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STA 302 f2015 Quiz 1

$$\begin{split} E(X) &= \sum_{x} p_{X}(x) & E(X) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x f_{X}(x) \, dx \\ E(g(X)) &= \sum_{x} g(x) p_{X}(x) & E(g(X)) = \sum_{x_{1}} \cdots \sum_{x_{p}} g(x_{1}, \dots, x_{p}) p_{X}(x_{1}, \dots, x_{p}) \\ E(g(X)) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(x) f_{X}(x) \, dx & E(g(X)) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \cdots \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(x_{1}, \dots, x_{p}) \, dx_{1} \dots \, dx_{p} \\ E(\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{i}X_{i}) &= \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{i}E(X_{i}) & Var(X) = E\left((X - \mu_{X})^{2}\right) \\ Cov(X, Y) &= E\left((X - \mu_{X})(Y - \mu_{Y})\right) & Corr(X, Y) = \frac{Cov(X, Y)}{\sqrt{Var(X)Var(Y)}} \end{split}$$

1. (5 points) Let X and Y be random variables, with $E(X) = \mu_x$, $E(Y) = \mu_y$, $Var(X) = \sigma_x^2$, $Var(Y) = \sigma_y^2$, $Cov(X, Y) = \sigma_{xy}$ and $Corr(X, Y) = \rho_{xy}$. Let a, b, c and d be constants. Find Cov(aX + b, cY + d). Show your work.

 $E(aX+b) = a\mu_{x}+b, E(cY+d) = c\mu_{y}+d, so$ Cov(aX+b, cY+d) $= E\{(aX+b-(a\mu_{x}+b))(cY+d-(c\mu_{y}+d))\}$ $= E\{a(X-\mu_{x})c(Y-\mu_{y})\}$ $= ac E\{(X-\mu_{x})(Y-\mu_{y})\}$ $= ac E\{(X-\mu_{x})(Y-\mu_{y})\}$

2. (3 points) Let A and B be 2×2 matrices. Give a simple numerical example in which $AB \neq BA$. Carry out the multiplication in both orders, showing $AB \neq BA$.



3. (2 points) Let X be an n by p matrix with $n \neq p$. Why is it incorrect to say that $(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1} = \mathbf{X}^{-1}\mathbf{X}'^{-1}$?

X is not a square matrix, so the inverse is not defined.

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