

# Assignment 1

## STAT463

1. Consider the bivariate random variable (S, P). Explicitly write out the joint pmf for (S, P). – 4 points

$$p_{S,P}(s,p) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{36} & \text{if } (s,p) = (2,1), (4,4), (6,9), (8,16), (10,25), (12,36) \\ \frac{1}{18} & (x,y) \in x_{SP} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

Where

$$X_{SP} = \{(3,2), (4,3), (5,4), (6,5), (7,6), (5,6), (6,8), (7,10), (8,12), (7,12), (8,15), (9,18), (9,20), (10,24), (11,30)\}$$

2. Explicitly write out the marginal pmf of S. \*\*– 2 points

$$p_S(s) = \Pr(S = s) = \Pr(\{o; S(o) = s\})$$

$$p_S(s) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{36} & \text{if } n = 2, 12 \\ \frac{2}{36} & \text{if } n = 3, 11 \\ \frac{3}{36} & \text{if } n = 4, 10 \\ \frac{4}{36} & \text{if } n = 5, 9 \\ \frac{5}{36} & \text{if } n = 8 \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

3. Explicitly write out the marginal pmf of P. – 2 points

$$p_P(p) = \Pr(P = p)$$

$$p_P(p) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{36} & \text{if } n = 1, 9, 16, 25, 36 \\ \frac{1}{18} & \text{if } n = 2, 3, 5, 8, 10, 15, 18, 20, 24 \\ \frac{1}{12} & \text{if } n = 4 \\ \frac{1}{9} & \text{if } n = 6, 12 \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

4. Calculate  $E[S]$ . – ½ point

$$\begin{aligned}
 E[S] &= 2 \times \frac{1}{36} + 3 \times \frac{1}{18} + 4 \times \frac{1}{12} + 5 \times \frac{1}{9} \\
 &\quad + 6 \times \frac{5}{36} + 7 \times \frac{1}{6} + 8 \times \frac{5}{36} + 9 \times \frac{1}{9} \\
 &\quad + 10 \times \frac{1}{10} + 11 \times \frac{1}{18} + 12 \times \frac{1}{36} \\
 &= 7
 \end{aligned}$$

5. Calculate  $E[P]$ . – ½ point

$$\begin{aligned}
 E[P] &= \frac{6}{9} + \frac{4}{12} + \frac{1+9+16+25+36}{36} \\
 &\quad + \frac{2+3+5+8+10+15+18+20+30}{18} \\
 &= 12.25
 \end{aligned}$$

6. Calculate  $Cov[S, P]$ . – 1 point

$\bar{s} = 7$ ,  $\bar{p} = 12.25$ , and  $n = 36$

$$\begin{aligned}
 Cov[S, P] &= \frac{\sum (s_i - \bar{s})(p_i - \bar{p})}{n - 1} \\
 &= \frac{735}{36 - 1} = \frac{735}{35} \\
 &= 21
 \end{aligned}$$

7. Calculate  $Var[P]$ . – ½ point

redo #7 using  $E[P]$

We have the following equation to be solved.

$$Var[P] = E[P^2] - \mu_P^2$$

We have  $E[P^2]$  such that:

$$\begin{aligned}
 E[P^2] &= \frac{1^2 + 16^2 + 25^2}{36} + \frac{6^2 + 12^2}{9} + \frac{7^2}{6} + \frac{4^2}{12} \\
 &\quad + \frac{2^2 + 3^2 + 8^2 + 10^2 + 15^2 + 18^2 + 20^2 + 24^2 + 30^2}{18} \\
 &= \frac{3427}{18} = 190.3\bar{8}
 \end{aligned}$$

and  $\mu_P^2$  such that:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mu_P^2 &= E[P]^2 \\
 &= (12.25)^2 \\
 &= 150.0625
 \end{aligned}$$

Consequently, we can compute  $Var[P]$ .

$$Var[P] = \frac{3427}{18} - 150.0625 = 40.3263\bar{8}$$

8. Explicitly write out the conditional pmf of P given  $S = 7$  . – 1.5 points

9. Calculate  $E[P \mid S = 7]$ . – ½ point

10. Calculate  $Var[P \mid S = 7]$ . – ½ point