

NW #6A

SECTION 5.1 in textbook

1. Suppose that the following table represents the joint probability distribution of the discrete random variable (X, Y) . Evaluate all the marginal and conditional distributions. Are X and Y independent?

$Y \backslash X$	1	2	3
1	$\frac{1}{12}$	$\frac{1}{6}$	0
2	0	$\frac{1}{9}$	$\frac{1}{5}$
3	$\frac{1}{18}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{2}{15}$

2. For $f(x, y) = k(3x + 9y)$; $0 \leq x \leq 1$, $0 \leq y \leq 1$

a) find k

b) find the joint probability that $0 \leq x \leq \frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{1}{2} \leq y \leq 1$

c) find the marginal distributions for X and Y

d) Are X and Y independent?

3. Pick X at random between 0 and 2. Independently, pick Y at random between 0 and 3. Find the probability that $X + Y < 1$.

④. If X and Y are random variables with joint pdf:

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} 6e^{-2x-3y} & \text{for } x, y > 0 \\ 0 & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

What is: a) $P(X < 2 \text{ and } Y > 2)$?

b) the marginal density for X ?

c) the marginal density for Y ?

d) Are X and Y independent?