

UNIT-III, TWO DIMENSIONAL RANDOM VARIABLES

PART-A

1. The bivariate random variable X and Y has the pdf

$$f(x,y) = \begin{cases} kx^2(8-y), & x < y < 2x \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad \text{find } k.$$

Ans:

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x,y) dy dx &= 1 \\ \iint_{0x}^{2x} kx^2(8-y) dy dx &= 1 \quad k \int_0^2 x^2 \left[8y - \frac{y^2}{2} \right]_x^{2x} dx = 1 \\ k \int_0^2 \left[16x^3 - \frac{4x^2}{2} - 8x^2 + \frac{x^4}{2} \right] dx &= 1 \quad k \int_0^2 \left[16x^3 - 2x^4 - 8x^3 + \frac{x^4}{2} \right] dx = 1 \\ k \int_0^2 \left[8x^3 - \frac{3x^4}{2} \right] dx &= 1 \quad k \left[\frac{8x^4}{4} - \frac{3x^5}{10} \right]_0^2 = 1 \\ k \left[\frac{48}{5} \right] &= 1 \quad k \left[\frac{112}{5} \right] = 1 \\ k \left[\frac{112}{5} \right] &= 1 \\ k &= \frac{5}{112} \end{aligned}$$

2. The joint pdf of random variable x and y is given by $f(x,y) = kxye^{-(x^2+y^2)}$, $x > 0, y > 0$ find the value of k .

Ans:

$$\iint_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x,y) dx dy = 1$$

$$\int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty kxye^{-(x^2+y^2)} dy dx = 1$$

$$k \int_0^\infty ye^{-y^2} dy \int_0^\infty xe^{-x^2} dx = 1 \quad \left| \int_0^\infty xe^{-x^2} dx = \frac{1}{2} \right|$$

$$k \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{2} = 1, k = 4$$

3. If X and Y have joint pdf $f(x,y) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } x+y < 1, 0 < x < 1, 0 < y < 1 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$. Check whether X and Y are independent.

Ans:

The marginal density of X is

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x,y) dy & f(x) &= \int_0^1 (x+y) dy \\ f(x) &= \left[xy + \frac{y^2}{2} \right]_0^1 & f(x) &= x + \frac{1}{2} \\ f(y) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x,y) dx & f(y) &= \int_0^1 (x+y) dx \\ f(y) &= \left[\frac{x^2}{2} + xy \right]_0^1 & f(y) &= \frac{1}{2}y \\ f(x)f(y) &= \left(x + \frac{1}{2} \right) \left(y + \frac{1}{2} \right) & f(x)f(y) &\neq f(x,y) \end{aligned}$$

4. Let X and Y have j.d.f $f(x,y) = 2, 0 < x < y < 1$. Find m.d.f Ans:

Marginal density of X is given by

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(x) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x,y) dy \\
 &= \int_x^1 2 dy \\
 &= 2[y]_x^1 \\
 &= 2(1-x), 0 < x < 1.
 \end{aligned}$$

Marginal density function of Y is given by

$$f(y) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x,y) dx = \int_0^y 2x dx = 2[x]_0^y = 2y, 0 < y < 1.$$

5. The j.d.f. of the random variables X and Y is given by
 $f(x,y) = \begin{cases} 8xy, & 0 < x < 1, 0 < y < x \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$. find f(x).

Ans:

$$\begin{aligned}
 f_x(x) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x,y) dy \\
 &= \int_0^x 8xy dy = 8x \left[\frac{y^2}{2} \right]_0^x \\
 &= 8x \left[\frac{x^2}{2} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$f_x(x) = 4x^3, 0 < x < 1$$

6. Given $f(x,y) = \begin{cases} cx(x-y), & 0 < x < 2, -x < y < x \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$, find c.

