

# Joint Distribution of Discrete Random Variables (DRV)

Def Given  $n$  DRV's,  $\vec{X} = [X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n]$   
their joint pmf (jpmf) is  
given by

$$P_{\vec{X}}(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = P(X_1 = x_1, X_2 = x_2, \dots, X_n = x_n)$$

Example -  $n=2$   $X, Y$

$$P_{X,Y}(x,y) = P(X=x, Y=y) \quad (1)$$

Can recover individual distribution  
(or distribution of a sub collection)

Using Total Probability Formula

Def (Marginalization) case no 2

$$P_Z(x) = \sum_y P_{Z,Y}(x,y) \quad (2)$$

$$P_Y(y) = \sum_x P_{Z,Y}(x,y) \quad (3)$$

(Note:  $P_Z(x) = P(Z=x)$ )

$$\begin{aligned} (*) \quad \text{TPF} &= \sum_y P(Z=x, Y=y) \quad (4) \\ &= \sum_y P_{Z,Y}(x,y) \end{aligned}$$

Can "Marginalize out" any subcollection by summing -

For example if  $n = 4$

$$P_{\mathcal{X}, \mathcal{Y}}(x_1, x_2) = \sum_{x_2} \sum_{x_4} P_{\mathcal{X}, \mathcal{X}_2, \mathcal{X}_3, \mathcal{X}_4}(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) \quad (5)$$

Expectation Given

$$\mathcal{X} = [\mathcal{X}, \mathcal{X}_1, \dots, \mathcal{X}_n] \quad \text{and}$$

$$g: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad \text{Let}$$

$$Y = g(\mathcal{X}, \mathcal{X}_1, \dots, \mathcal{X}_n)$$

Then

$$E(Y) = \sum_{x_1} \dots \sum_{x_n} g(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) P_{\mathcal{X}}(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \quad (6)$$

Case  $n=2$  - Given  $\mathcal{X}, \mathcal{Y}$ ,

$$g: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$Z = g(\mathcal{X}, \mathcal{Y})$$

Then

$$E[Z] = \sum_x \sum_y g(x, y) P_{\mathcal{X}, \mathcal{Y}}(x, y) \quad (7)$$

Example  $Z = \mathcal{X} + \mathcal{Y}$

$$E[Z] = E[\mathcal{X} + \mathcal{Y}] = \sum_x \sum_y (x + y) P_{\mathcal{X}, \mathcal{Y}}(x, y) \quad (8)$$

$$= \sum_x \sum_y x P_{\mathcal{X}, \mathcal{Y}}(x, y) + \sum_x \sum_y y P_{\mathcal{X}, \mathcal{Y}}(x, y) \quad (9)$$

$$= \sum_x x \sum_y P_{\mathcal{X}, \mathcal{Y}}(x, y) + \sum_y y \sum_x P_{\mathcal{X}, \mathcal{Y}}(x, y)$$

$$= \sum_x x P_X(x) + \sum_y y P_Y(y) \quad (10)$$

$$= E(X) + E(Y). \quad (11)$$

$$\Rightarrow E(X+Y) = E(X) + E(Y). \quad (12)$$

This easily generalizes:

$$(*) E(X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_n) = \sum_{j=1}^n E(X_j). \quad (13)$$

Note - We already know  $E(cX) = cE(X)$

$\Rightarrow E[\cdot]$  is a "Linear Transformation"

$$(*) E\left(\sum_{j=1}^n c_j X_j\right) = \sum_{j=1}^n c_j E(X_j) \quad (14)$$

What about the Variance of a sum?

$$\text{Let } Z = X + Y$$

$$\text{Var}(Z) = E[(Z - \mu_Z)^2] = E[Z^2] - \mu_Z^2 \quad (15)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{\text{Now}} \quad \mu_Z^2 &= (\mu_X + \mu_Y)^2 \\ &= \mu_X^2 + 2\mu_X\mu_Y + \mu_Y^2 \quad (16) \end{aligned}$$

$$E[Z^2] = E[(X + Y)^2]$$

$$= E[X^2 + 2XY + Y^2] \quad (17)$$

$$= E[X^2] + 2E[XY] + E[Y^2]$$

$\Rightarrow$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Var}(Z) &= E(Z^2) - \mu_Z^2 \\
 &= E(X^2) + 2E(XY) + E(Y^2) \\
 &\quad - (\mu_X^2 + 2\mu_X\mu_Y + \mu_Y^2)
 \end{aligned} \tag{18}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= E(X^2) - \mu_X^2 + E(Y^2) - \mu_Y^2 \\
 &\quad + 2(E(XY) - \mu_X\mu_Y)
 \end{aligned} \tag{19}$$

$$= \text{Var}(X) + \text{Var}(Y) + 2(E(XY) - \mu_X\mu_Y)$$

$\Rightarrow$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Var}(Z) &= \text{Var}(X) + \text{Var}(Y) + \\
 &\quad 2(E(XY) - \mu_X\mu_Y)
 \end{aligned} \tag{20}$$

