

## Lec 17:

2 functions of 2 rvs.

$$Z = g(X, Y)$$

$$W = h(X, Y)$$

Find joint pdf  $f_{Z,W}(u,v)$  in terms of the joint pdf  $f_{X,Y}(u,v)$ .

Ex :  $Z = X + Y$   
 $W = X - Y$

Set up joint CDF of  $Z, W$ .

Then differentiate twice.

$$F_{Z,W}(a,b) = P(Z \leq a, W \leq b)$$

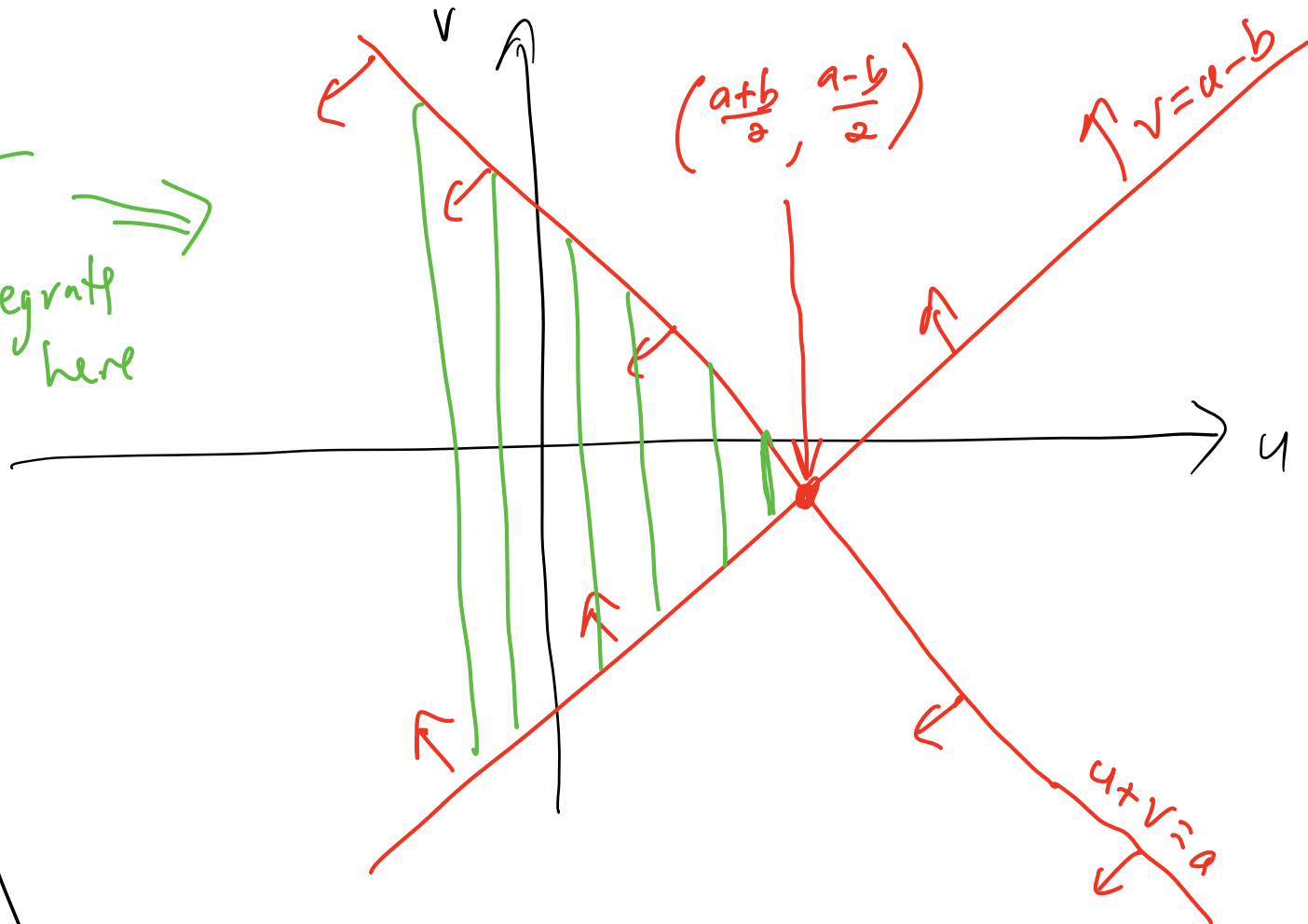
$$= P(X + Y \leq a, X - Y \leq b)$$

$$= P(Y \leq -X + a, Y \geq X - b)$$

$$= P((X, Y) \in T)$$

where  $T = \{(u, v) : v \leq -u + a, v \geq u - b\}$

$T \Rightarrow$   
integrate  
in here



$$= \int \int f_{x,y}(u,v) dv du$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\frac{a+b}{2}} \int_{u-b}^{a-u} f_{x,y}(u,v) dv du$$

