

## Recap

- $X$  &  $Y$  two r.v.

Joint pdf  $f(x,y) = P(X=x, Y=y)$  in discrete case

$$P(a < X < b, c < Y < d) = \int_c^d \int_a^b f(x,y) dx dy$$

- Marginal pdfs

$X$  &  $Y$

$f(x,y) \rightarrow$  Joint pdf

Marginal pdf of  $x$ :  $g(x) = \sum_y f(x,y)$  (discrete r.v.)

$g(x) = \int f(x,y) dy$  (c.t. r.v.)

Marginal pdf of  $y$ :  $h(y) = \sum_x f(x,y)$  or  $\int f(x,y) dx$

$X \rightarrow 0, 1, 2$

$Y = 0, 1, 2$

$$P(X=0) = f(0,0) + f(0,1) + f(0,2)$$

$$P(X=1) = f(1,0) + f(1,1) + f(1,2)$$

$$P(X=2) = f(2,0) + f(2,1) + f(2,2)$$

Que If  $f(x,y) = \begin{cases} \frac{2}{5}(2x+3y) & 0 \leq x \leq 1, 0 \leq y \leq 1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$  is joint pdf of  $X$  &  $Y$ . (c.t. r.v.)

Find marginal pdfs  $g(x)$  &  $h(y)$  of  $X$  &  $Y$ .

Soln

$$g(x) = \int_0^1 f(x,y) dy = \int_0^1 \frac{2}{5}(2x+3y) dy = \frac{2}{5} \left( 2xy + \frac{3y^2}{2} \right) \Big|_0^1 = \frac{2}{5} \left( 2x + \frac{3}{2} \right) = \frac{4x}{5} + \frac{3}{5}$$

$$h(y) = \int_0^1 f(x,y) dx = \int_0^1 \frac{2}{5}(2x+3y) dx = \frac{2}{5} \left( x^2 + 3xy \right) \Big|_0^1 = \frac{2}{5}(1+3y)$$

## Conditional pdfs

$X \rightarrow$  r.v.

$X=x \rightarrow$  is an event.

call it event A

call it event B

$$P(Y=y | X=x) = \frac{P(Y=y, X=x)}{P(X=x)}$$

$$P(A|B) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)}$$

$$= \frac{f(x,y)}{g(x)} \rightarrow \text{Joint pdf} / \text{Marginal pdf of } X$$

$$P(Y=y | X=x) = \frac{f(x,y)}{g(x)}$$

$$P(X=x | Y=y) = \frac{f(x,y)}{h(y)}$$

$f(x|y)$  or  $f(y|x)$  are conditional pdfs.

Toss a coin twice

$\Omega = \{HH, HT, TH, TT\}$

$X \rightarrow$  no. of heads

$X \rightarrow 0, 1, 2$

$X=0 \rightarrow \{TT\}$

$X=1 \rightarrow \{HT, TH\}$

$X=2 \rightarrow \{HH\}$

Que For discrete r.v.  $X$  &  $Y$ , the joint pdf is given below

| $f(x,y)$ | $x$    |         |        |  |                     |
|----------|--------|---------|--------|--|---------------------|
|          | 0      | 1       | 2      |  | $h(y)$              |
| 0        | $3/28$ | $9/28$  | $3/28$ |  | $15/28$ → add these |
| 1        | $3/14$ | $3/14$  | 0      |  | $3/7$ → $h(1)$      |
| 2        | $1/28$ | 0       | 0      |  | $1/28$              |
|          | $5/28$ | $12/28$ | $3/28$ |  |                     |

|        |   |          |         |        |                         |
|--------|---|----------|---------|--------|-------------------------|
| $y$    | 1 | $(3/14)$ | $3/14$  | $(0)$  | $3/14 \rightarrow h(1)$ |
|        | 2 | $1/28$   | 0       | 0      | $1/28$                  |
| $g(x)$ |   | $5/14$   | $15/28$ | $3/28$ |                         |

Find conditional distribution of  $X$  given that  $Y=1$ .

Sol<sup>n</sup>  $f(x|y) = f(x,1) = \frac{f(x,1)}{h(1)} = \frac{f(x,1)}{3/14} = \frac{7}{3} f(x,1)$

$f(x|y) = \frac{7}{3} f(x,1)$

All the possible values of  $x$  are 0, 1 & 2

|          |       |       |   |
|----------|-------|-------|---|
| $x$      | 0     | 1     | 2 |
| $f(x 1)$ | $1/2$ | $1/2$ | 0 |

→ This is your answer.

What is  $P(X=0|Y=1)$

$f(0|1) = \frac{7}{3} f(0,1) = \frac{7}{3} * \frac{3}{14} = 1/2$

$f(1|1) = \frac{7}{3} f(1,1) = \frac{7}{3} * \frac{3}{14} = 1/2$

$f(2|1) = \frac{7}{3} f(2,1) = \frac{7}{3} * 0 = 0$

$= f(0|1)$

$= 1/2$

Que The Joint pdf for r.v.  $X$  &  $Y$

$X \rightarrow$  unit temperature change  
 $Y \rightarrow$  proportion of Spectrum shift } which an atomic particle produces

$f(x,y) = \begin{cases} 10xy^2 & 0 < x < y < 1 \\ 0 & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$

Find the probability that the spectrum shifts more than half, given that the temperature is increased by 0.25 units.

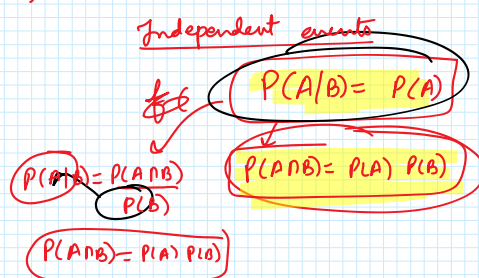
Sol<sup>n</sup>  $P(Y > \frac{1}{2} | X = 0.25) = \int_{1/2}^{\infty} f(y | x=0.25) dy$

$= \int_{1/2}^1 f(y | x=0.25) dy$

$= \int_{1/2}^1 \frac{f(0.25, y)}{g(0.25)} dy = \int_{1/2}^1 \frac{f(0.25, y)}{\int_{1/2}^1 f(0.25, y) dy} dy$

$= \int_{1/2}^1 \frac{3y^2}{1 - (0.25)^3} dy = \frac{8}{9} \text{ Ans.}$

$g(x) = \int_x^1 f(x,y) dy = \int_x^1 10xy^2 dy = 10x \left( \frac{y^3}{3} \right)_x^1 = \frac{10x}{3} (1 - x^3) \rightarrow g(x)$



$X$  and  $Y$  are said to be independent if

$f(x,y) = g(x)h(y)$

Joint pdf      Marginal pdfs

Proof

If  $X$  &  $Y$  are independent then  $f(x|y) = \frac{f(x,y)}{h(y)}$

$g(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x,y) dy = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(y) f(x|y) dy$

This is a property

$g(x) = \frac{f(x,y)}{h(y)}$

\*  $f(x,y) = g(x)h(y)$  Definition for Statistical independence of r.v.

$g(x) = f(x|y)$

Note In case of continuous r.v. it is very easy to check \*.

In case of discrete r.v. we have to check each entry.  
one problem

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