

MV RV:

If X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n are RVs then

$$\xrightarrow{\text{RV}} \underline{X} = \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \\ \vdots \\ X_n \end{bmatrix} = (X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n)^T$$

is called a multivariate random variable
or a random vector.

Defn: PMF/PDF

If X_i 's are discrete then the joint pmf

$$\underset{x \in \mathbb{R}^n}{f(\underline{X})} = f(X_1, X_2, X_3, \dots, X_n) \\ = P(X_1=x_1, X_2=x_2, \dots, X_n=x_n)$$

Note: $f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$.

Cts case: if X_i 's are continuous. Then
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$$f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

so that $A \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ then

$$P(\underline{X} \in A) = P((X_1, X_2, X_3, \dots, X_n)^T \in A)$$

$$= \int_A f(\underline{x}) d\underline{x}$$

$$= \underbrace{\iiint \cdots \int}_{n\text{-times}} f(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) dx_1 dx_2 \dots dx_n$$

Expectation:

If $g: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ then

$$\mathbb{E}[g(\underline{X})] = \begin{cases} \sum_{x_1} \sum_{x_2} \cdots \sum_{x_n} g(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) f(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) & (\text{discrete}) \\ \cdots \int g(x_1, \dots, x_n) f(x_1, \dots, x_n) dx_1 \dots dx_n & (\text{cts}) \end{cases}$$

Theorem: Marginal Distributions

The marginal dist. of X_i is

$$f_{X_i}(x_i) = \begin{cases} \sum_{X_1} \sum_{X_2} \dots \sum_{X_{i-1}} \sum_{X_{i+1}} \dots \sum_{X_n} f(x_1, \dots, x_n) & (\text{discrete}) \\ \int \dots \int f(x_1, \dots, x_n) dx_1 \dots dx_{i-1} dx_{i+1} \dots dx_n & (\text{cts}) \end{cases}$$

Conditional Distributions

If I have two sequences of RVs

$$(X_{i1}, X_{i2}, \dots, X_{im})$$

and

$$(X_{j1}, X_{j2}, \dots, X_{jk})$$

then the conditional pmf/pdf of $\underline{X_{i1}, \dots, X_{im}}$ given

X_{j1}, \dots, X_{jk} is

$$f(X_{i1}, \dots, X_{im} | X_{j1}, \dots, X_{jk}) = \frac{f(X_{i1}, \dots, X_{im}, X_{j1}, \dots, X_{jk})}{f(X_{j1}, \dots, X_{jk})}$$

Ex. Let X_1, X_2, X_3, X_4 have a joint PDF of

$$\underline{f(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) = \frac{3}{4}(x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 + x_4^2)}$$

for $0 < x_i < 1$.

Check:

$$\int \cdots \int f(x_1, \dots, x_4) dx_1 \cdots dx_4 = 1$$

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(a)

$$P(X_1 < \frac{1}{2}, X_2 < \frac{3}{4}, X_4 > \frac{1}{2})$$

$$= \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{\frac{1}{2}} \int_0^1 \int_0^{\frac{3}{4}} \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{3}{4}(x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 + x_4^2) dx_1 dx_2 dx_3 dx_4$$

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$$= \text{Calc 3} = \frac{3}{256}.$$

(b) Joint pdf of X_1 and X_2 ?

$$f(x_1, x_2) = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 \frac{3}{4}(x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 + x_4^2) dx_3 dx_4$$

$$= \text{Calc 3} \left[\frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{4}(x_1^2 + x_2^2) \right]$$

$$(c) E[X_1 X_2] = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 \int_0^1 \int_0^1 x_1 x_2 \frac{3}{4}(x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 + x_4^2) dx_1 dx_2 dx_3 dx_4$$

$$- \int_0^1 \int_0^1 x_1 x_2 (1 + 3(x_1^2 + x_2^2)) dx_1 dx_2$$

$$= \iint_0^1 x_1 x_2 \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{4}(x_1^2 + x_2^2) \right) dx_1 dx_2$$

$$= \text{Calc 3} = \frac{5}{16}$$

(d) Conditional Dists

What is the conditional dist. of X_3 and X_4 given X_1 and X_2 .

$$f(x_3, x_4 | x_1, x_2) = \frac{f(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4)}{f(x_1, x_2)}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{3}{4}(x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 + x_4^2)}{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{4}(x_1^2 + x_2^2)}$$

