

## Lecture 1b

### Defn: Marginal Properties

If  $(X, Y)$  is bivariate RV then

$X$  and  $Y$  are called the marginal RVs and their corresp. props. are called marginal props.

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### Theorem: Rel. btwn Joint/Marginal CDFs

$$(1) F_X(x) = \lim_{y \rightarrow \infty} F(x, y)$$

$$(2) F_Y(y) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} F(x, y)$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \text{pf } F_X(x) &= P(X \leq x) \\ &= P(X \leq x, Y = \text{anything}) \\ &= P(X \leq x, Y < \infty) \end{aligned}$$

$$= \lim_{y \rightarrow \infty} P(X \leq x, Y \leq y)$$
$$= \lim_{y \rightarrow \infty} F(x, y)$$

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### Defn: Joint PMF

If  $X$  and  $Y$  are discrete then the joint PMF is defined as

$$f(x, y) = P(X = x, Y = y)$$

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### Theorem: Valid PMF

A fn  $f$  is a valid joint PMF iff

- ①  $f(x, y) \geq 0 \quad \forall x, y$
  - ②  $\sum_x \sum_y f(x, y) = 1.$
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## Theorem: Rel. btwn Joint/Marginal PMF

$$\textcircled{1} f_X(x) = \sum_y f(x,y)$$

$$\textcircled{2} f_Y(y) = \sum_x f(x,y)$$

pf  $A_k$  partition  $S$  then  $P(B) = \sum_k P(BA_k)$

$$\text{let } A_y = \{\omega : Y(\omega) = y\} \in S$$

Notice,  $A_y$  partition  $S$

$$\text{let } B = "X=x"$$

then

$$f_X(x) = P(X=x) = P(B)$$

$$= \sum_y P(BA_y)$$

$$= \sum_y P(X=x, Y=y)$$

Ex. Flip 3 coins,

$$X = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{last T} \\ 1 & \text{last H} \end{cases}$$

$Y = \# \text{ heads}$

	0	1	2	3	
0	$f(0,0) = \frac{1}{8}$	$f(0,1) = \frac{2}{8}$	$f(0,2) = \frac{1}{8}$	$f(0,3) = 0$	$f_X(0) = \frac{1}{2}$
1	$\frac{0}{8}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{2}{8}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$f_X(1) = \frac{1}{2}$

$f_Y(0) = \frac{1}{8}$     $f_Y(1) = \frac{3}{8}$     $f_Y(2) = \frac{3}{8}$     $f_Y(3) = \frac{1}{8}$

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Defn: Joint PDF

If  $X$  and  $Y$  are cts then we call the function

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

the joint PDF if  $\forall C \subset \mathbb{R}^2$

$$P((X,Y) \in C) = \iint_C f(x,y) dx dy$$

Facts!

$$(1) F(x, y) = \int_{-\infty}^x \int_{-\infty}^y f(u, v) du dv$$

$$(2) f(x, y) = \frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial x \partial y}$$

(3)  $f$  is a valid Joint PDF iff

(i)  $f(x, y) \geq 0 \quad \forall x, y$

(ii)  $\iint_{\mathbb{R}^2} f(x, y) dx dy = 1$

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Theorem: Rel. b/w joint/marginal PDFs

$$(1) f_x(x) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} f(x, y) dy$$

$$(2) f_y(y) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} f(x, y) dx$$

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$E_X$

$F(x,y) = \begin{cases} 0, & x < 0 \text{ or } y < 0 \\ xy, & 0 < x < 1, 0 < y < 1 \\ x, & 0 < x < 1, y > 1 \\ y, & 0 < y < 1, x > 1 \\ 1, & x > 1 \text{ and } y > 1 \end{cases}$

$F(x,y)$   
 $f(x,y)$

	0	1
0	0	0
1	0	1

	0	1
0	0	0
1	0	1

What's the joint PDF?

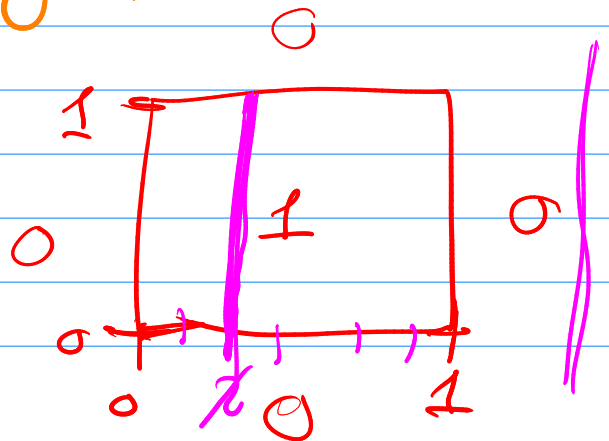
$$f(x,y) = \frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial x \partial y}$$

$$f(x,y) = 1 \text{ for } 0 < x < 1, 0 < y < 1$$

What's the marginal density of  $X$ ?

