

## Exercise 1

$X$  continuous r.v. with PDF

$$f_X(x) = \begin{cases} 5/32 x^4, & x \in (0, 2] \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

2.  $Y(X) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} X^2 \Rightarrow X(Y) = \sqrt{Y} \text{ on } (0, 2]$

$$\Rightarrow f_Y(y) = \begin{cases} 5/32 y^2 \cdot 1/2\sqrt{y} = 5/64 y^{3/2} \\ 0 \end{cases}$$

1. Cumulative distribution function of  $Y$

$$F_Y(y) = \int_{-\infty}^y \frac{5}{64} y'^{3/2} dy'$$

if  $y \in (0, 4]$

$$F_Y(y) = \frac{5}{64} \int_0^y y'^{3/2} dy'$$

$$= \frac{5}{64} \frac{2}{5} y^{5/2}$$

$$= y \frac{5}{32}$$

if  $y \leq 0$ :

$$F_Y = 0$$

if  $y > 4$ :

$$F_Y(y) = \frac{5}{64} \int_0^4 y'^{3/2} dy'$$

$$= \frac{5}{64} \frac{2}{5} 2^{5/2}$$

$$= 1 \quad \text{as it should be}$$

Other way (without using 2.)

$$F_{X^2}(x) := P(X^2 \leq x) = P(X \in [-x, x])$$

if  $x \in (0, 2]$ :

$$F_{X^2}(x) = \int_{-x}^x f_X(x) dx$$

$$= \int_0^x \frac{5}{32} x^4 dx$$

$$= \frac{5}{32} \frac{1}{5} x^5$$

$$\Rightarrow F_Y(y) = \frac{y^{5/2}}{32} \quad \text{for } x(y)=y^{1/2}$$

$$\text{if } x < 0 : F_{X^2}(x) = 0 \Rightarrow F_Y(y) = 0$$

if  $x > 2$ :

$$F_{X^2}(x) = \int_{-x}^x f_X(x) dx$$

$$= \int_0^2 f_X(x) dx = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow F_Y(y) = 1$$

$$3. E[Y] = E[X^2]$$

$$= \int_0^2 \frac{5}{32} x^6 dx$$

$$= \frac{5}{32} \frac{1}{7} 2^7$$

$$= 20/7$$

## Exercise 2

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{15}{4} x^2, & y \in [0, 1-x^2], x \in [-1, 1] \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

□ Marginal PDF of  $X$

$$\begin{aligned} f_X(x) &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} f(x, y) dy \\ &= \int_0^{1-x^2} \frac{15}{4} x^2 dy \\ &= \frac{15}{4} x^2 \int_0^{1-x^2} dy \\ &= \frac{15}{4} x^2 (1-x^2) \end{aligned}$$

□ Marginal PDF of  $Y$

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

$y \in [0, 1-x^2] \Rightarrow$  boundaries of  $Y$  domain as fn of  $x$   
are  $y = 1-x^2$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = 1-y$$

$\Rightarrow$  boundaries of  $x$  domain as fn of  $y$   
are  $x = \pm \sqrt{1-y}$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow f_Y(y) &= \int_{-\sqrt{1-y}}^{\sqrt{1-y}} \frac{15}{4} x^2 dx \\ &\Rightarrow x \in [-\sqrt{1-y}, \sqrt{1-y}] \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{15}{4} \frac{x^3}{3} \Big|_{-\sqrt{1-y}}^{\sqrt{1-y}}$$

$$= \frac{15}{6} \sqrt{1-y}$$

### Exercise 3

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} 6e^{-(2x+3y)} & , x, y \geq 0 \\ 0 & , \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$1. f(x, y) \stackrel{x, y \geq 0}{=} 6e^{-2x} e^{-3y} = f_x(x) f_y(y), f_x(x) = 2e^{-2x}, \text{ —}$$