Mutual Independence

We say X_1, \dots, X_n are mutually independent if for any sets $A_1, A_2, A_3, \dots, A_n \subset \mathbb{R}$

$$P(X_1 \in A_1, X_2 \in A_2, \dots, X_n \in A_n)$$

$$= P(X_1 \in A_1) P(X_2 \in A_2) \cdots P(X_n \in A_n).$$

Theorem: Independence

X_1, \dots, X_n are mutually independent iff

Ⓐ $f(x_1, \dots, x_n) = f_{X_1}(x_1) f_{X_2}(x_2) \cdots f_{X_n}(x_n)$
pmf/pdf

or

Ⓑ $F(x_1, \dots, x_n) = F_{X_1}(x_1) \cdots F_{X_n}(x_n)$.
CDF

Theorem: If X_i are independent and

$$g_i : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

then

① $\{g_i(X_i)\}$ are independent

② $E[\underbrace{g_1(X_1) g_2(X_2) \cdots g_n(X_n)}]$

$$= E[g_1(X_1)] \cdots E[g_n(X_n)].$$

Corollary: MGF of Sums of Independent RVs

Let X_i be mutually independent and

$$Z = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i,$$

then

$$M_Z(t) = M_{X_1}(t) M_{X_2}(t) \cdots M_{X_n}(t)$$

$$= \prod_{i=1}^n M_{X_i}(t)$$

$$a_1 + a_2 + \cdots + a_n = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i$$

$$a_1 a_2 a_3 \cdots a_n = \prod_{i=1}^n a_i$$

pf.

$$\underline{M_Z(t) = E[e^{tZ}]}$$

$$= E\left[e^{t \sum_{i=1}^n X_i}\right] = E\left[\prod_{i=1}^n e^{t X_i}\right]$$

$$= \prod_{i=1}^n E[e^{t X_i}]$$

$$= \prod_{i=1}^n M_{X_i}(t)$$

$$\underline{e^{a+b} = e^a e^b}$$

Follow-on

If a_i and b_i are constants,

$$\text{and } Z = \sum_{i=1}^n (a_i + b_i X_i)$$

Univariate:

$$\begin{aligned} M_{a+bX}^{(t)} &= e^{at} M_X(bt) \end{aligned}$$

$(=)$

$$= e^{wt} M_X(bt)$$

then

$$M_Z(t) = e^{t \sum_{i=1}^n a_i} \prod_{i=1}^n M_{X_i}(b_i t)$$

Ex. $X_i \sim N(\mu_i, \sigma_i^2)$ and independent

then

$$Y = \sum_{i=1}^n (a_i + b_i X_i)$$

$$\sim N\left(\sum_{i=1}^n a_i + b_i \mu_i, \sum_{i=1}^n b_i^2 \sigma_i^2\right)$$

prove. this using prev. theorem

Multivariate Transformations

Let $\underline{X} = (X_1, \dots, X_n)^T$ and $g: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$

let

$$U = g(\underline{X})$$

i.e. $U_i = g_i(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n)$ for $i=1, \dots, n$.

\hookrightarrow i^{th} component for
 $\mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

Theorem: In the cts case if g is cts and differentiable, then

$$f_{\underline{u}}(\underline{u}) = f_{\underline{x}}(g^{-1}(\underline{u})) \left| \det J \right|$$

$$J = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial g_1^{-1}}{\partial u_1} & \frac{\partial g_1^{-1}}{\partial u_2} & \cdots & \frac{\partial g_1^{-1}}{\partial u_n} \\ \frac{\partial g_2^{-1}}{\partial u_1} & \frac{\partial g_2^{-1}}{\partial u_2} & \cdots & \cdots \end{bmatrix}_{n \times n}$$

$$J_{ij} = \frac{\partial g_i^{-1}}{\partial u_j}$$

Ex. (if $X_i \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \text{Exp}(\lambda)$)

independent
identical
distribution

$$\underline{u} = g(\underline{x})$$

$$\underline{u} = (u_1, \dots, u_n)$$

$$u_1 = x_1$$

$$\Leftrightarrow X_1 = u_1 \rightarrow \boxed{g_1^{-1}(u) = u_1}$$

$$u_2 = x_1 + x_2$$

$$\Leftrightarrow X_2 = u_2 - u_1 \rightarrow \boxed{g_2^{-1}(u) = u_2 - u_1}$$

$$u_3 = x_1 + x_2 + x_3$$

$$\Leftrightarrow X_3 = u_3 - u_2 \rightarrow \boxed{g_3^{-1}(u) = u_3 - u_2}$$

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$$u_n = x_1 + x_2 + \cdots + x_n$$

