

**Problem 4.63**

$$EZ = 0$$

$$Z = g(X) = \log(X)$$

Since  $g(X)$  is concave:

$$E(g(X)) \leq g(EX)$$

$$0 \leq g(EX)$$

$$0 \leq \log(EX)$$

$$e^0 \leq e^{\log EX}$$

$$1 \leq EX$$

$EX > 1$  unless for every line  $a+bx$  that is tangent to  $g(X)$  at  $x = EX$ ,  $P(g(X) = a+bx) = 1$

$\log(x)$  is linear on an interval only if the interval is a single point

Thus  $EX > 1$  unless  $P(X = EX) = 1$

$$Z = \log(X)$$

$$EZ = 0$$

$$X = e^Z$$

$$g(z) = e^z$$

Since  $e^z$  is convex :

$$EX = E(g(Z)) \geq g(EZ)$$

$$EX \geq g(0) = e^0 = 1$$

$$E(X) \geq 1$$

$E(X) = 1$  iff there is an interval  $I$  with  $P(Z \in I) = 1$  and  $g(z)$  is linear on  $I$

$e^z$  is only linear on an interval if the interval is a single point

Thus  $E(X) > 1$  unless  $P(Z = EZ = 0) = 1$

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(a)

$$|a+b|^2 = (a+b)(a+b) = a^2 + 2ab + b^2$$

$$(|a| + |b|)^2 = |a|^2 + 2|ab| + |b|^2$$

$$a^2 + 2ab + b^2 \leq |a|^2 + 2|ab| + |b|^2$$

$$|a+b|^2 \leq (|a| + |b|)^2$$

$$\sqrt{|a+b|^2} \leq \sqrt{(|a|+|b|)^2}$$

$$|a+b| \leq |a|+|b|$$

(b)

WTS:  $E|X+Y| \leq E|X| + E|Y|$  $|X+Y| \leq |X| + |Y|$  plugging X and Y into the triangle inequality $E|X+Y| \leq E[|X| + |Y|]$  taking the expectation of both sides $E|X+Y| \leq E|X| + E|Y|$  by linearity of expectation**Problem 4.65**WTS:  $E(XY) \leq EXEY$  if X is nondecreasing, Y is nonincreasing $Cov(X, Y) = E(XY) - EXEY \leq 0$  since there is negative correlation between X and Y (or no correlation)Thus  $E(XY) \leq EXEY$ 

If X and Y are both nonincreasing or nondecreasing :

There is positive correlation (or no correlation)

 $Cov(X, Y) = E(XY) - EXEY \geq 0$ Thus  $E(XY) \geq EXEY$