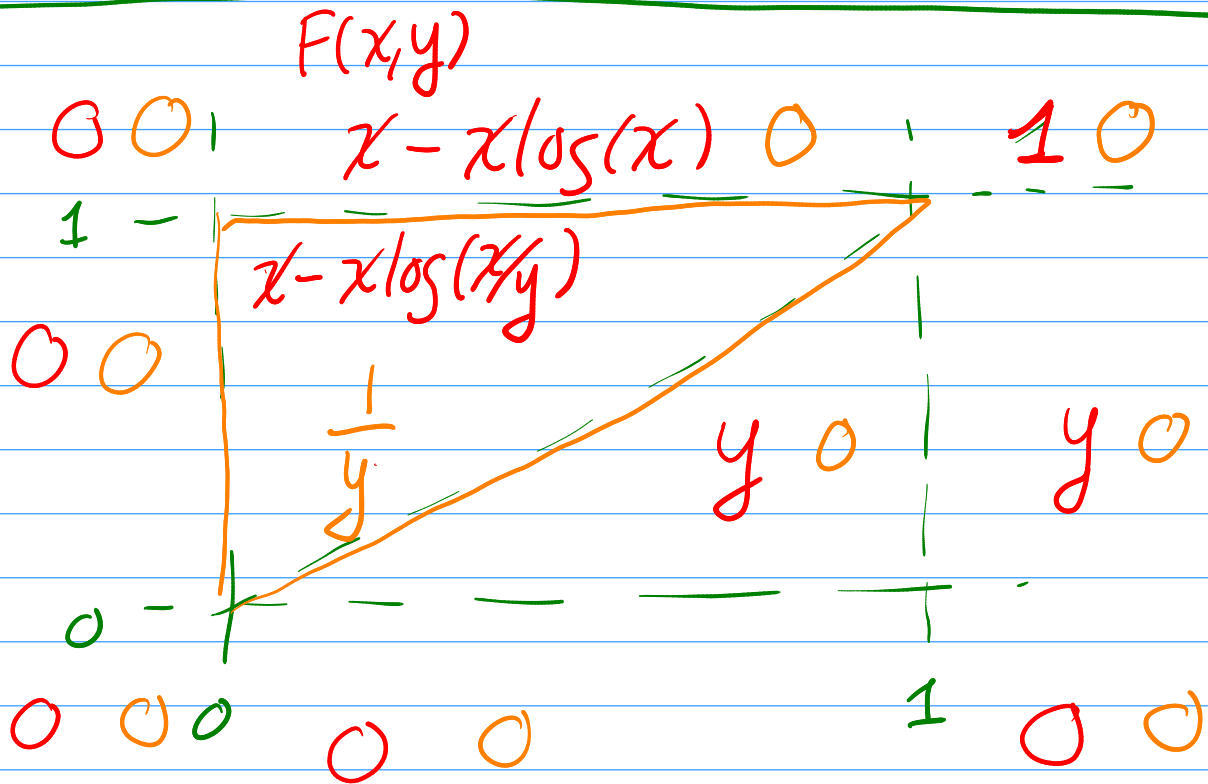
$$f_X(x) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} f(x,y) dy$$

$$= \int_0^1 1 dy$$



$$x \sim \mathcal{U}(0, 1)$$

Ex.



Q: What's the joint PDF?

$$f(x,y) = \frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial x \partial y}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} [x - x \log(x/y)]$$

$$= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left[ -x \frac{-\frac{1}{2}y^2}{x/y} \right]$$

$$= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left[ \frac{x}{y} \right] = \frac{1}{y}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} (\sigma_f(u(x))) = \frac{u'(x)}{u(x)}$$

$$f(x,y) = \frac{1}{y} \text{ for } 0 < x < y < 1$$

Q: What's marginal of  $X$ ?