$\uparrow$   
so  $f_x(x)$  is normalized

$$2. E[Y | X > 2] \stackrel{x, y \text{ indep}}{=} \int_{\mathbb{R}} 3y e^{-3y} dy$$

$$= 3 \int_0^{\infty} y e^{-3y} dy$$

$$= -3 \frac{d}{da} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-ay} dy \Big|_{a=3}$$

$$= -3 \frac{d}{da} \frac{1}{a} \Big|_{a=3}$$

$$= +3 \frac{1}{a^2} \Big|_{a=3} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$3. P(X > Y) = P(X - Y > 0) = 1 - P(X < Y)$$

$$P(X < Y) = F_X(Y)$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^Y f_X(x) dx$$

$$= \int_0^4 f_X(x) dx$$

$$= 2 \int_0^4 e^{-2x} dx$$

$$= -\lambda \frac{1}{\lambda} e^{-2x} \Big|_0^4 = 1 - e^{-2 \cdot 4}$$

with  $y$  PDF because it's not uniform!  
must weight CDF  
of  $x$  w/ single value  
of  $y$  on every possi-  
ble value of  $y$

$$P(X < Y) = \int_0^\infty f_Y(y) (1 - e^{-2y}) dy$$

$$= \int_0^\infty 3(e^{-3y} - e^{-5y}) dy$$

$$\left| \int_0^\infty e^{-3y} dy = +\frac{1}{3}, \int_0^\infty e^{-5y} dy = +\frac{1}{5} \right.$$

$$= 3 \left( \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{5} \right) = \frac{2}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow P(X > Y) = 1 - \frac{2}{5} = \frac{3}{5}$$

#### Exercise 4

$X, Y$  continuous r.v.

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} x + 3y^2/2 & , x, y \in [0, 1] \\ 0 & , \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

□ MAP of  $X$  given  $Y=y$

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

Posterior  
of  $X$

Prior of  $X$

Treat  $x$  as the  
parameter

$$p_x(x) = \int_0^1 p(x, y) dy = \int_0^1 (x + \frac{3}{2}y^2) dy =$$

$$= x + \frac{3}{2} \int_0^1 y^2 dy = x + \frac{3}{2} \left. \frac{y^3}{3} \right|_0^1 = x + \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow p(x|y) = \frac{p(x, y)}{p_x(x)} = \left( x + \frac{3}{2}y^2 \right)$$

$$x_{\text{MAP}}(y) = \arg \max_{x \in [0, 1]} \left( x + \frac{3}{2}y^2 \right) = 1 + \frac{3}{2}y^2$$

$$\text{Since } 1 = \max_{y \in [0, 1]} y^2 \Rightarrow x_{\text{MAP}} = 1$$

□ ML of  $X$  given  $Y=y$

Maximum Likelihood is

$$p(y|x) = \frac{p(x, y)}{p_x(x)} = \frac{x + \frac{3}{2}y^2}{x + \frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_{\text{ML}} = \arg \max_{x \in [0, 1]} \frac{2x + 3y^2}{2x + 1}$$

$$\square 2x + 3y^2 \geq 2x + 1 \Leftrightarrow y^2 \geq 1/3$$

$$\Leftrightarrow y \geq 1/\sqrt{3}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{2x + 3y^2}{2x + 1} \right) = \frac{2(2x + 1) - 2(2x + 3y^2)}{(2x + 1)^2} = \frac{2 - 6y^2}{(2x + 1)^2} \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x_{\text{ML}} = 0$$

$$\square 2x + 3y^2 < 2x + 1 \Leftrightarrow y < 1/\sqrt{3}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{2x + 3y^2}{2x + 1} \right) = \frac{2 - 6y^2}{(2x + 1)^2} > 0 \Rightarrow x_{\text{ML}} = 1$$

## Exercise 5

Following a Binary classification framework:

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{lin}} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \{ \vec{w} \cdot (\vec{x}, 1) \geq 0(\vec{x}) \mid \vec{w} \in \mathbb{R}^{d+1} \}$$

$$\text{Dvc}(\mathcal{H}_{\text{lin}}) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \max \{ m \mid \exists C \subseteq \mathbb{R}^d, |C|=m \text{ s.t. } \mathcal{H}_{\text{lin}} \text{ shatters } C \}$$

