

Some required calculus skills for STAT 542 & STAT 543

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Outline

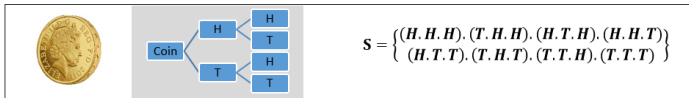
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Sample Space

- The set of all possible outcomes of an experiment is called the sample space.



Random Variable

- A random variable is a real-valued function defined over the elements of a sample space.

Roll a pair of dice and define \mathbf{X} as a total sum of the points.



$$S = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} (1, 1), (1, 2), (1, 3), (1, 4), (1, 5), (1, 6) \\ (2, 1), (2, 2), (2, 3), (2, 4), (2, 5), (2, 6) \\ (3, 1), (3, 2), (3, 3), (3, 4), (3, 5), (3, 6) \\ (4, 1), (4, 2), (4, 3), (4, 4), (4, 5), (4, 6) \\ (5, 1), (5, 2), (5, 3), (5, 4), (5, 5), (5, 6) \\ (6, 1), (6, 2), (6, 3), (6, 4), (6, 5), (6, 6) \end{array} \right\}$$

$X = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 2 \text{ if } \omega \in \{(1,1)\} \\ 3 \text{ if } \omega \in \{(1,2)(2,1)\} \\ 4 \text{ if } \omega \in \{(1,3)(2,2)(3,1)\} \\ 5 \text{ if } \omega \in \{(1,4)(2,3)(3,2)(4,1)\} \\ 6 \text{ if } \omega \in \{(1,5)(2,4)(3,3)(4,2)(5,1)\} \\ 7 \text{ if } \omega \in \{(1,6)(2,5)(3,4)(4,3)(5,2)(6,1)\} \\ 8 \text{ if } \omega \in \{(3,5)(5,3)(4,4)(2,6)(6,2)\} \\ 9 \text{ if } \omega \in \{(3,6)(4,5)(5,4)(6,3)\} \\ 10 \text{ if } \omega \in \{(4,6)(5,5)(6,4)\} \\ 11 \text{ if } \omega \in \{(5,6)(6,5)\} \\ 12 \text{ if } \omega \in \{(6,6)\} \end{array} \right.$	ω means Outcome	$\begin{array}{l} \{X = 2\} = \{(1,1)\} \\ \{X = 3\} = \{(1,2)(2,1)\} \\ \{X = 4\} = \{(1,3)(2,2)(3,1)\} \\ \{X = 5\} = \dots \\ \{X = 6\} = \dots \\ \{X = 7\} = \dots \\ \{X = 8\} = \dots \\ \{X = 9\} = \dots \\ \{X = 10\} = \{(4,6)(5,5)(6,4)\} \\ \{X = 11\} = \{(5,6)(6,5)\} \\ \{X = 12\} = \{(6,6)\} \end{array}$
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Figure: The RV X is defined as the sum of points (x, y)

Discrete & Continuous Random Variable

Random Variables $\rightarrow X, Y, Z, W$
the values of random variables $\rightarrow x, y, z, w$

Types:

