

Mathematics for AI

Lecture 21

Joint distribution, Marginal Distribution, Conditional Distribution,
Probabilistic Modeling, Generative vs Discriminative Models

Adding two random variables (general case)



X: How many Mehran sells

Y: How " " Milad sells

Z: How many both sell

$Z = X + Y = ?$ (what if they are not independent?)

$Z = f(X, Y) = ?$ $p(X)$ & $p(Y)$ won't help!

		X					
		0	1	2			
Y	0	0.05	0.06	0.1	Z = X + Y	0	$p = 0.05$
	1	0.12	0.03	0.2		1	$p = 0.06 + 0.12$
	2	0.07	0.3	0.07		2	$p = 0.1 + 0.03 + 0.07$
						3	$p = 0.3 + 0.2$
					4	$p = 0.07$	

Joint Distribution
 $p(x, y)$

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How the first and second scenarios differ?

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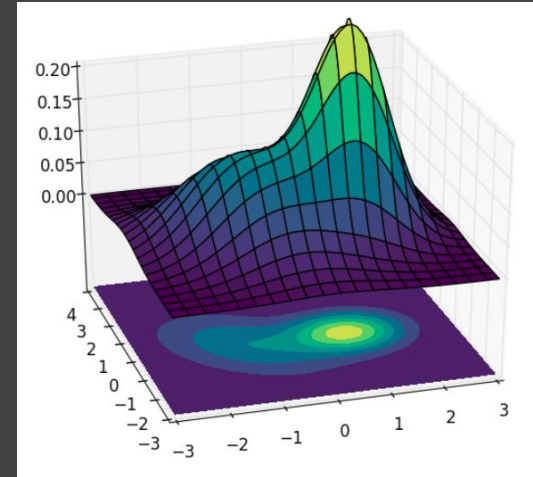
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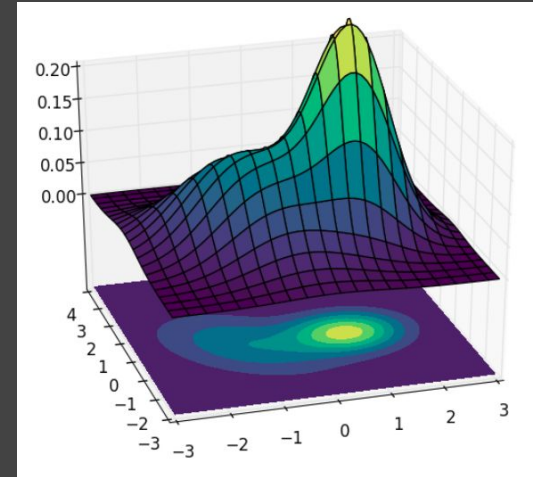
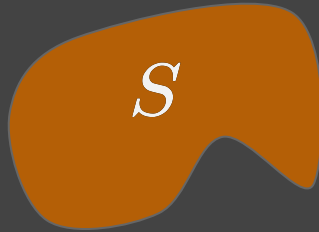
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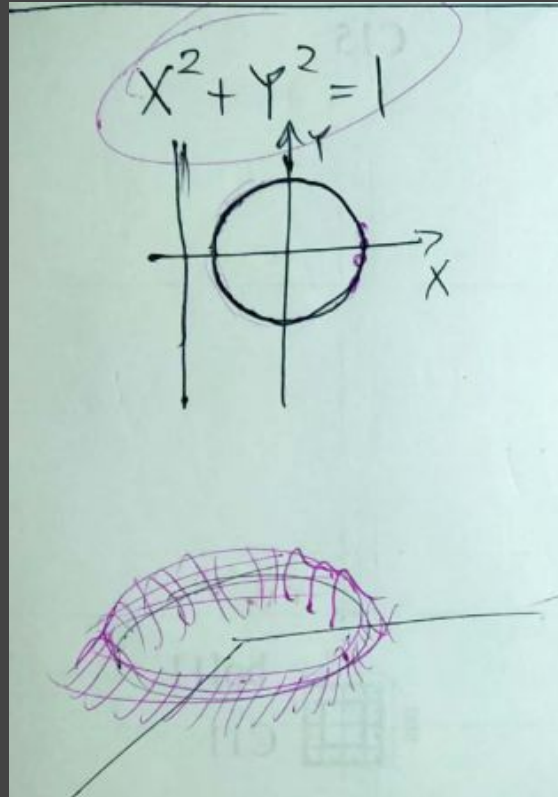
$$\Pr((x, y) \in S) = \int_S p(x, y) dx dy$$



Generalize Relations



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Probabilistic Modelling

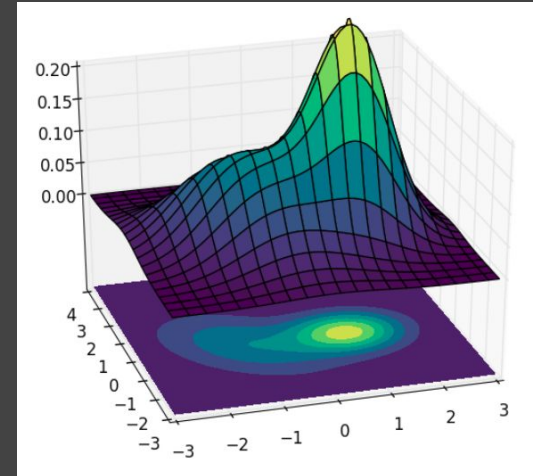
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 - Find the most likely configuration of system variables

$$x^*, y^*, z^* = \arg \max_{x,y,z} p(x, y, z)$$



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$$x, y = \arg \max_{x, y} p(x, y, z_0)$$