□  $\vec{w}_0 = 0 \Rightarrow$  hyperplanes contain origin

$$\Rightarrow \text{Dvc}(\mathcal{H}_{\text{lin}}|_{\vec{w}_0=0}) = d$$

proof

$$f(\vec{x}) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \vec{w} \cdot \vec{x}(\vec{x})$$

$$S \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \{ \vec{x}_1, \dots, \vec{x}_d \} \text{ s.t. } \vec{x}_i = \vec{e}_i \text{ std basis in } \mathbb{R}^d$$

$\Rightarrow$   $S$  can be shattered by  $f$  since, given

$$y \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \{ y_1, \dots, y_d \} \in \{ 0, +1 \}^d$$

set of all possible labelings,

$$\exists f, f(\vec{x}) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \vec{w} \cdot \vec{x}(\vec{x}) \text{ s.t. } f(\vec{x}_j) = y_j \quad \forall \vec{x}_j \in S$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Dvc}(\mathcal{H}_{\text{lin}}|_{\vec{w}_0=0}) \geq d \quad (\text{LOWER BOUND})$$

Assume  $\exists S' \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \{ \vec{x}_1, \dots, \vec{x}_{d+1} \} \subset \mathbb{R}^d$  s.t. it can be shattered by  $\mathcal{H}_{\text{lin}}$

$\Rightarrow \forall$  possible label  $y_k$  in  $\{ 0, +1 \}^{d+1}$  ( $\Rightarrow 2^{d+1}$  possible

labels)  $\exists$  a  $\vec{w}_k$  s.t.  $\vec{w}_k \cdot \vec{x} = y_k \quad \forall \vec{x} \in S'$ .

$$H \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} XW, \quad X := (\vec{x}_1^T, \dots, \vec{x}_{d+1}^T)^T, \quad W := (\vec{w}_1, \dots, \vec{w}_{2^{d+1}})$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} \vec{x}_1^T \cdot \vec{w}_1 & \dots & \vec{x}_1^T \cdot \vec{w}_{2^{d+1}} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \vec{x}_{d+1}^T \cdot \vec{w}_1 & \dots & \vec{x}_{d+1}^T \cdot \vec{w}_{2^{d+1}} \end{pmatrix}$$

$\Rightarrow$  Rows of  $H$  are lin indep:

$\exists \vec{\alpha} \neq 0$  s.t.  $\vec{\alpha}^T H = \vec{0}^T$  Because under the hyp of  $\mathcal{H}_{\text{lin}}$  shattering  $S'$ ,  $\exists$  a  $k$  s.t.

$\text{sign}(X \vec{w}_k) = \text{sign}(\vec{a}) \Rightarrow \vec{a}^T X \vec{w}_k > 0$  and  $\vec{0}^T$  is not reproducible

$\Rightarrow$  Rank of  $H$  is  $d+1$ .

But  $\text{Rank}(H) = \min(\text{Rank}(X), \text{Rank}(W))$  and

$\text{Rank}(X) = d \Rightarrow$  Contradiction

$\Rightarrow D_{vc}(H_{\text{lin}}|_{k_0=0}) < d+1$  (UPPER BOUND)

$\Rightarrow D_{vc}(H_{\text{lin}}|_{k_0=0}) = d$

□  $k_0 \neq 0$ :

One could always rewrite

$$f(\vec{x}) = \|\vec{k} \cdot \vec{x} + k_0\| = \|\vec{k}' \cdot \vec{x}'\|(\vec{x}'),$$

$$\vec{k}' := \begin{bmatrix} \vec{k} \\ k_0 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{x}' := \begin{bmatrix} \vec{x} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{d+1}$$

$\Rightarrow$  One could redef the prob of computing

$D_{vc}(H_{\text{lin}})$  in  $\mathbb{R}^d$  as the prob of computing

$D_{vc}(H_{\text{lin}}|_{k_0=0})$  in  $\mathbb{R}^{d+1}$

$\Rightarrow D_{vc}(H_{\text{lin}}) = d+1$