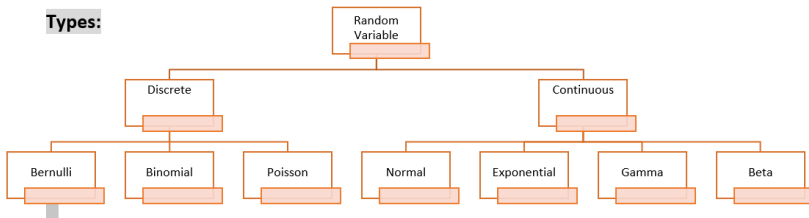


Figure: Some well-known Random Variables

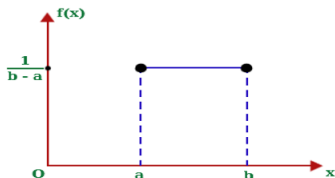
Discrete Random Variable		Continuous Random Variable	
Probability distribution of X		Probability density function	
$f(x) = P(X = x)$		$f(x)$	
A function can serve as the probability distribution function of a discrete random variable X if and only if its values, $f(x)$, satisfy the condition.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) $f(x) \geq 0$ for each value within its domain; 2) $\sum_x f(x) = 1$, where the summation extends over all the values within its domain. 	A function can serve as the probability density function of a continuous random variable X if and only if its values, $f(x)$, satisfy the condition.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) $f(x) \geq 0$ for each value within its domain; 2) $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x)dx = 1$, where the summation extends over all the values within its domain.
Distribution function of X (or cumulative distribution of X (CDF))		Distribution function of X (or cumulative distribution of X (CDF))	
$F(x) = P(X \leq x) = \sum_{y \leq x} P(X = y)$		$F(x) = P(X \leq x) = \int_{-\infty}^x f(x)dx$ <i>for</i> $-\infty < x < \infty$	

PDF, CDF: Example

A random variable X has a Uniform Distribution and it is referred to as a continuous uniform random variable if and only if its probability density is given by

PDF: $f(x)$

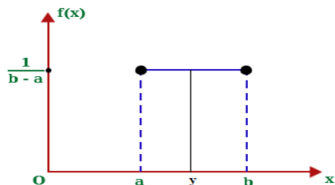
$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\beta - \alpha}, & \text{for } \alpha < x < \beta \\ 0, & \text{elsewhere.} \end{cases}$$



Note: $f(x)$ is a density function, because

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\alpha}^{\beta} f(x) \cdot dx &= \int_{\alpha}^{\beta} \frac{1}{\beta - \alpha} \cdot dx = \frac{1}{\beta - \alpha} \cdot \int_{\alpha}^{\beta} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{\beta - \alpha} \cdot (\beta - \alpha) = 1 \end{aligned}$$

$X \sim \text{Unif}(\alpha, \beta)$



Note: If $X \sim \text{Unif}(\alpha, \beta)$ then

$$\begin{aligned} F(y) &= P(X \leq y) = \int_{\alpha}^y f(x) \cdot dx \\ &= \int_{\alpha}^y \frac{1}{\beta - \alpha} \cdot dx = \frac{(y - \alpha)}{\beta - \alpha} \end{aligned}$$

Derivative formulas

$\frac{d}{dx}(c) = 0$	$\frac{d}{dx}(x) = 1$	$\frac{d}{dx}(cx) = c \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(x) = c$
$\frac{d}{dx}(u + v + \cdots) = \frac{d}{dx}(u) + \frac{d}{dx}(v) + \cdots$		
$\frac{d}{dx}(uv) = u \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(v) + v \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(u)$	$\frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{u}{v}\right) = \frac{v \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(u) - u \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(v)}{v^2}, \quad v \neq 0$	
$\frac{d}{dx}(uvw) = uv \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(vw) + uw \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(v) + vw \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(u)$		
$\frac{d}{dx}(cu) = c \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(u), \quad \frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{c}{u}\right) = c \cdot \frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{1}{u}\right) = -\frac{c}{u^2} \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(u), \quad u \neq 0$		
$\frac{d}{dx}(x^m) = m \cdot x^{m-1}$		
$\frac{d}{dx}(u^m) = m \cdot u^{m-1} \frac{d}{dx}(u)$	$z = y^m$ $y = u(x)$	
$\frac{d}{dx}(e^x) = e^x, \quad \frac{d}{dx} \ln x = \frac{1}{x}$	$\frac{d}{dx} e^{g(x)} = g'(x) \cdot e^{g(x)}$	
$\frac{d}{dx} a^x = a^x \cdot \ln(a), \quad \frac{d}{dx} \ln[g(x)] = \frac{g'(x)}{g(x)}$		
$\frac{d}{dx} f[g(x)] = g(x)' \cdot f'[g(x)]$		

