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Week 8 Tutorial

• Some theorems: $E[u(X_1, X_2)] = \sum_{(x_1, x_2) \in S} u(x_1, x_2) \cdot f(x_1, x_2)$

$$P[(X, Y) \in A] = \iint_A f(x, y) dx dy, \quad \{(X, Y) \in A\} \text{ is an event (subset) defined in the plane}$$

Joint cdf of X and Y : $F(x, y) = P[X \leq x, Y \leq y]$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^x \int_{-\infty}^y f(s, t) dt ds = \int_{-\infty}^y \int_{-\infty}^x f(s, t) ds dt$$

(order doesn't matter)

Differentiate distribution-function vs change of var.

Marginal pdf: $f_X(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x, y) dy, \quad x \in S_X$

$$f_Y(y) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x, y) dx, \quad y \in S_Y$$

X and Y are independent $\Leftrightarrow f(x, y) = f_X(x) f_Y(y)$

$$\Leftrightarrow F(x, y) = F_X(x) F_Y(y), \quad \forall (x, y) \in S$$

For $\forall u(X_1, X_2)$: $E[u(X_1, X_2)] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} u(x_1, x_2) f(x_1, x_2) dx_1 dx_2$

Tutorial Questions:

① Given $f_X(x) = 4x^3, 0 < x < 1$. Find pdf of $Y = X^2$

Use the Change of Variable technique (Doesn't apply for Discrete):

Now $Y = X^2 \therefore$ support of Y : $0 < Y < 1$

$Y = u(X) = X^2$ is a continuous increasing function of X with inverse $X = \pm\sqrt{Y} = \sqrt{Y}$
($0 < X < 1$)

For Y in the support, cdf of Y is: $G(y) = \int_0^{\sqrt{y}} 4x^3 dx$

$$= [x^4]_0^{\sqrt{y}} = (\sqrt{y})^4 = y^2$$

pdf of Y : $g(y) = G'(y) = 2y$, $\boxed{0 < y < 1}$

↑ don't forget this!

② Given $X \sim U(-1, 3)$. Find pdf of $Y = X^2$

Since $X \sim U(-1, 3)$, pdf of X is $\frac{1}{3+1} = \frac{1}{4}$, $-1 \leq x \leq 3$

! classic mistake: $(c_1, c_2) : (d_1, d_2)$ is NOT 1-to-1 \therefore can't use change of var

\therefore support of Y : $0 \leq y < 9$ $\boxed{\text{NOT } 1 \leq y \leq 9}$

Support of X : $[-1, 3]$
of Y : $[0, 9)$

Use the distribution-function technique:

for each y in the support, cdf of Y is:

$$\begin{aligned} G(y) &= P(Y \leq y) = P(X^2 \leq y) = P(X \leq \sqrt{y}) \quad (Y \in [0, 9)) \\ &= F(\sqrt{y}) = \int_{-1}^{\sqrt{y}} \frac{1}{4} dx = \left[\frac{1}{4}x \right]_{-1}^{\sqrt{y}} = \frac{1}{4}\sqrt{y} + \frac{1}{4}, \quad 0 \leq y < 9 \end{aligned}$$

\therefore pdf of Y : $\frac{1}{8\sqrt{y}}$

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when $0 \leq y < 1$, $F_Y(y) = P(Y \leq y) = P(X^2 \leq y) =$
 $P(\sqrt{y} \leq X \leq \sqrt{y}) = \int_{-\sqrt{y}}^{\sqrt{y}} \frac{1}{4} dx = \frac{\sqrt{y}}{2}$

when $1 \leq y \leq 9$, $F_Y(y) = P(-1 \leq X \leq \sqrt{y}) = \int_{-1}^{\sqrt{y}} \frac{1}{4} dx = \frac{\sqrt{y} + 1}{4}$

So pdf $f_Y(y) = F'_Y(y) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{4\sqrt{y}}, & 0 \leq y < 1 \\ \frac{1}{8\sqrt{y}}, & 1 \leq y \leq 9 \end{cases}$

(3) $f(x) = \theta x^{\theta-1}$, $0 < x < 1$, $0 < \theta < \infty$

let $Y = -2\theta \ln X$. Find the distribution of Y ?

