

Recall that if x_1, \dots, x_d are indep, then $F_{x_1, \dots, x_d} = F_{x_1} \times \dots \times F_{x_d}$

and $f_{x_1, \dots, x_d} = f_{x_1} \times \dots \times f_{x_d}$.

Remark:-

If $(x, y) \sim N_2(0, 0, 1, 1, \rho)$, then $\rho = 0 \Rightarrow x \perp\!\!\!\perp y$

Example:-

$$S = \left\{ (x, y) : -\frac{1}{2} \leq x \leq \frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2} \leq y \leq \frac{1}{2} \right\}.$$

$(x, y) \sim \text{Uniform over } S$.

The joint density of (x, y) is

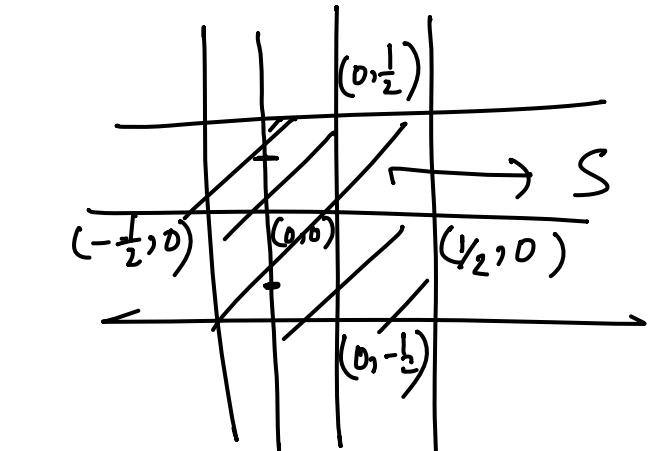
$$f_{x,y}(x, y) = 1 \quad \text{if } (x, y) \in S$$

$$= 0 \quad , \quad 0 \cdot \omega .$$

Marginal p.d.f. :-

$$f_x(x) = \int_{-\frac{1}{2}}^{\frac{1}{2}} 1 dy = 1 \quad \text{if } x \in \left[-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right].$$

$$\text{Similarly, } f_y(y) = \int_{-\frac{1}{2}}^{\frac{1}{2}} 1 dx = 1 \quad \text{if } y \in \left[-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right].$$



Observe that $\forall x, y$,
 $f_{x,y}(x, y) = f_x(x) \times f_y(y)$
 Hence, here $x \perp\!\!\!\perp y$.

Conditional distⁿ:- (Discrete case)

X : Discrete Random variable.

Y : Discrete Random variable.

Conditional p.m.f. of X given Y is defined as

$$P[X = x_i | Y = y_j] = \frac{P[X = x_i, Y = y_j]}{P[Y = y_j]}$$

Example:-

Recall that earlier example

Experiment:-

A coin is tossing thrice.

X : No. of heads in the first toss.

Y : Total no. of heads.

$y \backslash n$	0	1	2	3
0	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{3}{8}$	$\frac{3}{8}$	0
1	0	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{3}{8}$	$\frac{1}{8}$

Want to compute $P[X = 0 | Y = 1]$

$$= \frac{P[X = 0, Y = 1]}{P[Y = 1]} = \frac{\frac{1}{8}}{\frac{3}{8}} = \frac{2}{3}.$$

Continuous case:-

(X, Y) : Bivariate Random vector.

$\hookrightarrow f_{X,Y}$: Joint density of (X, Y) .

f_X : Marginal density of X .

f_Y : Marginal density of Y .

Now, the conditional density of $Y|X$ is defined as

$$f_{Y|X}(y|x) = \frac{f_{X,Y}(x,y)}{f_X(x)} \quad \textcircled{*}$$

Remark:— $X \perp\!\!\!\perp Y \Leftrightarrow f_{X,Y}(x,y) = f_X(x) f_Y(y) \quad \forall x, y$

Also, from $\textcircled{*}$, we have $f_{X,Y}(x,y) = f_X(x) f_{Y|X}(y|x)$

Hence $\textcircled{*}$ & $\textcircled{**}$ $\Rightarrow f_{Y|X}(y|x) = f_Y(y)$ if $X \perp\!\!\!\perp Y$.

