

①

a) Let  $Z = X+Y$ 

$$P(Z) = \begin{cases} P_1 q_1 & , Z=2 \\ P_1 q + P_2 q_1 & , Z=3 \\ P_1 q_3 + P_2 q_2 + P_3 q_1 & , Z=4 \\ P_1 q_4 + P_2 q_3 + P_3 q_2 + P_4 q_1 & , Z=5 \\ P_1 q_5 + P_2 q_4 + P_3 q_3 + P_4 q_2 + P_5 q_1 & , Z=6 \\ P_1 q_6 + P_2 q_5 + P_3 q_4 + P_4 q_3 + P_5 q_2 + P_6 q_1 & , Z=7 \\ P_2 q_6 + P_3 q_5 + P_4 q_4 + P_5 q_3 + P_6 q_2 & , Z=8 \\ P_3 q_6 + P_4 q_5 + P_5 q_4 + P_6 q_3 & , Z=9 \\ P_4 q_6 + P_5 q_5 + P_6 q_4 & , Z=10 \\ P_5 q_6 + P_6 q_5 & , Z=11 \\ P_6 q_6 & , Z=12 \end{cases}$$

b)  $\because Z = X+Y$ 

$$\therefore P(Z) = P(X+Y)$$

 $\therefore X, Y$  independent

$$\therefore P(Z) = P_X(a) \cdot P_Y(b) \quad \forall a+b = Z$$

 $\therefore$  Law of total probability

$$\therefore P(Z) = \sum_i P_X(x_i) P_Y(z-x_i)$$

②

$$a) P(Y) = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } y \notin [0,1] \\ 1, & \text{if } y = \min\{X_1, \dots, X_n\} \text{ where } X_i \stackrel{\text{iid}}{\sim} U[0,1] \quad \forall i \leq n \end{cases}$$

b)  $E[Y] = \min\{X_i \stackrel{\text{iid}}{\sim} U[0,1] \quad \forall i \leq n\} = \frac{1}{n}$

c) Yes

③

a)  $E[X] = 1 \times \frac{1}{2} + 2 \times \frac{1}{4} + 3 \times \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{4} = \frac{7}{4}$

b)  $E[g(x)] = 1 \times \frac{1}{2} + 2 \times \frac{1}{4} + 9 \times \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{2} + 1 + \frac{9}{4} = \frac{15}{4}$

c)  $\text{Var}(x) = E[(1-\frac{7}{4})^2 + (2-\frac{7}{4})^2 + (3-\frac{7}{4})^2] = (\frac{2}{4})^2 + (\frac{1}{4})^2 + (\frac{5}{4})^2$   
 $= \frac{9}{16} + \frac{1}{16} + \frac{25}{16} = \frac{35}{16}$

d) suppose  $X$  is a discrete random variable

$$E[-\log(g(x))] = \sum_{x \in X} -\log(g(x)) = -\sum_{x \in X} \log(g(x))$$

$$e) E[-\log_2(P(x))] = 1 \cdot 1 + 2 \cdot 2 + 3 \cdot 2 = 1 + 4 + 6 = 11$$

4) a)  $P(X=1) = \frac{1}{4}$   $P(X=2) = \frac{3}{4}$

$$P(Y=1) = \frac{5}{8} \quad P(Y=2) = \frac{3}{8}$$

$$\text{Since } P(X=1) \cdot P(Y=1) = \frac{3}{16} \neq \frac{1}{8} = P(X=1, Y=1)$$

$X$  and  $Y$  are not independent.

b)  $\text{Cov}(X, Y) = E[XY] - E(X)E(Y)$

$$E[XY] = \frac{1}{8} + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{8} + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{2} + 4 \cdot \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{4} + 1 + 1 = \frac{1+2+16}{8} = \frac{19}{8}$$

$$E[X] = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{3}{2} = \frac{7}{4}, \quad E[Y] = \frac{5}{8} * \frac{3}{4} = \frac{15}{32}$$

$$\therefore \text{Cov}(X, Y) = \frac{19}{8} - \frac{7}{4} * \frac{15}{32} = -\frac{1}{32}$$

c)  $P(Z) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{8}, & Z=2 \\ \frac{5}{8}, & Z=3 \\ \frac{1}{4}, & Z=4 \end{cases}$

d) see other part

5) RHS =  $E_Y[E_X[X|Y]] = E_Y[\sum_x x \cdot P(X=x|Y)]$   
=  $E_Y[x_1 P(X=x_1|Y) + \dots + x_n P(X=x_n|Y)]$   
=  $x_1 E_Y[P(X=x_1|Y)] + \dots + x_n E_Y[P(X=x_n|Y)]$   
=  $x_1 \cdot P(x_1) + \dots + x_n \cdot P(x_n)$   
=  $\sum_x x \cdot P(x) = E[X]$  ■

6) a) see script

b)  $P(Y|X) = \frac{P(X|Y)P(Y)}{P(X)}$

$$P(Y=1|X) = \frac{P(X|Y=1)P(Y)}{P(Y=1)P(X|Y=1) + P(Y=2)P(X|Y=2)} = \frac{N(4,1) \cdot \frac{1}{4}}{\frac{1}{4} \cdot N(4,1) + \frac{3}{4} \cdot N(0,1)}$$

$$P(Y=0|X) = \frac{\frac{3}{4} \cdot N(0,1)}{\frac{1}{4} \cdot N(4,1) + \frac{3}{4} \cdot N(0,1)}$$

c) see script

d) see script

f) see script