Solution:

$0 < x < 1$

$\therefore -\infty < \ln x < 0$ (range of $\ln x$)

$\therefore 0 < -2\theta \ln x < +\infty$

$\therefore Y \in (0, +\infty)$

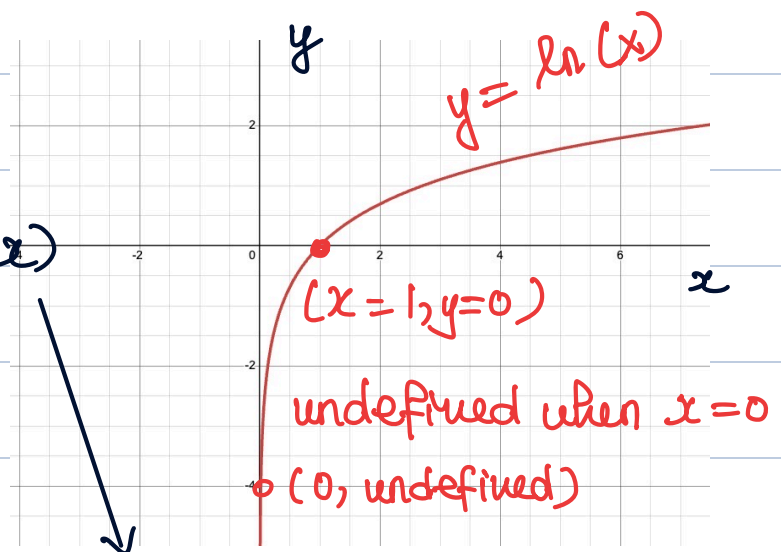
Use the distribution-function technique:

cdf of Y : $G(y) = P(Y \leq y)$

$= P(-2\theta \ln(X) \leq y) = P(\ln(X) \geq \frac{y}{-2\theta}) = P(X \leq e^{-y/2\theta})$

$= P(e^{-y/2\theta})$

$\therefore G(y) = \int_0^{e^{-y/2\theta}} \theta x^{\theta-1} dx = \left[x^\theta \right]_0^{e^{-y/2\theta}} = (e^{-y/2\theta})^\theta$



$y = \ln(x)$ [range: $y \in (-\infty, \infty)$
domain: $x \in (0, \infty)$]

$$= e^{-\frac{y}{2\theta} \cdot \theta} = e^{-y/2}$$

$$\therefore g(y) = G'(y) = -\frac{1}{2} e^{-\frac{y}{2}}$$

$$\text{So } Y \sim \exp(\theta=2)$$

✓ can also use
change of variable

④ Given joint pmf of X and Y : $f(x,y) = \frac{x+y}{32}$

$$x=1,2, y=1,2,3,4 \rightarrow \text{Discrete}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a)} \quad f_1(x) &= \sum_{y=1}^4 \frac{x+y}{32} = \frac{x+1}{32} + \frac{x+2}{32} + \frac{x+3}{32} + \frac{x+4}{32} \\ &= \frac{4x+10}{32} = \frac{2x+5}{16}, x=1,2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{(b)} \quad f_2(y) = \sum_{x=1}^2 \frac{x+y}{32} = \frac{1+y}{32} + \frac{2+y}{32} = \frac{3+2y}{32}, y=1,2,3,4$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(c)} \quad P(X > Y) &= P(X > Y, Y=y) \\ &= \sum_{x=1}^2 \sum_{y=1}^1 \frac{x+y}{32} = \sum_{x=1}^2 \frac{x+1}{32} = \frac{2}{32} + \frac{3}{32} = \frac{5}{32} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{(d)} \quad P(Y=2X) = \sum_{x=1,2} \sum_{y=2,4} \frac{x+y}{32} = \sum_{x=1,2} \frac{2x+6}{32} = \frac{8}{32} + \frac{10}{32}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(e)} \quad P(X+Y=3) &= \sum_{x=1,2} \sum_{y=2,1} \frac{x+y}{32} = \sum_{x=1,2} \frac{2x+8}{32} = \frac{18}{32} = \frac{9}{16} \\ &= \frac{2+3}{32} + \frac{4+3}{32} = \frac{12}{32} = \frac{6}{16} \end{aligned}$$

$$(b) P(X \leq 3-Y) = \sum_{x=1,1} \sum_{y=1,2} \frac{x+y}{32} = \sum_{x=1,1} \frac{2x+3}{32} = \frac{10}{32} = \frac{5}{16}$$

$$(c) P(X > Y) = P(\{X=2, Y=1\}) = \frac{2+1}{32} = \frac{3}{32}$$

$$(d) P(Y=2X) = P(\{X=1, Y=2\} \cup \{X=2, Y=4\}) = \frac{1+2}{32} + \frac{2+4}{32} = \frac{3}{32} + \frac{6}{32} = \frac{9}{32}$$

$$(e) P(X+Y=3) = P(\{X=1, Y=2\} \cup \{X=2, Y=1\}) = \frac{1+2}{32} + \frac{2+1}{32} = \frac{6}{32}$$

$$(f) P(X \leq 3-Y) = P(\{X=1, Y=1\} \cup \{X=1, Y=2\} \cup \{X=2, Y=1\}) = \frac{1+1}{32} + \frac{1+2}{32} + \frac{2+1}{32} = \frac{8}{32}$$

$$(g) X \text{ and } Y \text{ are independent} \Leftrightarrow f(x,y) = f_1(x) f_2(y)$$

$$f_1(x) f_2(y) = \frac{2x+5}{32} \cdot \frac{3+2y}{32} = \frac{6x + 4x^2 + 15 + 10y}{1024}$$

$$\neq f(x,y) = \frac{x+y}{32}$$

So X and Y are NOT Independent.