Integration formulas

$\int a \, dx = a \cdot x$	$\int a f(x) \, dx = a \int f(x) \, dx$
$\int (u \pm v) \, dx = \int u \, dx \pm \int v \, dx$	$\int u \, dv = u \cdot v - \int v \, du$
$\int x^n \, dx = \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} \quad (n \neq -1)$	$\int \frac{dx}{x} = \ln x $
$\int \sqrt{x^m} \, dx = \frac{2x \cdot \sqrt{x^m}}{m+2} \quad (m \neq -2)$	$\int \sqrt[p]{m} \, dx = \frac{px \cdot \sqrt[p]{x^m}}{m+p} \quad (m+p \neq 0)$
$\int e^x \, dx = e^x$	$\int e^{ax} \, dx = \frac{e^{ax}}{a} \quad (a \neq 0)$

Mean & Variance

Continuous Random Variable

If X is a continuous random variable and $f(x)$ is the value of its probability density at x , the expected value of X is

$$E(X) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x \cdot f(x) dx$$

If X is a continuous random variable and $f(x)$ is the value of its probability density at x , the expected value of $g(X)$ is given by

$$E[g(X)] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(x) \cdot f(x) dx$$

The mean and variance of the uniform distribution X are:

$$E(X) = \int_{\alpha}^{\beta} x \cdot f(x) \cdot dx = \int_{\alpha}^{\beta} x \cdot \frac{1}{\beta - \alpha} \cdot dx = \frac{1}{\beta - \alpha} \cdot \int_{\alpha}^{\beta} x \cdot dx = \frac{1}{\beta - \alpha} \cdot \frac{x^2}{2} \Big|_{\alpha}^{\beta} = \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} E[X^2] &= \int_{\alpha}^{\beta} x^2 \cdot f(x) \cdot dx = \int_{\alpha}^{\beta} x^2 \cdot \frac{1}{\beta - \alpha} \cdot dx = \frac{1}{\beta - \alpha} \cdot \int_{\alpha}^{\beta} x^2 \cdot dx = \frac{1}{\beta - \alpha} \cdot \frac{x^3}{3} \Big|_{\alpha}^{\beta} \\ &= \frac{1}{3(\beta - \alpha)} \cdot (\beta^3 - \alpha^3) \end{aligned}$$

and the variance is following by

$$\text{Var}(X) = E[X^2] - [E(X)]^2 = \frac{(\beta^3 - \alpha^3)}{3(\beta - \alpha)} - \left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{12}(\beta - \alpha)^2$$

Multiple Random Variables

Joint PMF: Two RVs X & Y.		Joint PDF: Two RVs X & Y.	
$f_{X,Y}(x,y) = P(X \leq x, Y \leq y)$		$f_{X,Y}(x,y) = P(X \leq x, Y \leq y)$	
A bivariate function can serve as the joint probability density function of a pair of discrete random variables X and Y if and only if its values, $f(x, y)$, satisfy the conditions	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) $f(x, y) \geq 0$ for each pair of values (x, y) within its domain; 2) $\sum_x \sum_y f(x, y) = 1$, where the double summation extends over all possible pairs (x, y) within its domain. 	A bivariate function can serve as the joint probability density function of a pair of continuous random variables X and Y if and only if its values, $f(x, y)$, satisfy the conditions	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) $f(x, y) \geq 0$ for each pair of values (x, y) within its domain; 2) $\int_{-\infty}^y \int_{-\infty}^x f(x, y) dx dy = 1$, where the double summation extends over all possible pairs (x, y) within its domain.
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$F_{X,Y}(x, y) = P(X \leq x, Y \leq y) = \sum_{s \leq x} \sum_{t \leq y} f(s, t)$ <p>For $-\infty < x < \infty, -\infty < y < \infty$</p>		$F_{X,Y}(x, y) = P(X \leq x, Y \leq y) = \int_{-\infty}^y \int_{-\infty}^x f(s, t) ds dt$ <p>For $-\infty < x < \infty, -\infty < y < \infty$</p>	
Marginal Distribution:		Marginal Density Function:	
If X and Y are discrete random variables and $f(x, y)$ is the value of their joint probability distribution at (x, y) , the function given by		If X and Y are continuous random variables and $f(x, y)$ is the value of their joint probability density at (x, y) , the function given by	
For each x within the range of X is called the marginal distribution of X.	$P(X = x) = \sum_y P(X = x, Y = y)$	$f_X(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x, y) dy$ <p>for $-\infty < x < \infty$</p>	$f_X(x)$ is called the marginal density of X.

