1 \text{ and } Y \leq 1)$ from the joint probability table, and verify that it equals the product $P(X \leq 1) \cdot P(Y \leq 1)$.
- What is $P(X + Y = 0)$ (the probability of no violations)?
- Compute $P(X + Y \leq 1)$.

3. A certain market has both an express checkout line and a superexpress checkout line. Let X_1 denote the number of customers in line at the express checkout at a particular time of day, and let X_2 denote the number of customers in line at the superexpress checkout at the same time. Suppose the joint pmf of X_1 and X_2 is as given in the accompanying table.

		x_2			
		0	1	2	3
x_1	0	.08	.07	.04	.00
	1	.06	.15	.05	.04
	2	.05	.04	.10	.06
	3	.00	.03	.04	.07
	4	.00	.01	.05	.06

- What is $P(X_1 = 1, X_2 = 1)$, that is, the probability that there is exactly one customer in each line?
- What is $P(X_1 = X_2)$, that is, the probability that the numbers of customers in the two lines are identical?
- Let A denote the event that there are at least two more customers in one line than in the other line. Express A in terms of X_1 and X_2 , and calculate the probability of this event.

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Soln

(a) $P(X=1 \text{ and } Y=1) = 0.20$

(b) $P(X \leq 1, Y \leq 1) =$ ~~$P(X=0)$~~

$= P(0,0) + P(0,1) + P(1,0)$

$+ P(1,1)$

$= 0.10 + 0.04 + 0.08 + 0.20$

X	Y
0	0
1	1

(c) $P(X \neq 0, Y \neq 0) = 1 - P(X=0, Y=0)$
 $= 1 - 0.10 = 0.90$

(d) Marginal of X

$P_X(x) = \sum_{y \in R_Y} P_{X,Y}(x,y) ; x \in R_X$

$x \rightarrow 0, 1, 2 ; y \rightarrow 0, 1, 2$

$P_X(0) = \sum_{y=0}^2 P_{X,Y}(0,y)$

$= P(0,0) + P(0,1) + P(0,2)$

$= 0.10 + 0.04 + 0.02$

$P_X(1) = \sum_{y=0}^2 P_{X,Y}(1,y) = P(1,0) + P(1,1) + P(1,2)$
 $= 0.03 + 0.20 + 0.06$

$P_X(2) = \sum_{y=0}^2 P_{X,Y}(2,y) = P(2,0) + P(2,1) + P(2,2)$
 $= 0.06 + 0.14 + 0.30$

X	0	1	2
$P_X(x)$	$P_X(0)$	$P_X(1)$	$P_X(2)$

; Similarly Marginal of Y

(e) $\therefore P_{X,Y}(x,y) \neq P_X(x) \cdot P_Y(y) \forall x,y \in R_{X \times Y}$
 $\Rightarrow X \text{ and } Y \text{ are not independent}$

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$\therefore X$ and Y are independent

$$\Rightarrow P_{X,Y}(x,y) = P_X(x) \cdot P_Y(y)$$

Here

$$P_X(0) = 0.5 ; P_X(1) = 0.3 ; P_X(2) = 0.2$$

$$P_Y(0) = 0.6 ; P_Y(1) = 0.1 ; P_Y(2) = P_Y(3) = 0.05$$

$X \backslash Y$	0	1	2	3
0				
1				
2				

$$P_{X,Y}(0,0) = P_X(0) \cdot P_Y(0) = 0.5 \times 0.6 = 0.30$$

$$P_{X,Y}(0,1) = P_X(0) \cdot P_Y(1) = 0.5 \times 0.1 = 0.05$$

$$P(0,2) = P(0) \cdot P(2) = 0.5 \times 0.05 = 0.025 = P(0,3)$$

$$P(1,0) = P(1) \cdot P(0) = 0.3 \times 0.6 = 0.18$$

$$P(1,1) = P(1) \cdot P(1) = 0.3 \times 0.1 = 0.03$$

$$P(1,2) = 0.3 \times 0.05 = 0.015$$

$$P(1,3) = - - -$$

$$(b) \quad P(X \leq 1, Y \leq 1) = P(0,0) + P(0,1) + P(1,0) + P(1,1)$$

$X \backslash Y$	0	1
0	0	0
1	0	1

$$P(X \leq 1) = P(0) + P(1)$$

$$P(Y \leq 1) = P(0) + P(1)$$

$$(c) \quad P(X+Y=0) = P(0,0)$$

$X \backslash Y$	0	$X+Y$
0	0	0

$$(d) \quad P(X+Y \leq 1) = P(0,0) + P(1,0) + P(0,1)$$

$X \backslash Y$	0	1	$X+Y$
0	1	1	1
1	0	1	1
0	0	0	0

Q Suppose that the r.v X and Y have a joint density function given by

$$f_{X,Y}(x,y) = \begin{cases} c(2x+y) & ; 2 < x < 6 ; 0 < y < 5 \\ 0 & ; \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

find 'c', the marginal of X and Y and $P(X+Y > 4)$

Soln $\therefore \int_{x=2}^6 \int_{y=0}^5 f_{X,Y}(x,y) dy dx = 1$ (\because it is density)

$$\Rightarrow c \int_{x=2}^6 \int_{y=0}^5 (2x+y) dy dx = 1 \Rightarrow c \int_{x=2}^6 \left[2xy + \frac{y^2}{2} \right]_0^5 dx = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow c \int_{x=2}^6 \left(10x + \frac{25}{2} \right) dx = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow c \left[10 \cdot \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{25}{2} \cdot x \right]_2^6 = 1 \Rightarrow c \left[(5 \times 36 + 75) - (20 + 25) \right] = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow c [210] = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{c = \frac{1}{210}}$$

Now, for Marginal of X

$$f_X(x) = \int_{y=0}^5 \frac{1}{210} (2x+y) dy$$

$$= \frac{1}{210} \left(2xy + \frac{y^2}{2} \right)_0^5$$

$$f_X(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{210} \left(10x + \frac{25}{2} \right) & ; 2 < x < 6 \\ 0 & ; \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Similarly, we can find $f_Y(y)$

$$P(X+Y > 4) = 1 - P(X+Y \leq 4)$$

$$= 1 - \int_{x=2}^4 \int_{y=0}^{4-x} \frac{1}{210} (2x+y) dy dx$$

$$= \frac{11}{15}$$