Example:-

Suppose, $f_{x,y}(x,y) = \lambda^2 e^{-\lambda y}$, $0 \leq x \leq y < \infty$

$$f_x(x) = \int_x^\infty f_{x,y}(x,y) dy = \int_x^\infty \lambda^2 e^{-\lambda y} dy = \lambda \cdot e^{-\lambda x}, x \geq 0.$$

Marginal density of x

$$f_y(y) = \int_0^y f_{x,y}(x,y) dx = \int_0^y \lambda^2 e^{-\lambda y} dx = y \lambda^2 y \cdot e^{-\lambda y}.$$

Marginal density of y

Conditional density of $x|Y$ is

$$f_{x|y}(x|y) = \frac{f_{x,y}(x,y)}{f_y(y)} = \frac{\lambda^2 e^{-\lambda y}}{\lambda^2 y \cdot e^{-\lambda y}} = \frac{1}{y} \text{ if } 0 \leq x \leq y.$$

Example:-

Suppose $(x, y) \sim N_2(\mu_x, \mu_y, \sigma_x^2, \sigma_y^2, \rho)$.

Already we have seen

$$X \sim N(\mu_x, \sigma_x^2)$$

$$Y \sim N(\mu_y, \sigma_y^2).$$

Want to derive

$f_{Y|X=x}(y|x)$ [Conditional density of
Y given X].
Writing is
NOT perfect

$$f_{Y|X=x} = \frac{f_{X,Y}(x,y)}{f_X(x)} = \frac{\text{Joint density of } N_2(\mu_x, \mu_y, \sigma_x^2, \sigma_y^2, \rho)}{\text{Marginal density of } N(\mu_x, \sigma_x^2)}$$

$$z \sim N(\mu_z, \sigma_z^2) \quad e^{-\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{y-\mu_z}{\sigma_z} \right)^2}$$

$$f_z(z) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_z} e^{-\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{z-\mu_z}{\sigma_z} \right)^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_y \sqrt{1-\rho^2}}$$

$$\hookrightarrow N\left(\mu_y + \rho \frac{\sigma_y}{\sigma_x} (x - \mu_x), \sigma_y^2 (1 - \rho^2)\right)$$

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$$e^{-\left[\frac{1}{2\sigma_y^2(1-\rho^2)} \left\{ x - (\mu_y + \rho \frac{\sigma_y}{\sigma_x} (x - \mu_x)) \right\}^2 \right]}.$$

$$Y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x + \epsilon$$

$$E[Y|x] = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x + E[\epsilon|x]$$

Hence,

$$E[Y|x] = \mu_y + \beta \frac{\sigma_y}{\sigma_x} (x - \bar{x})$$

This is the definition of linear regression.

$$\text{Var}[Y|x] = \sigma_y^2 (1 - \beta^2) \cdot \left(\mu_y + \beta \frac{\sigma_y}{\sigma_x} x - \bar{x} \beta \frac{\sigma_y}{\sigma_x} \right)$$

Remark:-

Instead of defining model

in simple linear regression, one can define in the following way :-

$$(x, Y) \sim N_2 (\mu_x, \sigma_x^2, \sigma_{xy}, \sigma_y^2, \beta)$$

Then $E[Y|x]$ can be consider as the simple linear regression model.

$$\beta_0 = \mu_y - \bar{x} \beta$$

$$\beta_1 = \beta \frac{\sigma_y}{\sigma_x}$$

Expectation & Product Moments! -

$\underset{\sim}{X} : (x_1, \dots, x_d) : \text{Random vector of } d\text{-dimension.}$

$g(x_1, \dots, x_d) : \mathbb{R}^d \rightarrow \mathbb{R}.$

Discrete case

$$\sum_{x_1, \dots, x_d} g(x_1, \dots, x_d) P[x_1 = x_1, \dots, x_d = x_d]$$

p.m.f.

for continuous case,

$$E[g(x_1, \dots, x_d)] = \int \dots \int g(x_1, \dots, x_d) f_{x_1, \dots, x_d}(x_1, \dots, x_d)$$

p.d.f., $d x_1 d x_2 \dots d x_d$

provided $E|g(x_1, \dots, x_d)|$ exists.

$$\iint |g(x_1, \dots, x_d)| f_{x_1, \dots, x_d}(x_1, \dots, x_d) dx_1 \dots dx_d < \infty.$$

A few special cases:-