So If  $E(XY) = \mu_X \mu_Y$  (21)

(mean of product = product of means)

Then

$$\text{Var}(X+Y) = \text{Var}(X) + \text{Var}(Y). \quad (22)$$

Unfortunately This is not  
necessary so !! -

Def Covariance of  $X, Y$ .

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

(23)



## Properties of Cov(.,.)

$$(1) \text{Cov}(X, Y) = E(XY) - \mu_X \mu_Y$$

$$(2) \text{Cov}(X, Y) = \text{Cov}(Y, X)$$

$$(3) \text{Cov is } \underline{\text{Bilinear}}$$

$$\text{Cov}(aX + bY, Z) = a \text{Cov}(X, Z) + b \text{Cov}(Y, Z)$$

$$\text{Cov}(X, aY + bZ) = a \text{Cov}(X, Y) + b \text{Cov}(X, Z)$$

$$(4) \text{Cov}(X, X) = \text{Var}(X)$$

$$(5) \text{Var}(X + Y) = \text{Var}(X) + \text{Var}(Y) + 2 \text{Cov}(X, Y)$$

$$(6) \text{Cov}(X + a, Y) = \text{Cov}(X, Y)$$

Defn Covariance Matrix -

Given  $\vec{X} = [X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n]$

define  $\Sigma \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$

$$\Sigma_{ij} = \text{Cov}(X_i, X_j) \quad (25)$$

Note  $\Sigma_{ii} = \text{Var}(X_i)$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \sigma_1^2 & & & \\ & \sigma_2^2 & & \\ & & * & \\ & * & & \\ & & & \sigma_n^2 \end{bmatrix} \quad (26)$$

## Properties of $\Sigma$

(1)  $\Sigma = \Sigma^T$  (symmetric)

(2)  $\Sigma > 0$  (positive semidefinite)

$$(\vec{a}^T \Sigma \vec{a} \geq 0 \text{ if } \vec{a} \neq \vec{0})$$

(3) Given  $[a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n]^T = \vec{a} \in \mathbb{R}^n$

(\*)  $\text{Var}(\sum_{i=1}^n a_i X_i) = \vec{a}^T \Sigma \vec{a}$  (27)

In particular if  $\vec{a} = [1, 1, \dots, 1]^T$

(\*)  $\text{Var}(X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_n) = \sum_i \sum_j \Sigma_{ij}$  (28)

$$= \sum_i \text{Var}(X_i) + 2 \sum_{i < j} \text{Cov}(X_i, X_j)$$

(4)

Note for  $n = 2$

$$\Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_x^2 & \text{Cov}(X, Y) \\ \text{Cov}(X, Y) & \sigma_y^2 \end{bmatrix} \quad (29)$$

Interpretation of Covariance

$$\text{Cov}(X, Y) \begin{cases} > 0 \\ < 0 \end{cases} \quad \text{if } X \text{ and } Y$$

tend to be on  $\begin{cases} \text{Same} \\ \text{Opposite} \end{cases}$  side

of their means with high probability

Application Hedge Funds like  
Stocks with negative

Covariances

Proof of Property 1 of Cov.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Cov}(X, Y) &= E[(X - \mu_X)(Y - \mu_Y)] \quad (30) \\
 &= E[XY - \mu_X Y - \mu_Y X + \mu_X \mu_Y] \quad (31) \\
 &= E[XY] - \mu_X E[Y] - \mu_Y E[X] + \mu_X \mu_Y \quad (32) \\
 &= E[XY] - \mu_X \mu_Y - \mu_Y \mu_X + \mu_X \mu_Y \quad (33) \\
 &= E[XY] - \mu_X \mu_Y. \quad (34)
 \end{aligned}$$

Back to  $\text{Var}(X+Y)$  -

$$\text{so } \text{Var}(X+Y) = \text{Var}(X) + \text{Var}(Y) + 2\text{Cov}(X, Y) \quad (35)$$

Note - if  $\text{Cov}(X, Y) \begin{cases} > \\ < \end{cases} 0$

$\begin{cases} \text{more} \\ \text{less} \end{cases}$  Variation Than sum of

Variances! -

why? if  $\text{Cov}(X, Y) < 0$  when  
 "one pos other neg" - tends to  
 cancel out variation!