want  $\frac{\partial^2 F_{z,w}(a,b)}{\partial a \partial b} = f_{z,w}(a,b)$

Intersection  
of the 2 lines:

$$u - b = a - u$$

$$2u = a + b$$

$$u = \frac{a+b}{2}$$

$$v = \frac{a-b}{2}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial a} F_{z,w}(a,b) = \frac{d}{da} ( \quad )$$

$$= \frac{d}{da} \int_{-\infty}^{\frac{a+b}{2}} \left( \int_{u-b}^{a-u} f_{x,y}(u,v) dv \right) du$$

(use Leibniz - 2nd term is zero)

$$= \underbrace{\left( \int_{\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right)-b}^{a - \left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right)} f_{X,Y}\left(\frac{a+b}{2}, v\right) dv \right)}_{\text{1st term of Leibniz}} \cdot \underbrace{\frac{\partial}{\partial a} \left( \frac{a+b}{2} \right)}_{1/2}$$

$$+ \underbrace{\int_{-\infty}^{\frac{a+b}{2}} \left( \frac{d}{da} \int_{a-b}^{a-u} f_{X,Y}(u,v) dv \right) du}_{\text{3rd term of Leibniz}}$$

Note: In 1st term, upper limit is

$$a - \left( \frac{a+b}{2} \right) = \frac{a-b}{2}$$

Lower limit is  $\left( \frac{a+b}{2} \right) - b = \frac{a-b}{2}$

$\therefore$  This integral is zero!

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\frac{a+b}{2}} \left( \frac{d}{da} \int_{a-b}^{a-u} f_{X,Y}(u,v) dv \right) du$$

(use Leibniz, 2nd & 3rd terms are zero)

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\frac{a+b}{2}} f_{X,Y}(u, a-u) du$$

we just computed



$\therefore$  joint density is

$$f_{Z,W}(a,b) = \frac{\partial^2 F_{Z,W}(a,b)}{\partial a \partial b} = \frac{\partial}{\partial b} \left( \frac{\partial F_{Z,W}(a,b)}{\partial a} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{d}{db} \int_{-\infty}^{\frac{a+b}{2}} f_{X,Y}(u, a-u) du \\
 &\quad (\text{use Leibniz, 2nd + 3rd terms zero}) \\
 &= f_{X,Y}\left(\frac{a+b}{2}, a - \frac{a+b}{2}\right) \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial b} \left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \\
 &= \boxed{\frac{1}{2} f_{X,Y}\left(\frac{a+b}{2}, \frac{a-b}{2}\right)}
 \end{aligned}$$

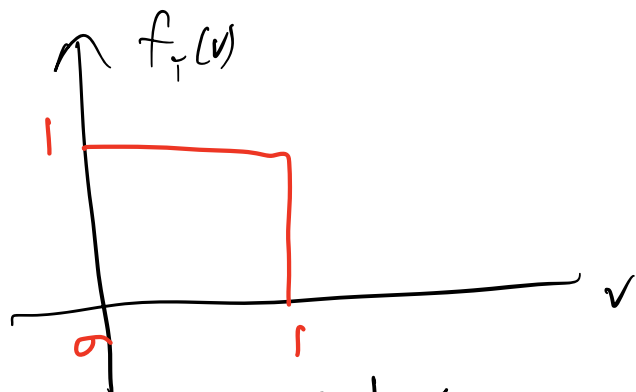
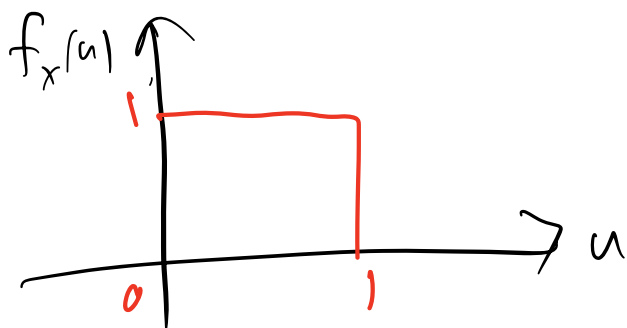
Special Case:

