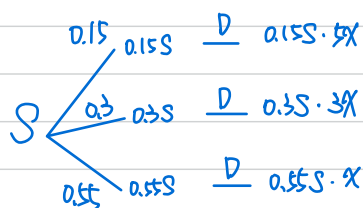


1. At the beginning of a study of individuals, 15% were classified as heavy smokers, 30% were classified as light smokers, and 55% were classified as nonsmokers. In the five-year study, it was determined that the death rates of the heavy and light smokers were five and three times that of the nonsmokers, respectively. A randomly selected participant died over the five-year period: calculate the probability that the participant was a nonsmoker.

令總人數為  $S$  . nonsmokers 的死亡率為  $x$



$$P(\text{nonsmoker} \mid \text{died}) = \frac{P(\text{nonsmoker, died})}{P(\text{died})} = \frac{0.55 \cdot S \cdot x}{0.55 \cdot S \cdot x + 0.9S \cdot x + 0.75S \cdot x} = \frac{1}{4}$$

3. Let  $X$  have the pmf  $p(x) = \frac{1}{3}$ ,  $x = -1, 0, 1$ . Find the pmf of  $Y = X^2$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 Y &= X^2 \\
 Y &\in \{1, 0\} \\
 P(Y=1) &= P(X=1) + P(X=-1) = \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{3} = \frac{2}{3} \\
 P(Y=0) &= P(X=0) = \frac{1}{3}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$f_Y(y) = \frac{f_X(x)}{\left| \frac{dy}{dx} \right|} = \frac{\frac{1}{3}x^2}{3x^2} = \frac{1}{3}$$

5. Let  $X$  have the pdf  $f(x) = 3x^2$ ,  $0 < x < 1$ , zero elsewhere.

(a) Compute  $E(X^3)$ .

(b) Show that  $Y = X^3$  has a uniform  $(0, 1)$  distribution.

(c) Compute  $E(Y)$  and compare this result with the answer obtained in part.

$$(a) E(X^3) = \int_0^1 x^3 \cdot 3x^2 dx = \left. \frac{1}{6} x^6 \right|_0^1 = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$(b) (i) Y = X^3 \quad S_Y = \{0 < y < 1\} \quad X = Y^{1/3} \quad (\Rightarrow) F_Y(y) = P(Y \leq y)$$

$$\therefore f_Y(y) = \frac{f_X(x)}{\left| \frac{dy}{dx} \right|} = \frac{3x^2}{3x^2} = 1, \quad 0 < y < 1$$

$\therefore Y$  is a uniform  $(0, 1)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= P(X^3 \leq y) \\
 &= P(X \leq y^{1/3}) \\
 &= \int_0^{y^{1/3}} 3x^2 dx = x^3 \Big|_0^{y^{1/3}} = y
 \end{aligned}$$

$$(c) E[Y] = \int_0^1 y dy = \left. \frac{1}{2} y^2 \right|_0^1 = \frac{1}{2}$$

6. Suppose  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  have the joint pdf  $f_{X_1, X_2}(x_1, x_2) = e^{-(x_1+x_2)}$ ,  $0 < x_i < \infty, i = 1, 2$ , zero elsewhere.

(a) Use formula (2.2.2) to find the pdf of  $Y_1 = X_1 + X_2$ .

(b) Find the mgf of  $Y_1$ .

Note. formula (2.2.2)  $f_{Y_1}(y_1) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_{X_1, X_2}(y_1 - y_2, y_2) dy_2$

(a)

$$f_{Y_1}(y_1) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_{X_1, X_2}(y_1 - x_2, x_2) dx_2 = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-(y_1 - x_2 + x_2)} dx_2$$

$$x_1 = y_1 - x_2 \quad \quad \quad = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-y_1} dx_2 = e^{-y_1}$$

(b)

$$M_{X_1}(t) = E(e^{ty_1}) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-y_1} e^{ty_1} dy_1 = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-y_1(1-t)} dy_1$$

$$= \frac{1}{1-t} e^{-y_1} \Big|_{-\infty}^{\infty} = \frac{1}{1-t}, \quad t < 1$$

7. Let the joint pdf of  $X$  and  $Y$  be given by

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{2}{(1+x+y)^3} & 0 < x < \infty, 0 < y < \infty \\ 0 & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

(a) Compute the marginal pdf of  $X$  and the conditional pdf of  $Y$ , given  $X = x$ .

(b) For a fixed  $X = x$ , compute  $E(1+x+Y|x)$  and use the result to compute  $E(Y|x)$ .