What about if  $\text{Cov}(X, Y) = 0$

(26)

$$(*) \Rightarrow \text{Var}(X+Y) = \text{Var}(X) + \text{Var}(Y)$$

Note In this case

$$\sigma_{X+Y} \neq \sigma_X + \sigma_Y \quad (27)$$

but rather

$$\sigma_{X+Y} = \sqrt{\sigma_X^2 + \sigma_Y^2} \quad (28)$$

$$=$$

Defn We say two DRVs are  
Independent if for any  
 two subsets  $A, B \subseteq \mathbb{R}$

$$P(\Sigma \in A, \Sigma \in B) = P(\Sigma \in A) P(\Sigma \in B)$$

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Note If  $\Sigma, \Sigma$  independent  
 Then

$$P_{\Sigma, \Sigma}(x, y) = P(\Sigma = x, \Sigma = y)$$

$$= P(\Sigma = x) P(\Sigma = y)$$

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$$= P_{\Sigma}(x) P_{\Sigma}(y).$$



i.e. joint pmf = product of  
marginal pmf's.

This idea generalises to  
 $n$  random variables ( $n > 2$ )  
in obvious way.

Example Roll red and green fair  
dice -  $R$  = dots on top of red  
die  $G$  = dots on top of green  
die. —

Then  $R, G$  independent

$$P_{R,G}(i,j) = P(R=i, G=j) = \frac{1}{36} = \frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{1}{6} \quad (41)$$

$$= P(R=i)P(G=j) = P_R(i)P_G(j) \quad (42)$$

But if  $X = R + G, Y = RG.$

Then

$$P_{X,Y}(3,2) = P(R+G=3, RG=2) \quad (43)$$

$$= P(\{R=2, G=1\} \cup \{R=1, G=2\}) \quad (44)$$

$$= P(\{R=2, G=1\}) + P(\{R=1, G=2\}) \quad (45)$$

$$= \frac{1}{36} + \frac{1}{36} = \frac{1}{18} \quad (46)$$

$$\neq \left(\frac{1}{18}\right)^2 = P(R+G=3)P(RG=2) \quad (47)$$

$$= P_X(3)P_Y(2) \Rightarrow \text{dependent} \quad (48)$$

Theorem If  $X, Y$  independent.

Then  $E(XY) = E(X)E(Y) = \mu_X \mu_Y$

and (1)  $Cov(X, Y) = 0$

(2)  $Var(X+Y) = Var(X) + Var(Y)$

In general - if  $X_i, X_j$  ind.  $i \neq j$

(3)  $Var(\sum_{i=1}^n X_i) = \sum_{i=1}^n Var(X_i)$

Pf

$$E(XY) = \sum_x \sum_y xy P_{X,Y}(x,y)$$

$$\stackrel{\text{ind.}}{=} \sum_x \sum_y xy P_X(x) P_Y(y)$$

$$= \sum_x x P_X(x) \sum_y y P_Y(y)$$

$$= E(X)E(Y) = \mu_X \mu_Y.$$

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Question: We know  $X, Y$  ind.

$$\Rightarrow E(XY) = E(X)E(Y). \quad (52)$$

Is it true that  $E(XY) = E(X)E(Y)$

$\Rightarrow X, Y$  independent?

Answer No! in general

Example  $X = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \quad Y = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad (53)$

(\*)  $Y = |X| = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad (54)$

(\*)  $XY = X|X| = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \quad (55)$

$$\Rightarrow E(X) = 0 \quad E(Y) = \frac{2}{3} \quad (56)$$

$$E(XY) = 0 \quad (57)$$

$$\Rightarrow E(XY) = E(X)E(Y) \quad (58)$$

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$$P_{X,Y}(1,1) = P(X=1, Y=1) \quad (59)$$

$$= P(X=1, |Y|=1) \quad (60)$$

$$= P(X=1) = \frac{1}{3} \quad (61)$$

$$P_X(1)P_Y(1) = P(X=1)P(Y=1) \quad (62)$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{2}{3} = \frac{2}{9} \quad (63)$$

$$\Rightarrow P_{X,Y}(1,1) \neq P_X(1)P_Y(1) \quad (64)$$

$\Rightarrow$  dependent.