$X, Y$  are iid uniform on  $[0, 1]$

From above we get:

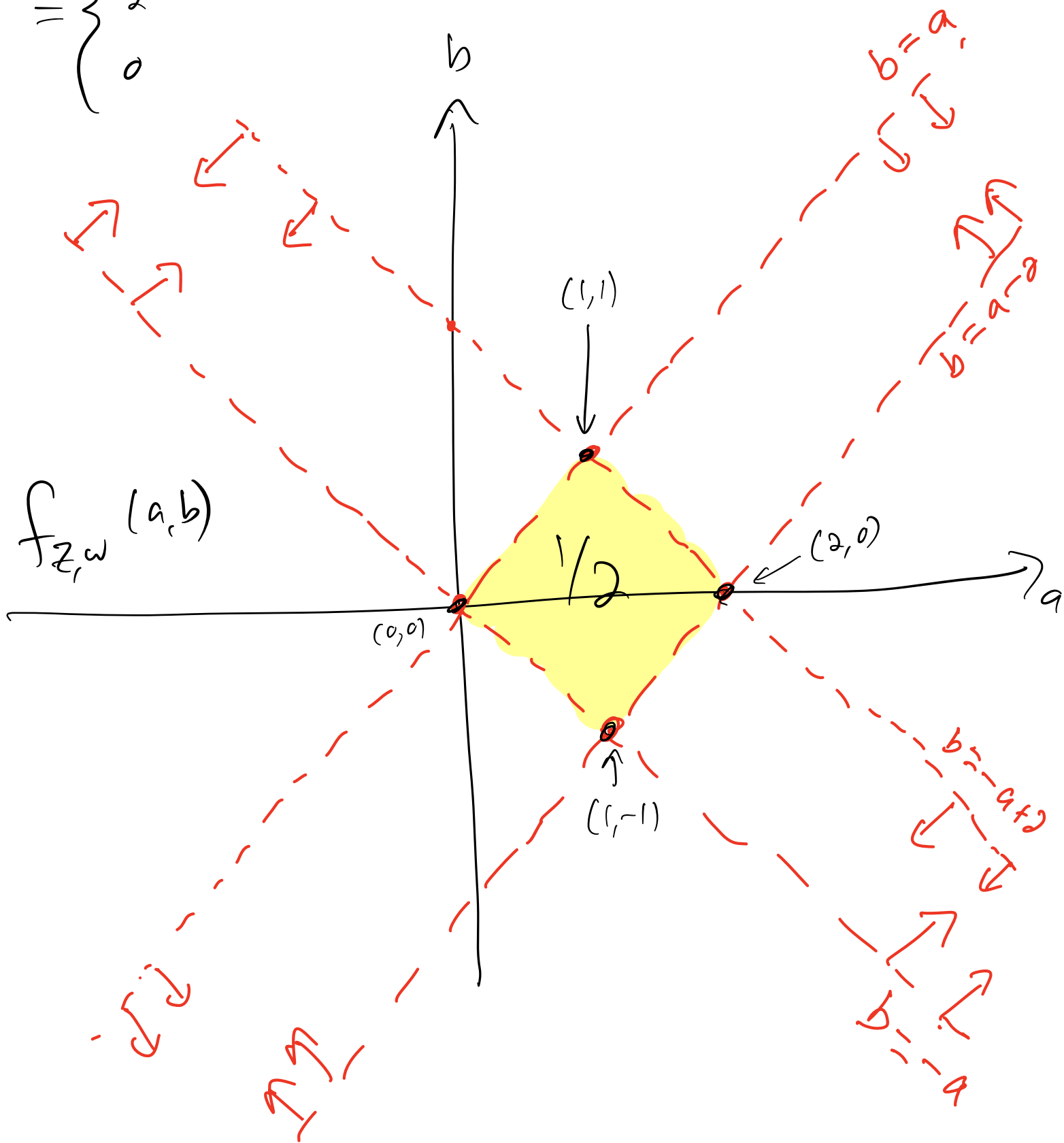
$$\begin{aligned}
 Z &= X+Y \\
 W &= X-Y
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 f_{Z,W}(a,b) &= \frac{1}{2} f_{X,Y}\left(\frac{a+b}{2}, \frac{a-b}{2}\right) \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} f_X\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \cdot f_Y\left(\frac{a-b}{2}\right)
 \end{aligned}$$