Multiple Random Variables: Example

Let X and Y be continuous random variables having joint probability density function:

$$f_{X,Y}(x,y) = \begin{cases} k(x^2 + y^2), & 0 \leq x \leq 1, \quad 0 \leq y \leq 1 \\ 0, & \text{O.W} \end{cases}$$

- a) Find the constant k .
- b) Compute $P\left(X > \frac{1}{2}, Y < \frac{1}{2}\right)$.
- c) Are X and Y independent? Justify your answer.

a)

Verify $\int_0^1 \int_0^1 f_{X,Y}(x,y) dx dy = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 \int_0^1 f_{X,Y}(x,y) dx dy &= \int_0^1 \int_0^1 k(x^2 + y^2) dx dy = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (kx^2 + ky^2) dx dy = \int_0^1 \left[\int_0^1 (kx^2 + ky^2) dx \right] dy \\ &= \int_0^1 \left[\int_0^1 kx^2 dx + \int_0^1 \frac{6}{5} y^2 dx \right] dy = \int_0^1 \left[k \cdot \frac{x^3}{3} \Big|_0^1 + k \cdot y^2 \cdot x \Big|_0^1 \right] dy = \int_0^1 \left[k \cdot \frac{1}{3} + k \cdot y^2 \right] dy \\ &= \int_0^1 k \cdot \frac{1}{3} dy + \int_0^1 k \cdot y^2 dy = k \cdot \frac{1}{3} \cdot y \Big|_0^1 + k \cdot \frac{y^3}{3} \Big|_0^1 = \frac{1}{3} k + \frac{1}{3} k = \frac{2}{3} k = 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore k = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{b)} \quad \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 f_{X,Y}(x,y) \, dx \, dy &= \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 k(x^2 + y^2) \, dx \, dy = \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 (kx^2 + ky^2) \, dx \, dy = \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \left[\int_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 (kx^2 + ky^2) \, dx \right] dy \\
 &= \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \left[\int_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 kx^2 \, dx + \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 ky^2 \, dx \right] dy = \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \left[k \cdot \frac{x^3}{3} \bigg|_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 + k \cdot y^2 \cdot x \bigg|_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 \right] dy \\
 &= \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \left[\frac{1}{3}k - \frac{1}{24}k + k \cdot y^2 - \frac{1}{2}k \cdot y^2 \right] dy = 1/4
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 f_X(x) &= \int_0^1 f_{X,Y}(x,y) \, dy \\
 &= \int_0^1 (kx^2 + ky^2) \, dy \\
 &= \int_0^1 \left[\frac{3}{2}x^2 + \frac{3}{2}y^2 \right] dy \\
 &= \frac{3}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 f_Y(y) &= \int_0^1 f_{X,Y}(x,y) \, dx = \int_0^1 (kx^2 + ky^2) \, dx \\
 &= \int_0^1 \left[\frac{3}{2}x^2 + \frac{3}{2}y^2 \right] dx \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{2}y^2
 \end{aligned}$$

$$f_X(x) \cdot f_Y(y) = \left(\frac{3}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{2}y^2\right) = \frac{9}{4}x^2y^2 + \frac{1}{4}x^2 + \frac{3}{4}y^2 + \frac{1}{4} \neq f_{X,Y}(x,y)$$

So the random variable X and Y are not independent to each other.

Some General Advice

- Be confident.
- Be in contact with faculty members.
- Be in touch with your classmates.
- Be organized in your academic life.