Defn Correlation Coefficient  
of  $X, Y$

$$\rho_{X,Y} = \frac{\text{Cov}(X, Y)}{\sigma_X \sigma_Y} \quad (65)$$

Properties of Correlation Coeff.

- ~~(1)~~ (1)  $X, Y$  independent  $\Rightarrow \rho_{X,Y} = 0$
- (2)  $\rho_{X,Y} = 0 \Rightarrow X, Y$  uncorrelated  
(but not necessarily independent)
- (3)  $-1 \leq \rho_{X,Y} \leq 1$

Pf of (2)

Let  $\alpha$  be a scalar

$$0 \leq \text{Var}(X + \alpha Y) \quad (66)$$

$$= \text{Var}(X) + \alpha^2 \text{Var}(Y) \quad (67)$$

$$+ 2\alpha \text{Cov}(X, Y) \quad (68)$$

$$= p(\alpha) - \text{quadratic!} \quad (69)$$

$$(*) \Rightarrow b^2 - 4ac \leq 0 \quad (70)$$

$$4 \text{Cov}(X, Y)^2 - 4 \text{Var}(Y) \text{Var}(X) \leq 0 \quad (71)$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Cov}(X, Y)^2 \leq \text{Var}(X) \text{Var}(Y) \quad (72)$$

$$\Rightarrow |\text{Cov}(X, Y)| \leq \sigma_X \sigma_Y \quad (73)$$

Note if  $Y = aX + b$

$$\text{Cov}(X, Y) = \text{Cov}(X, aX + b) \quad (74)$$

$$= \text{Cov}(X, aX) + \text{Cov}(X, b) \quad (75)$$

$$= a \text{Cov}(X, X) = a \sigma_X^2 \quad (76)$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho(X, Y) = \frac{\text{Cov}(X, Y)}{\sigma_X \sigma_Y} \quad (77)$$

$$= \frac{a \sigma_X^2}{\sigma_X |a| \sigma_X} = \frac{a}{|a|} \quad (78)$$

$$= \text{sgn}(a) = \begin{cases} 1 & a > 0 \\ -1 & a < 0 \end{cases} \quad (79)$$



$\Rightarrow$  if  $X, Y$  linearly related

$$\Rightarrow \rho_{X,Y} = \pm 1 \quad (80)$$

if  $X, Y$  unrelated -

i.e. independent -

$$\rho_{X,Y} = 0 \quad (81)$$

$\rho_{X,Y}$  measure of dependence of

$X, Y$  - in some sense

$|\rho_{X,Y}|$  largest ( $\pm 1$ ) when

$X, Y$  "very" related - in  
most dependent fashion!

Example 1  $X \sim NB(r, p)$

$$\Rightarrow X = X_1 + X_2 \dots + X_r \quad (82)$$

$$X_i \stackrel{iid}{\sim} G(p) \quad (83)$$

iid - independent identically  
distributed.

$$\Rightarrow E[X] = E\left[\sum_{i=1}^r X_i\right] \quad (84)$$

$$(*) \quad = \sum_{i=1}^r E[X_i] = \sum_{i=1}^r \frac{1}{p} = \frac{r}{p} \quad (85)$$

$$Var(X) = Var\left(\sum_{i=1}^r X_i\right) \quad (86)$$

$$(*) \quad = \sum_{i=1}^r Var(X_i) = \sum_{i=1}^r \frac{(1-p)}{p^2} = \frac{r(1-p)}{p^2} \quad (87)$$

$$\sigma_{\Sigma} = \sqrt{\text{Var}(\Sigma)}$$

(88)

$$= \sqrt{r(1-p)}$$

(89)

Example 2a See pages 27a 27b

Example 2b  $\Sigma \sim H(N, n, m)$

Method 1 Number distinguished objects (d.o.s)  $1, 2, 3, \dots, m$  so you can tell them apart.

Indicator Random Variables

For  $i = 1, 2, \dots, m$ , Let

$$I_i = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{ith d.o. in sample} \\ 0 & \text{if not} \end{cases}$$

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Example 2a

$$X \sim B(n, p)$$

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Define  $I_i = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{Success on } i\text{th trial} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$  (91)

$i = 1, 2, \dots, n$

(\*) Then 1.  $I_i \sim B(1, p)$   $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$

(\*) 2.  $I_i \sim B(1, p)$  i.i.d.