Ans:

$$\iint_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x,y) dy dx = 1$$

$$\int_{-x}^{2x} \int_0^y cx(x-y) dy dx = 1$$

$$c \int_0^2 \left[xy - x \cdot \frac{y^2}{2} \right]_x^y dx = 1$$

$$c \int_0^2 \left[x^3 - \frac{x^2}{2} + x^3 + \frac{x^3}{2} \right] dx = 1$$

$$c \int_0^2 2x^3 dx = 1$$

$$2c \left[\frac{x^4}{4} \right]_0^2 = 1 \quad 2c \left[\frac{16}{4} \right] = 1 \quad c = \frac{1}{8}$$

6. The joint p.d.f. of a bivariate random variable (X, Y) is given by

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} kxy, & 0 < x < 1, 0 < y < 1 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}, \text{ find } k.$$

Ans:

$$\iint_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x, y) dx dy = 1$$

$$\iint_{00}^{11} kxy dx dy = 1 \quad k \left[\frac{x^2}{2} - y \right]_0^1 = 1$$

$$k \int_0^1 -\frac{y}{2} dy = 1 \quad k \left[-\frac{y^2}{4} \right]_0^1 = 1$$

$$k = 4$$

7. If the joint pdf of (x, y) is $f(x, y) = \frac{1}{4}$, $0 < x, y < 1$, find $P(x+y \leq 1)$.

Ans:

$$P(X+Y \leq 1) = P(X \leq 1-Y)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \iint_{00}^{11-y} f(x,y) dx dy \\
 &= \iint_{00}^{11-y} \frac{1}{4} dx dy = \frac{1}{4} \left[x \right]_0^{11-y} dy \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} \int_0^1 (1-y) dy = \frac{1}{4} \left[y - \frac{y^2}{2} \right]_0^1 \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} \left[1 - \frac{1}{2} \right] = \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{8}
 \end{aligned}$$

8. Two random variables X and Y have joint pdf $f(x,y) = \begin{cases} 96 & \text{if } xy, 0 < x < 4, 1 < y < 5 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$, find $E(X)$.

Ans:

$$\begin{aligned}
 E(X) &= \iint_{-\infty}^{\infty} x f(x,y) dx dy \\
 &= \iint_{10}^{54} x \cdot 96 dx dy \\
 &= \frac{1}{96} \int_1^5 y \cdot 3 \left[x^3 \right]_0^4 dy \\
 &= \frac{1}{96} \int_1^5 y^2 \left[\frac{x^5}{5} \right]_0^4 dy \\
 &= \frac{1}{96} \int_1^5 y^2 \left[\frac{1}{5} \cdot 4^5 \right] dy \\
 &= \frac{1}{96} \cdot \frac{1}{5} \cdot 4^5 \left[\frac{y^3}{3} \right]_1^5 \\
 &= \frac{1}{9} \left[\frac{25}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{9} (24) \\
 &= \frac{8}{3}.
 \end{aligned}$$

9. Let X be a random variable with pdf $f(x) = \frac{1}{2}$, $-1 \leq x \leq 1$, and let $Y = X^2$, find $E(Y)$.

Ans:

$$Y = x^2$$

$$E(Y) = E(x^2)$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^2 f(x) dx = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^2 \left| \frac{1}{2} \right| dx = \frac{1}{2} \left| \frac{x^3}{3} \right|_{-1}^1 = \frac{1}{2} (2) = \frac{1}{3}$$

10. If the joint pdf of (x, y) is given by $f(x, y) = x + y$, $0 \leq x, y \leq 1$. Find $E(XY)$.

Ans:

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

$$= \iint_0^1 xy(x+y) dx dy$$

$$= \iint_0^1 (x^2 y + xy^2) dx dy$$

$$= \left| \int_0^1 x^3 y + \frac{x^2}{2} y^2 \right|_0^1 dy$$

$$= \int_0^1 \left| y^2 + \frac{y^3}{3} \right|_0^1 dy$$

$$= \left| \frac{y^2}{2} + \frac{y^3}{6} \right|_0^1 = \frac{1}{6} \cdot 3$$

11. Find the acute angle between the two lines of regression Ans:

$$\tan \theta = \frac{1 - r^2}{r} \sqrt{\frac{\sigma_x \sigma_y}{\sigma_x^2 + \sigma_y^2}}$$

