

- Algebra of Expectations + Variances -

Read Chapter 7, pp. 220 - 235 (Ash)

Ignore anything with integral signs.

Properties of Expectation p. 220 $E(k) = k$, $E(X+Y) = E(X) + E(Y)$, $E(kX) = kE(X)$

We have proved (3) (p. 78 top), and (4) in class.

Proof of (2): $E(k)$ refers to a random variable ^(call it X) which takes on the single value k , with probability 1. $P(X=k) = 1$. $E(X) = k \cdot P(X=k) = k$.

Proof of (5): If X and Y are independent then $E(XY) = E(X) \cdot E(Y)$.

Recall X and Y indep. means $P(X=x \text{ and } Y=y) = P(X=x) \cdot P(Y=y)$.

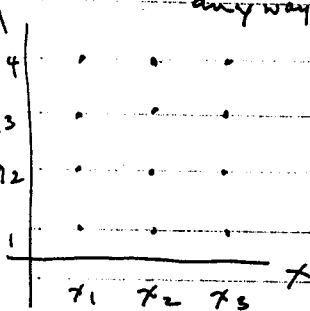
$$\text{Now } E(XY) = \sum_{x,y} xy P(X=x \text{ and } Y=y)$$

independence.

$$\therefore = \sum_{x,y} xy P(X=x) \cdot P(Y=y)$$

Summing overall points: any way you like

y_4
 y_3
 y_2
 y_1



$$= \sum_{x,y} [x P(X=x) \cdot (y P(Y=y))]$$

$$= \sum_{x=x_1}^{x_n} \sum_{y=y_1}^{y_m} [x_i P(X=x_i) \cdot y_j P(Y=y_j)]$$

Then add those for all x_i .
Sum down each column.

$$= \sum_{x=x_1}^{x_n} \left[x_i P(X=x_i) \sum_{y=y_1}^{y_m} y_j P(Y=y_j) \right]$$

this is constant within a single column.

$$= \sum_{x=x_1}^{x_n} [x_i P(X=x_i) \cdot E(Y)]$$

$$= E(Y) \cdot \sum_{x=x_1}^{x_n} x_i P(X=x_i)$$

$$= E(Y) \cdot E(X) = E(X) \cdot E(Y)$$

Let $a_i = P(X=x_i)$
 $b_j = P(Y=y_j)$
 $\sum_{i,j} [a_i b_j]$

$$= \sum_i \sum_j a_i b_j$$

$$= \sum_i a_i \sum_j b_j$$

(Let $\sum_j b_j = B$)

$$= \sum_i a_i B$$

(Let $\sum_i a_i = A$)

$$= BA$$

Var X = $E(X^2) - (EX)^2$ p. 225. Know proof!

$E(X^2) - \mu_x^2 = (E(X - \mu_x)^2)$ - a remarkable "coincidence"

Note $E(X^2) = \text{Var } X + \mu_x^2$

$\text{COV}(X, Y) = E(X - \mu_x)(Y - \mu_y) = E(XY) - \mu_x \mu_y$ p. 226 - know proof.

If X and Y are indep, $E(XY) = E(X) \cdot E(Y) = \mu_x \mu_y$, so $\text{COV}(X, Y) = 0$.

$\text{Var}(X+Y) = \text{Var } X + \text{Var } Y + 2 \text{cov}(X, Y)$ (p. 227 - version for n) - see proof for 2 next p.

If X and Y are indep, then $\text{Var}(X+Y) = \text{var } X + \text{var } Y$ (since $\text{cov}(X, Y) = 0$)

$$\text{Var}(X+Y) = \text{Var}(X) + \text{Var}(Y) + 2\text{Cov}(X, Y)$$

Proof: Ash does it using $E(X^2) - \mu_x^2$ for $\text{Var}(X)$. I'll use the def. of Var .

Let $W = X+Y$. $\mu_w = E(W) = E(X+Y) = \mu_x + \mu_y$.

$$\text{Var}(X+Y) = \text{Var}(W) = E(W - \mu_w)^2$$

$$= E[(X+Y) - (\mu_x + \mu_y)]^2 = E[(X - \mu_x) + (Y - \mu_y)]^2 \quad (a+b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2$$

$$= E[(X - \mu_x)^2 + 2(X - \mu_x)(Y - \mu_y) + (Y - \mu_y)^2]$$

$$= E(X - \mu_x)^2 + 2E[(X - \mu_x)(Y - \mu_y)] + E(Y - \mu_y)^2$$

$$= \text{var } X + 2\text{Cov}(X, Y) + \text{var } Y$$

For more than 2, you have to keep track of the cross-products.

p228 $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Var } k = 0, \text{ and if } \text{Var } X = 0, X \text{ is constant} \\ \text{Var}(aX + b) = a^2 \text{Var } X \\ \text{Var}(-X) = \text{Var } X, \text{ so if } X \& Y \text{ are indep, } \text{Var}(X - Y) = \text{Var}(X) + \text{Var}(Y) \end{array} \right.$

Mean + Variance of Binomial pp 229-30. Moore does the same.
 np npq

ex. 2 p230 Variance of hypergeometric (I'll do derivation)

Draw n from N ; D "defectives" - $X = \#$ of successes (defectives)

$$E(X) = n \cdot \frac{D}{N}, \text{ drawing with or without replacement.}$$

$$\text{Var } X = n \cdot \frac{D}{N} \cdot \left(\frac{N-D}{N}\right) \cdot \left(\frac{N-n}{N-1}\right) \text{ without replacement.}$$

If we let $p = \frac{D}{N}, q = \frac{N-D}{N}$,

$$\text{Var } X = npq \cdot \left(\frac{N-n}{N-1}\right) \text{ "finite population correction"}$$

p235 $\frac{\text{Cov}(X, Y)}{\sigma_x \sigma_y} = \rho(X, Y)$ - "correlation of X, Y " - theoretical version of r .

HW: 7-1 (p.223) #14, 7-2 (p.233) 1, 3, 6a, 7, 8, 9 (proofs!) 10 (use $E(X^2) = \text{Var } X + \mu_x^2$)
 To be assigned 13, 14 (check $\text{Var } X$ with Hypergeom. formula), 16a, (16/17 optional) 19b (use p.82 + $\text{Var}(\text{geom}) = \frac{q}{p^2}$)

a) Show how to find $\text{Var}(X)$ if you know $E(X(X-1))$ and $E(X)$. (Use ch 7-1(3) + 2(3))

b) For the Poisson distribution, find $E(X(X-1))$, then $\text{Var } X$

x	0	1	2	3
$P(X=x)$	$e^{-\lambda}$	$\lambda e^{-\lambda}$?	?
$x(x-1)$	0	0	2 \cdot 1	3 \cdot 2
$x(x-1) \cdot P(X=x)$	0	0	?	?