(\*) 3.  $X = \sum_{i=1}^n I_i$  (92)

(\*) 4.  $E(X) = E\left[\sum_{i=1}^n I_i\right]$  (93)

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n E(I_i)$$

(94)

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n p = np. \quad (95)$$

(\*) 5.  $Var(X) = Var\left(\sum_{i=1}^n I_i\right) = \sum_{i=1}^n Var(I_i)$  (96)

$$* = \sum_{i=1}^n p(1-p)$$

(97)

$$* = np(1-p).$$

(98)

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(\*) Then 
$$\bar{X} = \sum_{i=1}^m I_i \quad (100)$$

$$\Rightarrow E(\bar{X}) = E\left[\sum_{i=1}^m I_i\right] \quad (101)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^m E(I_i). \quad (102)$$

Now

$$E(I_i) = 1 \cdot P(i\text{th d.o. in sample})$$

$$+ 0 \cdot P(i\text{th d.o. not in sample}) \quad (103)$$

$$= P(i\text{th d.o. in sample}) \quad (104)$$

$$= \frac{\binom{N-1}{n-1}}{\binom{N}{n}} \quad \leftarrow \begin{array}{l} \text{put } i\text{-th one in sample} \\ \text{Then choose the rest} \end{array} \quad (105)$$

$$= \frac{(N-1)!}{\frac{(n-1)!(N-1-(n-1))!}{n!}} = \frac{n}{N} \quad (106)$$

$$\Rightarrow E(\bar{X}) = \sum_{i=1}^m E(I_i) \quad (106)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^m \frac{n}{N} = \frac{mn}{N} \quad (107)$$

What about Variance? -

$$\text{Var}(\bar{X}) = \text{Var}\left(\sum_{i=1}^m I_i\right) \quad (108)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^m \text{Var}(I_i) + 2 \sum_{i < j} \text{Cov}(I_i, I_j) \quad (109)$$

$$\text{Var}(I_i) = E(I_i^2) - \left(\frac{n}{N}\right)^2 \quad (110)$$

\*  $E(I_i^2) = 1^2 \cdot P(i\text{-th d.o. in sample})$   
 $+ 0^2 \cdot P(i\text{-th d.o. not in sample})$   
 $= 1 \cdot \frac{n}{N} = \frac{n}{N} \quad (111)$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Var}(I_i) = \frac{n}{N} - \left(\frac{n}{N}\right)^2 \quad (112)$$

$$* \quad = \frac{n}{N} \left(1 - \frac{n}{N}\right) = \frac{n}{N} \left(\frac{N-n}{N}\right) \quad (113)$$

$$= \frac{n(N-n)}{N^2} \quad (114)$$

$$\text{Cov}(I_i, I_j) = E(I_i I_j) - E(I_i) E(I_j) \quad (115)$$

$$= E(I_i I_j) - \left(\frac{n}{N}\right)^2 \quad (116)$$

$$* \quad I_i I_j = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if the only 2 d.o. in sample} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad (117)$$

$$\Rightarrow E(I_i I_j) = P(\text{the only 2 d.o. in sample}) \quad (118)$$

$$* \quad = \frac{\binom{N-2}{n-2}}{\binom{N}{n}} \quad \leftarrow \text{put the 2 d.o. in sample, then choose the rest!} \quad (119)$$



$$\Rightarrow E(I_i I_j) = \frac{(N-2)!}{(n-2)!(N-2-(n-2))!} \cdot \frac{N!}{n!(N-n)!} \quad (120)$$

$$= \frac{n(n-1)}{N(N-1)} \quad (121)$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Cov}(I_i, I_j) = \frac{n(n-1)}{N(N-1)} - \left(\frac{n}{N}\right)^2 \quad (122)$$

$$\Rightarrow$$

$$\text{Var}(\mathbf{I}) = \sum_{i=1}^m \text{Var}(I_i) + 2 \sum_{i < j} \text{Cov}(I_i, I_j) \quad (123)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^m \frac{n(N-n)}{N^2} + 2 \sum_{i < j} \left\{ \frac{n(n-1)}{N(N-1)} - \left(\frac{n}{N}\right)^2 \right\} \quad (124)$$

$$= \frac{mn(N-n)}{N^2} + 2 \frac{m(m-1)}{2} \left( \frac{n(n-1)}{N(N-1)} - \left(\frac{n}{N}\right)^2 \right)$$

$$* = n \frac{m}{N} \left(1 - \frac{m}{N}\right) \left(\frac{N-n}{N-1}\right). \quad (126)$$

(note there are

$$* \quad 1 + 2 + 3 \dots + m-1 = \frac{m(m-1)}{2}$$

terms in  $\sum_{i < j}$

$$(127)$$

## Method 2

For  $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$  Let

$$J_i = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{i-th element in} \\ & \text{Sample is distinguished} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad (128)$$

Then if  $\mathcal{X} \sim H(N, n, m)$  (129)

$$\mathcal{X} = \sum_{i=1}^n J_i \quad (130)$$

Now find  $E(\mathcal{X})$  and  $\text{Var}(\mathcal{X})$

a) in method 1.