The acute angle between the two lines of regression is $\tan \theta =$

12. State the equation of the two regression lines. What is the formula for correlation coefficient Ans:

$$X \text{ on } Y \text{ is } (\bar{x} - x) = b_{xy} (\bar{y} - y) \text{ and } Y \text{ on } X \text{ is } (\bar{y} - y) = b_{yx} (\bar{x} - x).$$

Correlation coefficient $r = \sqrt{\mathbf{b}_{xy} \cdot \mathbf{b}_{yx}}$.

13. If X and Y are independent random variables with variance 2 and 3. Find the variance of $3X+4Y$. Ans:

$$Var(x) = 2, Var(y) = 3$$

$$\begin{aligned} Var(3X+4Y) &= 3^2 Var(X) + 4^2 Var(Y) \\ &= 9Var(X) + 16Var(Y) \\ &= 9*2 + 16*3 \\ &= 66 \end{aligned}$$

14. The joint pdf of (X, Y) is given by $e^{-(x+y)}$, $0 < x, y < \infty$. Are X and Y independent? Ans :

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x, y) dy \\ &= \int_0^{\infty} e^{-x} e^{-y} dy \\ &= e^{-x} \left(-e^{-y}\right) \Big|_0^{\infty} = -e^{-x}(0-1) = e^{-x}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(y) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x, y) dx \\ &= \int_0^{\infty} e^{-x} e^{-y} dx \\ &= e^{-y} \left(-e^{-x}\right) \Big|_0^{\infty} = -e^{-y}(0-1) = e^{-y}. \end{aligned}$$

$$f(x)f(y) = e^{-x}e^{-y} = e^{-(x+y)} = f(x, y) \quad \text{Therefore, } X \text{ and } Y \text{ are independent.}$$

15. The two lines of regression are $8x - 10y + 66 = 0$, $40x - 18y - 214 = 0$. Find the mean value of X and Y .

Ans:

$$8x - 10y = -66 \quad (1)$$

$$40x - 18y = 214 \quad (2)$$

Solving (1) and (2), we get $x = 104, y = 17$

Mean of $X = 13$

Mean of $Y = 17$.

16. The two regression lines are $x = \frac{9}{20}y + \frac{107}{20}$, $y = \frac{4}{5}x + \frac{33}{5}$. Find correlation coefficient?

Ans:

$$r = \sqrt{\frac{b_{xy} \cdot b_{yx}}{b_x^2 \cdot b_y^2}}$$

Here, $b_x = \frac{9}{20}$, $b_y = \frac{4}{5}$

$$r = \sqrt{\frac{20 \cdot 5}{\frac{9}{20} \cdot \frac{4}{5}}} = 0.6$$

17. If the pdf of X is $f(x) = 2x$, $0 < x < 1$. Find the pdf of $y = 3x + 1$.

Ans:

$$\text{Given } y = 3x + 1$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 3 \Rightarrow dx = \frac{1}{3} dy$$

$$\begin{aligned} f_y(y) &= f(x) \left| \frac{dx}{dy} \right| \\ &= 2x \left| \frac{1}{3} \right| \\ &= 2 \left(\frac{y-1}{3} \right) \left| \frac{1}{3} \right| \\ &= \frac{2}{9}(y-1). \end{aligned}$$

$$Y = 3X + 1, \quad 3X = Y - 1, \quad X = \frac{Y-1}{3}$$

When $x=0, y=1$

$$\text{When } x=1, y=4 \quad f(y) = \frac{2}{9}(y-1), \quad 1 < y < 4$$

18. State Central Limit theorem.

Lapounoff's form:

If X_i ($i = 1, 2, \dots, n$) be n independent random variables such that

$$E(X) = \mu \quad \text{and} \quad \text{Var}(X) = \sigma^2,$$

then under certain general conditions, the random variable

$S_n = X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_n$ is

asymptotically normal with mean μ and standard deviation σ .