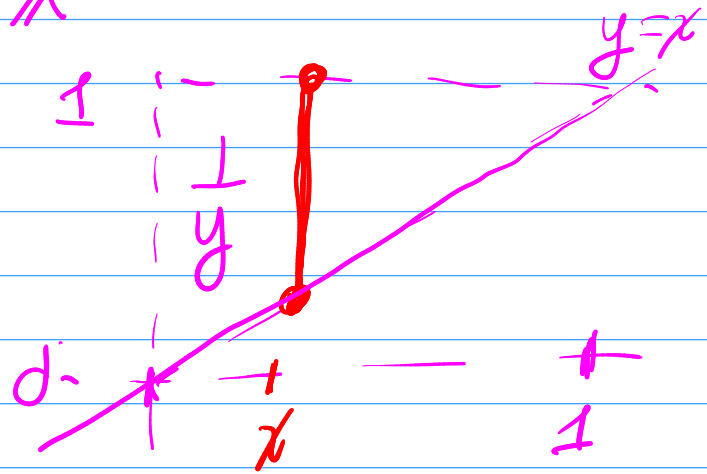
For  $0 < x < 1$

$$f_X(x) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} f(x,y) dy$$

$$= \int_x^1 \frac{1}{y} dy$$

$$= \log(y) \Big|_x^1 = 0 - \log(x)$$

$$= -\log(x) \text{ for } 0 < x < 1.$$

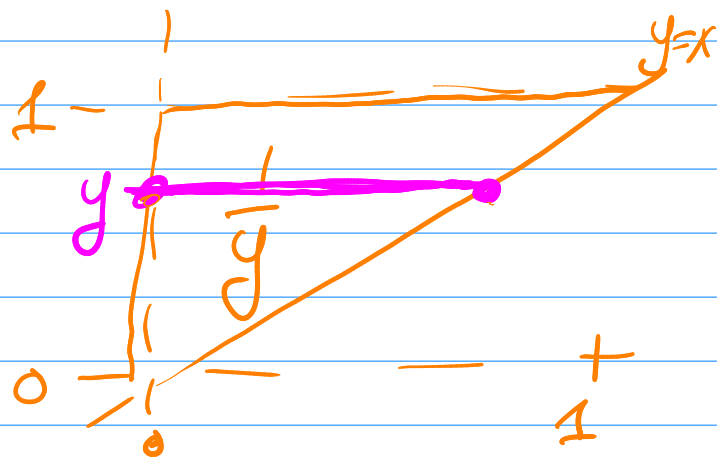


Q: What's marginal of  $Y$ ?

For  $0 < y < 1$

$$f_Y(y) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} f(x,y) dx$$

$$= \int_0^y \frac{1}{y} dx$$





$$= \frac{x}{y} \Big|_0^y = 1 - 0 = 1$$

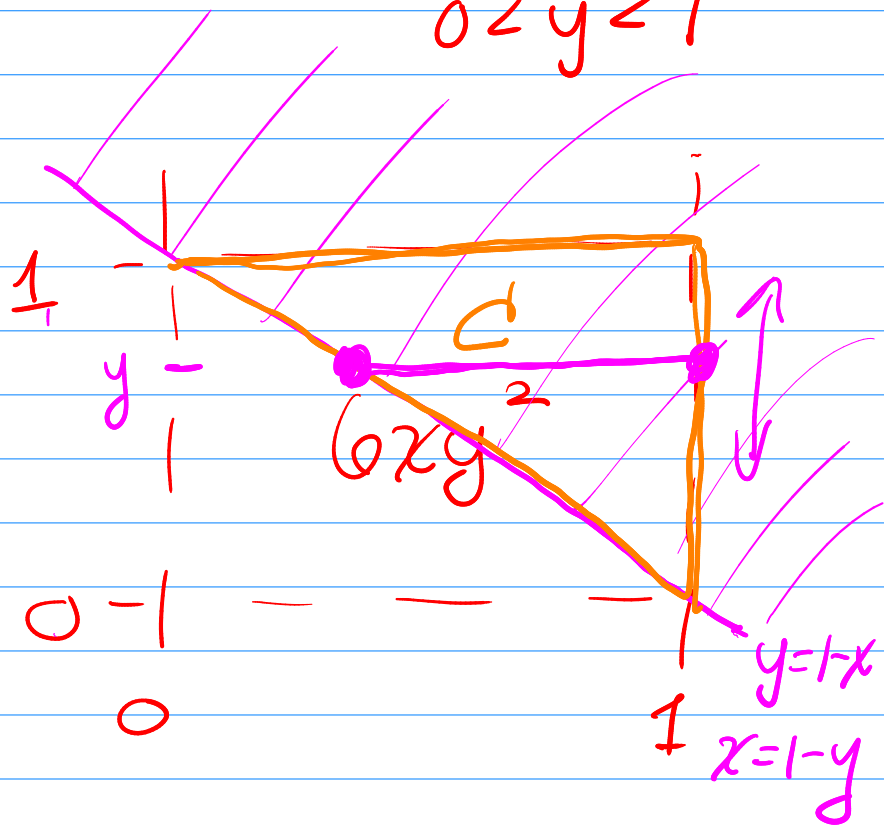
$$f_Y(y) = 1 \text{ for } 0 < y < 1.$$

Ex. let  $f(x,y) = 6xy^2$  for  $0 < x < 1$   
 $0 < y < 1$

let's find

$$P(X+Y \geq 1)$$

draw line  $x+y=1$



$$P(X+Y \geq 1)$$

$$= \iint_C f(x,y) dx dy$$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_{1-y}^1 6xy^2 dx dy = \int_0^1 6y^2 \left[ \frac{x^2}{2} \right]_{1-y}^1 dy$$

$$= \int_0^1 3y^2(1 - (1-y)^2) dy$$

$$= \dots$$
$$= 9/10$$

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