Example 3

Note  $X, Y$  independent,

$$f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, g: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad (131)$$

$\Rightarrow f(X), g(Y)$  independent.

$$P(f(X) \in A, g(Y) \in B)$$

$$= P(X \in f^{-1}(A), Y \in g^{-1}(B)) \quad (132)$$

$$\stackrel{\text{ind}}{=} P(X \in f^{-1}(A)) P(Y \in g^{-1}(B)) \quad (133)$$

$$= P(f(X) \in A) P(g(Y) \in B). \quad (134)$$

Claim  $X, Y$  independent -

$$\text{Then } M_{X+Y}(t) = M_X(t) M_Y(t) \quad (135)$$

pf

$$M_{X+Y}(t+1) = E[e^{t(X+Y)}] \quad (136)$$

$$= E[e^{tX+tY}] \quad (137)$$

$$= E[e^{tX} e^{tY}] \quad (138)$$

$$= E[e^{tX}] E[e^{tY}] \quad (139)$$

$$= M_X(t) M_Y(t) \quad (140)$$

If  $X_i \stackrel{i.i.d.}{\sim} X, \Rightarrow M_{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i}(t) = M_X(t)^n$  (141)

Example  $X \sim \text{Geo}(p) \Rightarrow M_X(t) = \frac{pe^t}{1-(1-p)e^t}$  (142)

$$\Rightarrow \text{if } Y \sim \text{NB}(r, p) \Rightarrow$$

$\star$   $Y = \sum_{i=1}^r X_i, X_i \stackrel{i.i.d.}{\sim} X$  (143)

$$\Rightarrow M_Y(t) = \left( \frac{pe^t}{1-(1-p)e^t} \right)^r$$
 (144)

# Distribution of a sum.

$$X \sim P_X \quad Y \sim P_Y$$

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$$P_{X+Y}(z) = P(X+Y=z)$$

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$$= \sum_x P(X=x, Y=z-x)$$

(147)

$$* = \sum_x P(Y=z-x | X=x) P(X=x)$$

(148)

Now if in addition  $X, Y$  independent

$$P_{X+Y}(z) = P(X+Y=z)$$

(149)

$$= \sum_x P_X(x) P_Y(z-x)$$

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$$= (P_X * P_Y)(z)$$

(151)

Convolution Product.

Example  $X \sim B(n, p)$   $Y \sim B(m, p)$  ind

$$Z = X + Y \Rightarrow \mathcal{R}(Z) = \{0, 1, 2, \dots, m+n\}$$

For  $k = 0, 1, 2, \dots, m+n$ :

$$P_Z(k) = \sum_{j=0}^k P_X(j) P_Y(k-j) \quad (152)$$

$$= \sum_{j=0}^k \binom{n}{j} p^j (1-p)^{n-j} \binom{m}{k-j} p^{k-j} (1-p)^{m-(k-j)} \quad (153)$$

$$= \sum_{j=0}^k \binom{n}{j} \binom{m}{k-j} p^k (1-p)^{m+n-k} \quad (154)$$

$$= p^k (1-p)^{m+n-k} \sum_{j=0}^k \binom{n}{j} \binom{m}{k-j} \quad (155)$$

$$= \binom{m+n}{k} p^k (1-p)^{m+n-k} \frac{\sum_{j=0}^k \binom{n}{j} \binom{m}{k-j}}{\binom{m+n}{k}} \quad (156)$$

Consider -

$$U \sim H(n+m, k, n) \quad (157)$$

$$* P_U(j) = \frac{\binom{n}{j} \binom{m}{k-j}}{\binom{m+n}{k}} \quad j=0,1,2,\dots,k \quad (158)$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = \sum_{j=0}^k P_U(j) = \sum_{j=0}^k \frac{\binom{n}{j} \binom{m}{k-j}}{\binom{m+n}{k}} \quad (159)$$

$\Rightarrow$

$$* P_Z(k) = \binom{m+n}{k} p^k (1-p)^{m+n-k} \quad (160)$$

$$k=0,1,2,\dots,m+n$$

$$\Rightarrow Z \sim B(m+n, p) \quad (161)$$