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

$$f(y|x) = \frac{f(x,y)}{f_X(x)} = \frac{\frac{2}{(1+x+y)^3}}{\frac{1}{(1+x)^2}} = \frac{2(1+x)^2}{(1+x+y)^3}, \quad 0 < x, y < \infty$$

$$f_X(x) = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{2}{(1+x+y)^3} dy = \frac{1}{(1+x)^2}$$

(b)  $E(1+x+Y|x) = 1+x + E[Y|x] = 1+x + 1+x = 2+2x$

$$E[Y|X=x] = \int_0^{\infty} y f(y|x) dy = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{2y(1+x)^2}{(1+x+y)^3} dy, \quad \text{let } u = 1+x+y$$

$$= \int_{1+x}^{\infty} \frac{2(1+x)^2}{u^3} (u-x-1) du$$

$$= \int_{1+x}^{\infty} \left( \frac{2(1+x)^2}{u^2} - \frac{2x(1+x)^2}{u^3} - \frac{2(1+x)^2}{u^3} \right) du$$

$$= 2(1+x)^2 \int_{1+x}^{\infty} \left( \frac{1}{u^2} - \frac{x}{u^3} - \frac{1}{u^3} \right) du$$

$$= 2(1+x)^2 \left( \frac{-1}{u} - \frac{-x}{2u^2} - \frac{-1}{2u^2} \right) \Big|_{1+x}^{\infty} = 2(1+x)^2 \left( \frac{1}{1+x} - \frac{x}{2(1+x)^2} - \frac{1}{2(1+x)^2} \right)$$

$$= 2(1+x) - x - 1 = 1+x$$

8. Let  $X$  and  $Y$  have the joint pmf  $p(x, y) = \frac{1}{7}, (0, 0), (1, 0), (0, 1), (1, 1), (2, 1), (1, 2), (2, 2)$ , zero elsewhere. Find the correlation coefficient  $\rho$ .

$$\rho = \frac{\text{Cov}(X, Y)}{\sigma_X \sigma_Y} = \frac{\frac{2}{7}}{\frac{4}{7}} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$P(X, Y) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{7}, (0, 0), (1, 0), (0, 1), (1, 1), (2, 1), (1, 2), (2, 2) \\ 0, \text{ else} \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Cov}(X, Y) &= E[(X - \mu_X)(Y - \mu_Y)] \\ &= E[XY] - E[X]E[Y] = \frac{9}{7} - 1 = \frac{2}{7} \end{aligned}$$

$$\sigma_X \sigma_Y = \sqrt{\frac{4}{7}} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{4}{7}} = \frac{4}{7}$$

$$E[XY] = 0 + 0 + 0 + \frac{1}{7} + \frac{2}{7} + \frac{2}{7} + \frac{4}{7} = \frac{9}{7}$$

$$P_X(x) = \begin{cases} P(X=0, Y=0) + P(X=0, Y=1) = \frac{2}{7}, & X=0 \\ P(X=1, Y=0) + P(X=1, Y=1) + P(X=1, Y=2) = \frac{3}{7}, & X=1 \\ P(X=2, Y=1) + P(X=2, Y=2) = \frac{2}{7}, & X=2 \end{cases}$$

$$E[X] = 0 \cdot \frac{2}{7} + 1 \cdot \frac{3}{7} + 2 \cdot \frac{2}{7} = \frac{7}{7} = 1$$

$$E[X^2] = 0 \cdot \frac{2}{7} + 1 \cdot \frac{3}{7} + 4 \cdot \frac{2}{7} = \frac{11}{7}$$

$$\sigma_X^2 = E[X^2] - E[X]^2 = \frac{11}{7} - 1 = \frac{4}{7}$$

$$P_Y(y) = \begin{cases} P(X=0, Y=0) + P(X=1, Y=0) = \frac{2}{7}, & Y=0 \\ P(X=0, Y=1) + P(X=1, Y=1) + P(X=2, Y=1) = \frac{3}{7}, & Y=1 \\ P(X=1, Y=2) + P(X=2, Y=2) = \frac{2}{7}, & Y=2 \end{cases}$$

$$E[Y] = 0 \cdot \frac{2}{7} + 1 \cdot \frac{3}{7} + 2 \cdot \frac{2}{7} = 1$$

$$E[Y^2] = 0 \cdot \frac{2}{7} + 1 \cdot \frac{3}{7} + 4 \cdot \frac{2}{7} = \frac{11}{7}$$

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