Generative Model



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1. learning/modeling:

- find $p(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m, y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n)$

2. prediction/testing

$$y_1^*, y_2^*, \dots, y_n^* = \arg \max_{y_1, \dots, y_n} p(x_1, \dots, x_m, y_1, \dots, y_n)$$

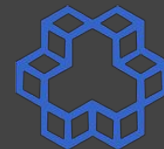


Example:

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$$\Pr(R = r)$$

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	0.85	0.15



Marginal Distribution

- Discrete: probability mass function $p(m,n) = \Pr(M=m, N=n)$

$$p(m) = \Pr(M = m) = \sum_n p(m, n)$$

- Continuous: probability density function $p(x,y)$

$$p(x) = \int p(x, y) dy$$

Marginal Probability



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$P(x, y)$	$x = 0$	$x = 1$	$x = 2$	row sum
$y = 0$	0.32	0.03	0.01	0.36
$y = 1$	0.06	0.24	0.02	0.32
$y = 2$	0.02	0.03	0.27	0.32
col sum	0.40	0.30	0.30	checksum = 1.0

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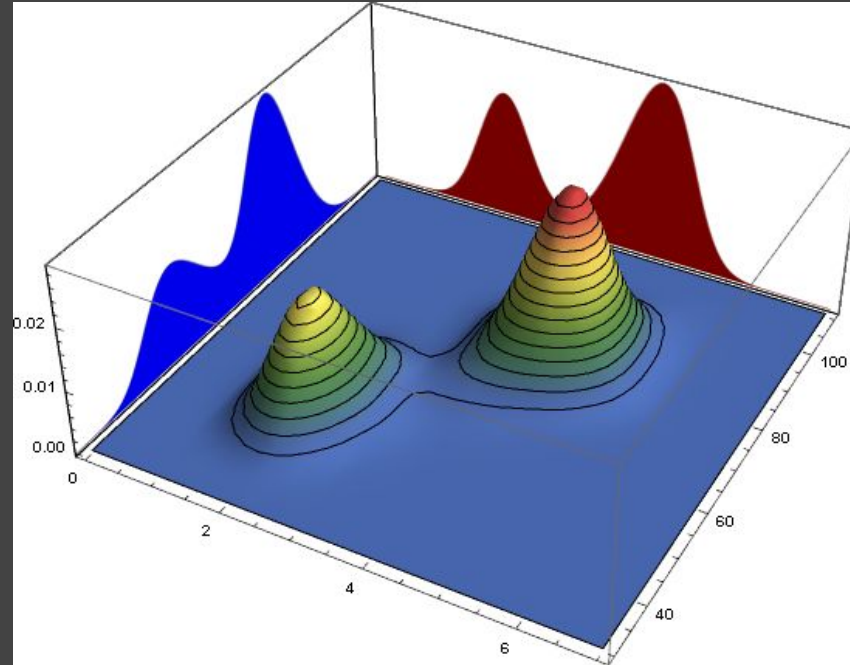