$$= \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } 0 \leq \frac{a+b}{2} \leq 1 \text{ and } 0 \leq \frac{a-b}{2} \leq 1 \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } -a \leq b \leq -a+2 \text{ and } a-2 \leq b \leq a \\ 0 & \end{cases}$$



We've seen before:

$$\text{If } Y = aX + b$$

( $a, b$  constants)

$$\text{then } E[Y] = aE[X] + b$$

$$\text{Var}(Y) = a^2 \cdot \text{Var}(X)$$

Expectation of functions of multiple r.v.s.

$$\text{Suppose } Z = g(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n)$$

$$E[Z] = E[g(X_1, \dots, X_n)]$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \dots \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(u_1, \dots, u_n) f_{X_1, \dots, X_n}(u_1, \dots, u_n) du_1 \dots du_n$$

$n$ -fold integral (continuous)

For discrete case, get a  $\Sigma$ 's.

For  $n = 2$ :

$$E[g(X, Y)] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(u, v) f_{X, Y}(u, v) du dv$$

(continuous)

or

$$\sum_v \sum_u g(u,v) p_{X,Y}(u,v)$$

(discrete.)

$E[X]$ : Expected value of a sum of r.v.s.

Take  $X, Y$  continuous.

$$E[X+Y] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} (u+v) f_{X,Y}(u,v) du dv$$

$g(X,Y)$  ↑

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int \int u f_{X,Y}(u,v) du dv + \int \int v f_{X,Y}(u,v) du dv \\ &= \int u \underbrace{\left( \int f_{X,Y}(u,v) dv \right)}_{f_X(u)} du + \int v \underbrace{\left( \int f_{X,Y}(u,v) du \right)}_{f_Y(v)} dv \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} u f_X(u) du + \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} v f_Y(v) dv \\ &= E[X] + E[Y] \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore E[X+Y] = E[X] + E[Y]$$

Always true, don't need independence.

Same result is true for discrete r.v.s.

Def: The covariance of rvs  $X, Y$  is:

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

Note:  $\text{Cov}(X, X) = E[(X - E[X])^2] = \text{Var}(X)$

Easier way to calculate covariance in some / many cases:

Let  $m_x = E[X]$        $m_y = E[Y]$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Cov}(X, Y) &= E[(X - m_x)(Y - m_y)] \\ &= E[XY] - E[m_x Y] - E[m_y X] + E[m_x m_y] \\ &= E[XY] - m_x \cdot m_y - m_y \cdot m_x + m_x m_y \\ &= E[XY] - m_x m_y\end{aligned}$$

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

Facts:  $\text{Cov}(X, Y + Z) = \text{Cov}(X, Y) + \text{Cov}(X, Z)$   
 $\text{Cov}(aX, bY) = ab \cdot \text{Cov}(X, Y)$

$$E[XY] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} u \cdot v \cdot f_{X,Y}(u, v) du dv$$

(continuous)



$$E[XY] = \sum_u \sum_v uv \cdot p_{x,y}(u,v)$$

(discrete)

Def: The correlation coefficient of  $X, Y$  is:

$$\rho_{x,y} = \frac{\text{Cov}(X, Y)}{\sigma_x \sigma_y}$$

Note:

$$\rho_{x,y} = E \left[ \underbrace{\left( \frac{X - E[X]}{\sigma_x} \right)}_{\substack{\text{mean} = 0 \\ \text{var} = 1}} \underbrace{\left( \frac{Y - E[Y]}{\sigma_y} \right)}_{\substack{\text{mean} = 0 \\ \text{var} = 1}} \right]$$

If  $\rho_{x,y} = 0$ , then we say rvs  $X, Y$  are uncorrelated.

i.e.  $\text{Cov}(X, Y) = 0$

Equivalently,  $E[XY] = E[X]E[Y]$ .

It turns out that  $-1 \leq \rho_{x,y} \leq 1$

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$$|\rho_{x,y}| \leq 1$$

always true.