$$(h) E(X) = \sum_{x=1}^2 \frac{2x+5}{16} = \sum_{x=1}^2 \frac{2x^2+5x}{16}$$

$$= \frac{2+5}{16} + \frac{8+10}{16} = \frac{25}{16}$$

$$(i) E(X+Y) = \sum_{x=1}^2 \sum_{y=1}^4 \frac{x+y}{32} (x+y)$$

(i) Find $E(X+Y)$.

$$\bullet E(X+Y) = \sum_{x=1}^2 \sum_{y=1}^4 (x+y) \frac{x+y}{32}$$

$$= \frac{(1+1)^2 + (1+2)^2 + (1+3)^2 + (1+4)^2 + (2+1)^2 + (2+2)^2 + (2+3)^2 + (2+4)^2}{32} = \frac{140}{32}$$

⑤ Joint pdf: $f(x, y) \sim U(a, b)$

Support: $2 < x < 2.5$; $2 < y < 2.3$

If x and y are within 0.1 of each other \rightarrow rebid
else the lower bidder gets the contract

$P(\text{rebid})?$ \rightarrow Just rewrite this in math!

$$P(\text{rebid}) = P(|x-y| < 0.1) = P(-0.1 < x-y < 0.1)$$

$$= P(-0.1+y < x < 0.1+y)$$

$$= \int_{-0.1+y}^{0.1+y} \int_2^{2.5}$$

isolate

Dimensions & uniform distribution:

• In one-dimension: $X \sim U(a, b)$

pdf: $f_X(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{b-a} & a \leq x \leq b \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

cdf: $P(c \leq X \leq d) = \int_c^d \frac{1}{b-a} dx = \frac{d-c}{b-a} \therefore \text{ratio of the subinterval}$

• In 2 dimension:

Joint pdf/density $f_{X,Y}(x,y)$ is constant over some planar set $R \subset \mathbb{R}^2$ and 0 outside

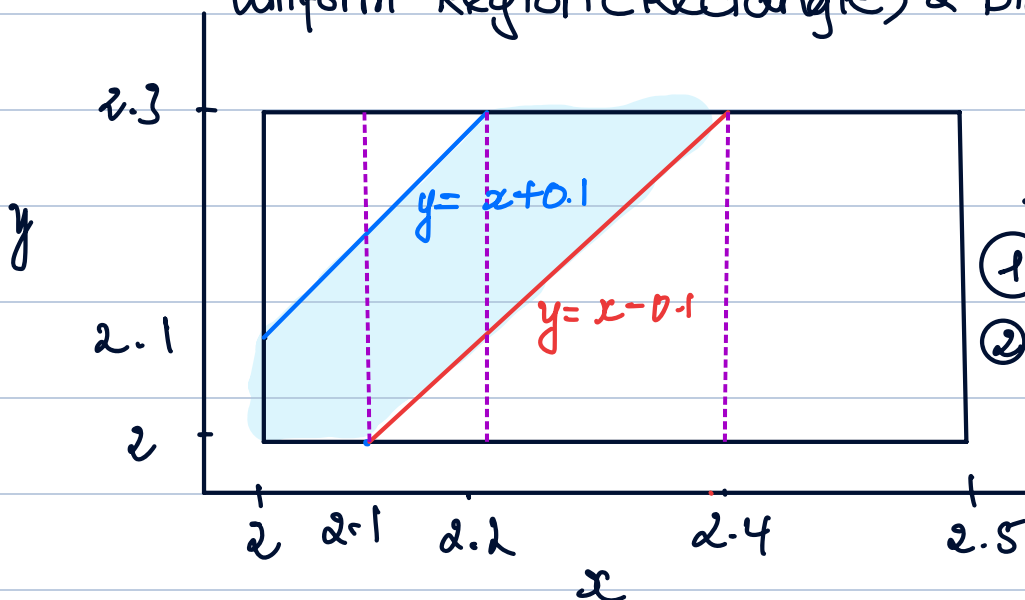
pdf: $f_{X,Y}(x,y) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\text{Area}(R)} = \frac{1}{(b-a)(d-c)} & a \leq x \leq b, c \leq y \leq d \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

length (d-c) to total length (b-a)