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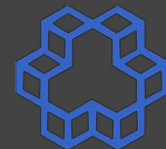
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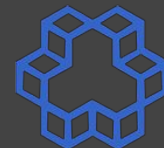
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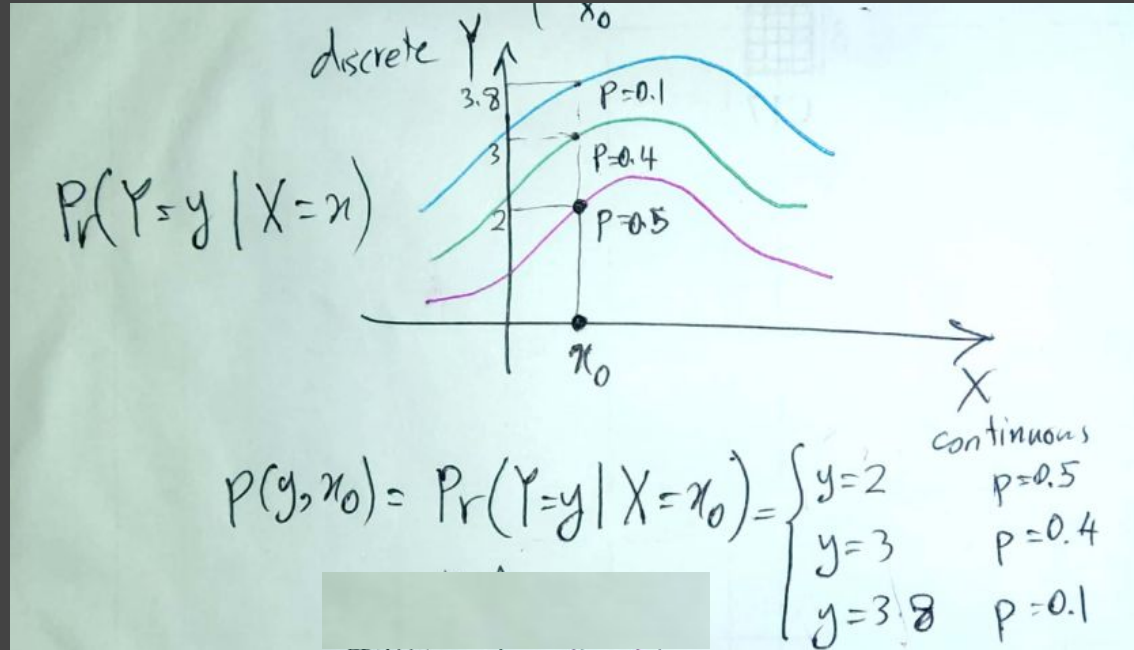
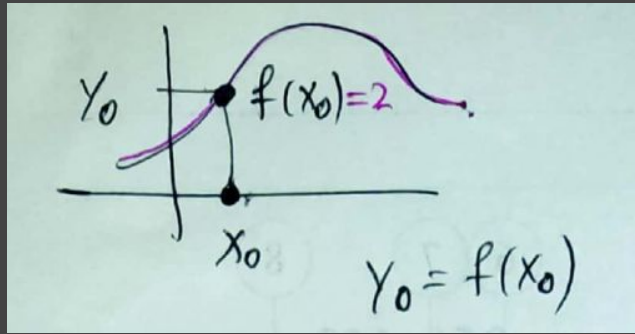
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Generalize Functions



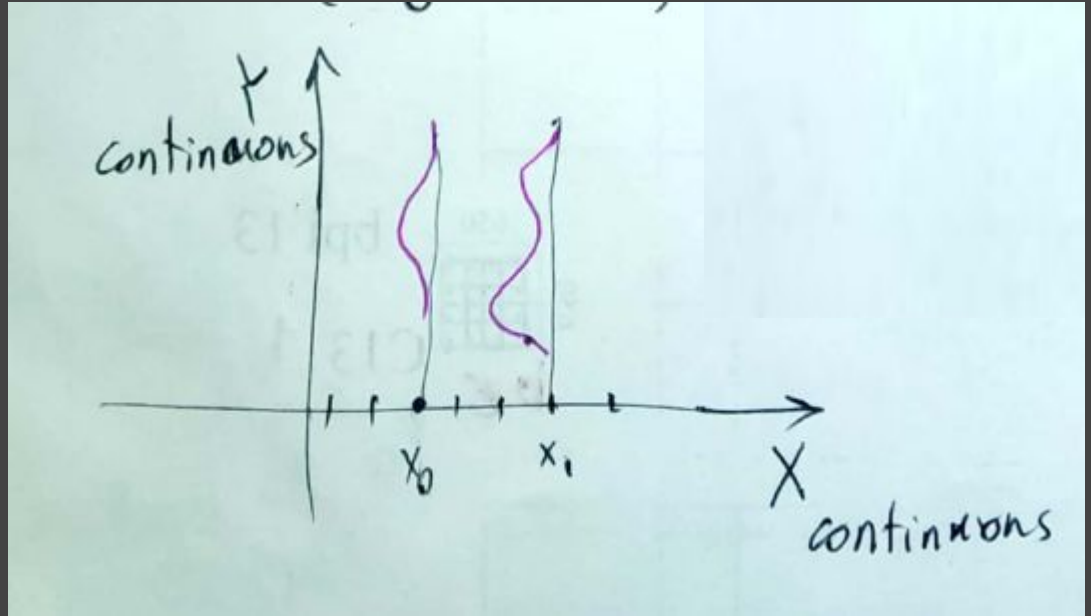
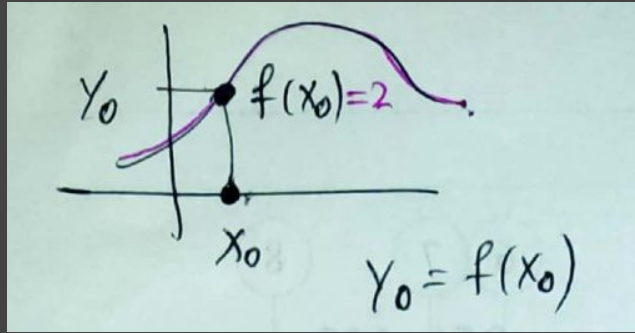
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Discriminative Model



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Generative: $p(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m, y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n)$

Discriminative: $p(y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n \mid x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m)$

Discriminative Model



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Generative: $p(X, Y)$

Discriminative: $p(Y|X)$

$$P(X, Y) = P(Y|X) P(X)$$

$$P(Y|X) = \frac{P(X, Y)}{P(X)} = \frac{P(X, Y)}{\sum_{Y'} P(X, Y')}$$