$$\boxed{g_n^{-1}(u) = u_n - u_{n-1}}$$

$$U_n = X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_n$$

$$g_n^{-1}(u) = U_n - U_{n-1}$$

$$J_{ij} = \frac{\partial g_i^{-1}}{\partial u_j}$$

$$J = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \dots & & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 & \dots \\ & & -1 & 1 & \dots \\ 0 & & -1 & \dots & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|\det J| = 1$$

det of a triangular product of diags

$$f_u(u) = f_X(g^{-1}(u))$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad f_X(x) = \prod_{i=1}^n f(x_i) = \prod_{i=1}^n \lambda e^{-\lambda x_i} = \underline{\lambda e^{-\lambda \sum_{i=1}^n x_i}}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad f_u(u) = \lambda e^{-\lambda(\sum_{i=1}^n g_i^{-1}(u))}$$

$$\lambda e^{-\lambda u_n} = g_1^{-1}(u) + g_2^{-1}(u) + \dots + g_n^{-1}(u)$$

$$\left| \begin{array}{l} f_u(u) = \lambda e^{-\lambda u} \\ 0 < u_1 < u_2 < u_3 < \dots < u_n \end{array} \right| \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} = q_1(u) + q_2(u) + \dots + q_n(u) \\ = u_1 + u_2 - u_1 + (u_3 - u_2) + (u_4 - u_3) + \dots + u_n - u_{n-1} \end{array} \right.$$

Means/Variances For MV RVs.

Univariate: $E[X] \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\text{Var}(X) = E[(X - E[X])^2] \in \mathbb{R}$$

Multivariate: $\mathbf{X} = (X_1, \dots, X_n)^T$ n-dim'l

$$\mu = E[\mathbf{X}] = \begin{bmatrix} E[X_1] \\ E[X_2] \\ \vdots \\ E[X_n] \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

Covariance matrix

$$\text{Cov}(\mathbf{X}) = \Sigma \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$$

when $\Sigma_{ij} = \text{Cov}(X_i, X_j)$.

notice $\Sigma_{ii} = \text{Cov}(X_i, X_i) = \text{Var}(X_i)$

$$\left[\begin{array}{c} \text{Var}(X_1) \text{Cov}(X_1, X_2) \dots \\ \text{Cov}(X_1, X_n) \text{Var}(X_n) \end{array} \right]$$

$$\Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} \text{Var}(X_1) & \text{Cov}(X_1, X_2) & \dots \\ \text{Cov}(X_2, X_1) & \text{Var}(X_2) & \dots \\ \vdots & \ddots & \text{Var}(X_n) \end{bmatrix}$$

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Univariate:

$$\text{Var}(X) = E[(X - E[X])(X - E[X])]$$

Multivariate:

$$\text{Cov}(X) = E[(X - E[X])(X - E[X)]^T]$$

Theorems:

If $a \in \mathbb{R}^m$ and $B \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$ and X is a n -dim'l RVector then

① $E[a + BX] = a + B E[X]$ (linearity)

② $\text{Cov}(a + BX) = B \text{Cov}(X) B^T$ (like $b^2 \text{Var}(X)$)

Multivariate Normal

$\sim \text{rv} \sim X_1, \dots, X_n$

Multivariate Normal

$$\underline{\underline{X}} = (X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n)$$

$$\underline{\underline{X}} \sim N(\mu, \Sigma) \quad \begin{matrix} \mu \in \mathbb{R}^n \\ \Sigma \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \end{matrix}$$

if

$$f(x_1, \dots, x_n) = f(\underline{\underline{x}}) = (2\pi)^{-n/2} \det(\Sigma)^{-1/2} \exp(-\frac{1}{2}(\underline{\underline{x}} - \mu)^\top \Sigma^{-1} (\underline{\underline{x}} - \mu))$$

Univariate:

$$f(x) = (2\pi)^{-1/2} (6^2)^{-1/2} \exp(-\frac{1}{2}(x - \mu)(6^2)^{-1}(x - \mu))$$

Special Case:

$$\text{When } \mu = 0 \text{ and } \Sigma = I$$

We call it the Standard MV Normal.