⑤ $2 < x < 2.5; 2 < y < 2.3 \therefore f_{X,Y}(x,y) = \frac{1}{0.5 \times 0.3} = \frac{1}{0.15}$

$P(|X-Y| < 0.1) = P(-0.1 < X-Y < 0.1) = P(-0.1+Y < X < 0.1+Y)$

Uniform Region (Rectangle) & Diagonal band $|x-y| < 0.1$



\therefore split into 3 x-ranges:

① $x \in (2, 2.1), y \in (2, x+0.1)$

② $x \in [2.1, 2.2], y \in (x-0.1, x+0.1)$
 $y \in (x-0.1, 2+0.1)$

③ $x \in (2.2, 2.4), y \in (x-0.1, 2.3)$ ✓

$\therefore P(\text{rebid}) = \text{Area of the shaded region}$

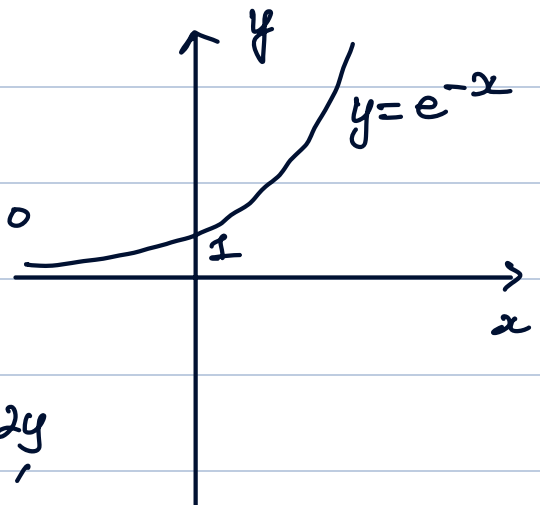
$$= \int_{2.0}^{2.1} \int_{2.0}^{x+0.1} \frac{1}{0.15} dy dx + \int_{2.1}^{2.2} \int_{x-0.1}^{x+0.1} \frac{1}{0.15} dy dx \\ + \int_{2.2}^{2.4} \int_{x-0.1}^{2.3} \frac{1}{0.15} dy dx = \dots = \frac{11}{30}$$

The probability that they will be asked to rebid is $\frac{11}{30}$

⑥ $f(x,y) = 2e^{-x-y}, 0 \leq x < y < \infty$

(a) $f_1(x) = \int_x^{\infty} 2e^{-x-y} dy = \int_x^{\infty} 2e^{-x} e^{-y} dy = \left[-2e^{-x} e^{-y} \right]_x^{\infty}$

$= 2e^{-x} e^{-x} = 2e^{-2x}, \boxed{0 \leq x < \infty}$



(b) $f_2(y) = \int_0^y 2e^{-x-y} dx = \int_0^y 2e^{-x} e^{-y} dx < \infty$

$= \left[-2e^{-y} e^{-x} \right]_0^y = -2e^{-y} e^{-y} = -2e^{-2y}$

$\boxed{0 \leq y < \infty}$

(c) $E(X) = \int_0^{\infty} x f_1(x) dx = \int_0^{\infty} x 2e^{-2x} dx = 2 \int_0^{\infty} x e^{-2x} dx$

Integrate by parts: $u = x \therefore \frac{du}{dx} = 1$

$\frac{dv}{dx} = e^{-2x} \therefore v = \frac{e^{-2x}}{-2}$

I - log
I - inverse
A - algebraic
T - trig
E - exp

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int_0^{\infty} x e^{-2x} dx &= \left. \frac{x e^{-2x}}{-2} \right|_0^{\infty} - \int_0^{\infty} \frac{e^{-2x}}{-2} 1 dx = -\frac{x e^{-2x}}{2} \Big|_0^{\infty} + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-2x} dx \quad \xrightarrow{u=x(A)} \\
 &= -\frac{x e^{-2x}}{2} \Big|_0^{\infty} + \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{e^{-2x}}{-2} \right]_0^{\infty} = -\frac{x e^{-2x}}{2} \Big|_0^{\infty} + \frac{1}{2} \left(-\frac{1}{2} \right) \\
 &= -\frac{x e^{-2x}}{2} \Big|_0^{\infty} - \frac{1}{4} = 0 - \frac{1}{4} = -\frac{1}{4}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore E(X) = -\frac{1}{4} \times 2 = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$E(X) \neq \frac{1}{2}$$