

MULTIPLE CONTINUOUS r.v

- JCFD (joint CDF) for r.v X & Y:
 $F_{X,Y}(x,y) = P[X \leq x, Y \leq y]$

- JPDF : $f_{X,Y}(x,y) = \frac{\partial^2 F_{X,Y}(x,y)}{\partial x \partial y}$

Marginal pdf

- X, Y r.v's with JPDF $f_{X,Y}(x,y)$.
- the marginal pdf of X is just $f_X(x)$:

$$f_X(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_{X,Y}(x,y) dy$$

- Similarly for the marginal pdf of Y:

$$f_Y(y) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_{X,Y}(x,y) dx$$

Functions of 2 r.v's

- 2 r.v's X, Y with JPDF $f_{X,Y}(x,y)$.

We may be interested in some function
 $W = g(X,Y)$

- To determine the corresponding pdf and cdf of W : $f_W(w)$, and $F_W(w)$.

Expectation Values for 2 r.v's X & Y with respect to JPDF $f_{X,Y}(x,y)$

- $E[W]=E[g(X,Y)]$ - w.r.t JPDF $f_{X,Y}(x,y)$
- $E[X+Y] = E[X] + E[Y]$

- **COVARIANCE** $Cov[X,Y] = E[X.Y] - \mu_X \mu_Y$

- **CORRELATION COEFFICIENT**

$$-1 \leq \rho_{X,Y} = \frac{Cov[X,Y]}{\sigma_X \cdot \sigma_Y} \leq 1$$

CONDITIONAL PDF

- $f_{Y|X}(y|x) = \frac{f_{X,Y}(x,y)}{f_X(x)}$
- conditional expectation value of $g(X,Y)$ given y : will use conditional pdf $f_{X|Y}(x|y)$

INDEPENDENT R.V's

- X, Y are independent \Leftrightarrow

$$f_{X,Y}(x,y) = f_X(x) \cdot f_Y(y)$$

- X, Y indep. then $Cov[X,Y] = 0$
 - $E[g(X) \cdot h(Y)] = E[g(X)] \cdot E[h(Y)]$
 - $Var[X+Y] = Var[X] + Var[Y]$

JOINTLY GAUSSIAN R.V's

- *Jointly Gaussian* : if all the marginal PDF's of the r.v's are Gaussian
- bivariate Gaussian PDF (2 r.v's) :
 - marginal PDF's $f_X(x)$, $f_Y(y)$
 - conditional PDF of Y given X
 - correlation coefficient $\rho_{X,Y}$
