

$$\begin{aligned}
 2.88 \quad E(XY) &= E(X) \\
 &= (-1)(1/4) + 0 + (1)(1/4) \\
 &= 0
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Rightarrow \text{Cov}(X, Y) &= E(XY) - E(X)E(Y) \\
 &= 0.
 \end{aligned}$$

| $x$         | -1    | 0     | 1     |
|-------------|-------|-------|-------|
| $\Pr(X=x)$  | $1/4$ | $1/2$ | $1/4$ |
| $\Pr(Y=x)$  | 0     | $1/2$ | $1/2$ |
| $\Pr(XY=x)$ | $1/4$ | $1/2$ | $1/4$ |

However,  $X$  and  $Y$  are not independent, as  $f_{X,Y}(x,y) \neq f_X(x)f_Y(y)$ .  
 For example,  $f_{X,Y}(1,1) = \frac{1}{4}$ , but  $f_X(1)f_Y(1) = (1/4)(1/2) = 1/8$ .

2.97  $\text{phyper}(2, 12, 18, 17)$  yields the same answer. So do  
 $1 - \text{phyper}(14, 17, 13, 18)$  and  $\text{phyper}(3, 18, 12, 13)$ .

2.104 (a)  $K$  and  $Q$  are not independent. For instance, neither  $\Pr(K=3)$  nor  $\Pr(Q=3)$  are zero, but  $\Pr(K=3 \text{ and } Q=3)$  is zero.

$$\begin{aligned}
 (b) \quad \Pr(K=2 | Q=2) &= \frac{\Pr(K=2 \text{ and } Q=2)}{\Pr(Q=2)} = \frac{\binom{4}{2}^2 \binom{44}{1} / \binom{52}{5}}{\binom{4}{2} \binom{48}{3} / \binom{52}{5}} \\
 &= \frac{\binom{4}{2} \binom{44}{1}}{\binom{48}{3}} \doteq 0.01526.
 \end{aligned}$$

2.105 (a)  $K$  and  $H$  are not independent. For instance,  $\Pr(H=5) \neq 0$ , but  $\Pr(H=5 | K=2) = 0$ .

$$(b) \quad \Pr(K=2 | H=2) = \frac{\Pr(K=2 \text{ and } H=2)}{\Pr(H=2)} = \frac{\binom{52}{5}}{\binom{13}{2} \binom{39}{3}} \cdot \Pr(K=2 \text{ and } H=2).$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{But } \Pr(K=2 \text{ and } H=2) &= \Pr(\text{heart king and } K=2 \text{ and } H=2) + \Pr(\text{no heart king and } K=2 \text{ and } H=2) \\
 &= \left( \binom{3}{1} \binom{12}{1} \binom{36}{2} + \binom{3}{2} \binom{12}{2} \binom{36}{1} \right) / \binom{52}{5}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So, } \Pr(K=2 | H=2) = \left( \binom{3}{1} \binom{12}{1} \binom{36}{2} + \binom{3}{2} \binom{12}{2} \binom{36}{1} \right) / \left( \binom{13}{2} \binom{39}{3} \right) \doteq 0.0418.$$

3.4 Since  $f, g$  are pdfs, for each  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ ,

$$\alpha f(x) + (1-\alpha)g(x) \geq 0,$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{and } \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} [\alpha f(x) + (1-\alpha)g(x)] dx &= \alpha \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx + (1-\alpha) \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(x) dx \\ &= \alpha \cdot 1 + (1-\alpha) \cdot 1 = 1. \end{aligned}$$

3.10 (c) The pdf  $f_X(x) = \frac{d}{dx} F_X(x) = \begin{cases} x/2, & 0 < x < 2 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

(d)  $\Pr(Y \leq 1) = \Pr(X^2/4 \leq 1) = \Pr(-2 \leq X \leq 2) = F_X(2) - F_X(-2) = 1$

(e)  $\Pr(Y \leq \frac{1}{4}) = \Pr(X^2/4 \leq \frac{1}{4}) = \Pr(-1 \leq X \leq 1) = F_X(1) - F_X(-1) = \frac{1}{4}$

(f) For  $0 < y < 1$ ,

$$F_Y(y) = \Pr(Y \leq y) = \Pr(X^2/4 \leq y) = \Pr(-2\sqrt{y} \leq X \leq 2\sqrt{y}) = \Pr(X \leq 2\sqrt{y}) = y$$

$$\text{So, } F_Y(y) = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } y \leq 0 \\ y, & \text{if } 0 < y < 1 \\ 1, & \text{if } y \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

(g) The pdf  $f_Y(y) = \frac{d}{dy} F_Y(y) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } 0 < y < 1 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

(h)  $Y \sim \text{Unif}(0, 1)$ .

3.15 (a)  $\Pr(X \leq 1) = F_X(1) = \frac{1}{4}$ .

(b)  $\Pr(0.5 \leq X \leq 1) = F_X(1) - F_X(0.5) = 0.25 - 0.0625 = 0.1875$ .

(c)  $\Pr(X > 1.5) = 1 - F_X(1.5) = 1 - 0.5625 = 0.4375$ .

(d) Solve  $F_X(x) = 0.5 \Rightarrow x^2 = 2 \Rightarrow x = \sqrt{2}$ .

(e) The pdf  $f_X(x) = \frac{d}{dx} F_X(x) = \begin{cases} x/2, & \text{if } 0 < x < 2 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

(f)  $E(X) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x f_X(x) dx = \int_0^2 x \cdot \frac{x}{2} dx = \frac{1}{6} x^3 \Big|_0^2 = \frac{4}{3}$ .

$$(9) \quad E(X^2) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^2 f_X(x) dx = \int_0^2 x^2 \cdot \frac{x}{2} dx = \left. \frac{1}{8} x^4 \right|_0^2 = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Var}(X) = E(X^2) - E(X)^2 = 2 - \left(\frac{4}{3}\right)^2 = \frac{2}{9}.$$

3.21 For  $X \sim \text{DUnif}(n)$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} M_X(t) &= E(e^{tX}) = \sum_{x=1}^n e^{tx} \cdot \frac{1}{n} = \frac{e^t}{n} (1 + e^t + e^{2t} + \dots + e^{(n-1)t}) \\ &= \frac{e^t}{n} \cdot \frac{e^{nt} - 1}{e^t - 1} = \frac{e^t(e^{nt} - 1)}{n(e^t - 1)} \end{aligned}$$

3.22 For  $X \sim \text{Geom}(\pi)$ ,  $f_X(x) = (1-\pi)^x \pi$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow M_X(t) &= E(e^{tX}) = \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} e^{tx} (1-\pi)^x \pi = \pi \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} [e^t(1-\pi)]^x \\ &= \pi \cdot \frac{1}{1 - e^t(1-\pi)} \end{aligned}$$

C.3 Let  $\vec{v}, \vec{x}, \vec{y} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ . Writing  $\vec{v} = \langle v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n \rangle$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{v} \cdot (\vec{x} + \vec{y}) &= \vec{v} \cdot \langle x_1 + y_1, x_2 + y_2, \dots, x_n + y_n \rangle \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^n v_j (x_j + y_j) = \sum_{j=1}^n v_j x_j + \sum_{j=1}^n v_j y_j = \vec{v} \cdot \vec{x} + \vec{v} \cdot \vec{y}. \end{aligned}$$

The proof is similar for  $\vec{v} \cdot (\vec{x} - \vec{y})$ .

C.17 If  $A$  is  $m \times n$ , then  $A^T$  is  $n \times m$ , and the product  $AA^T$  is  $m \times m$  (square).