

Review:

$f(x,y)$ is the joint density

$$g(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x,y) dy$$

$$h(y) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x,y) dx$$

X & Y are independent if

$$f(x,y) = g(x)h(y) \quad \forall x,y$$

Defn: $f(x|y) = \frac{f(x,y)}{h(y)}$

Review: $E[g(X)] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(x)f(x)dx$

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Defn: Expectation for pairs
of random variables

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$$E[w(X,Y)] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} w(x,y) f(x,y) dx dy$$

Special cases:

$$E[XY] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} xy f(x,y) dx dy$$

$$E(X) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x f(x,y) dx dy$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left[\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x f(x, y) dy \right] dx \quad (3)$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x \left[\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x, y) dy \right] dx$$

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

Defn: Covariance of X and Y

$$\sigma_{xy} = \text{Cov}(X, Y) = E[(X - \mu_x)(Y - \mu_y)]$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} (x - \mu_x)(y - \mu_y) f(x, y) dx dy$$

Alternate formula for σ_{xy} :

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$$E[(X - \mu_x)(Y - \mu_y)]$$

$$= E[XY - \mu_y X - \mu_x Y + \mu_x \mu_y]$$

$$= E[XY] - \mu_y E[X] - \mu_x E[Y] + \mu_x \mu_y$$

$$= E[XY] - \mu_x \mu_y - \mu_x \mu_y + \mu_x \mu_y$$

$$= E[XY] - \mu_x \mu_y$$

$$\sigma_{xy} = E[XY] - E[X]E[Y]$$

Defn: Correlation between X and Y (5)

$$\rho_{xy} = \frac{\text{Cov}(X, Y)}{\sqrt{V(X) V(Y)}} = \frac{\sigma_{xy}}{\sigma_x \sigma_y}$$

Fact: $-1 \leq \rho_{xy} \leq 1$

Example: $f(x, y) = 8xy$
 $0 \leq y \leq x \leq 1$

Find the correlation between X and Y

$f(x, y) = 8xy \quad 0 \leq y \leq x \leq 1$ (6)

$$g(x) = 4x^3 \quad 0 \leq x \leq 1 \quad \int_0^x 8xy \, dy$$

$$h(y) = 4y(1-y^2) \quad 0 \leq y \leq 1 \quad \int_y^1 8xy \, dx$$

$$E[X] = 4/5 = \int_0^1 x \cdot 4x^3 \, dx$$

$$E[X^2] = 2/3 = \int_0^1 x^2 \cdot 4x^3 \, dx$$

$$E[Y] = 8/15 = \int_0^1 y \cdot 4y(1-y^2) \, dy$$

$$E[Y^2] = 1/3 = \int_0^1 y^2 \cdot 4y(1-y^2) \, dy$$

$$E[XY] = 4/9 = \int_0^1 \int_0^x xy \cdot 8xy \, dy \, dx$$

$$V(X) = E(X^2) - [E(X)]^2 \quad (7)$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} - \left(\frac{4}{5}\right)^2 = \frac{2}{75}$$

$$V(Y) = E(Y^2) - [E(Y)]^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} - \left(\frac{8}{15}\right)^2 = \frac{11}{225}$$

$$Cov(X, Y) = E(XY) - E(X)E(Y)$$

$$= \frac{4}{9} - \frac{4}{3} \cdot \frac{8}{15} = \frac{4}{225}$$

$$\rho_{XY} = \frac{Cov(X, Y)}{\sqrt{V(X)V(Y)}} = \frac{\frac{4}{225}}{\sqrt{\frac{2}{75} \cdot \frac{11}{225}}}$$

$$= .492$$

$$= \frac{2}{3}\sqrt{66}$$