

# SOME HINTS TO HW #5

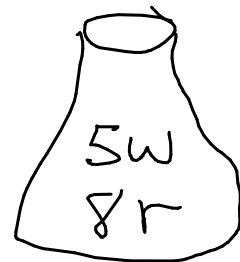
$$\boxed{1} \quad X_1 = \mathbb{1}_{\{\text{1st ball is white}\}} \\ = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if 1st ball w} \\ 0, & \text{if 1st ball r} \end{cases}$$

$$X_2 = \mathbb{1}_{\{\text{2nd ball is white}\}} \\ = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{2nd ball w} \\ 0, & \text{2nd ball r} \end{cases}$$

Choosing without replacement implies  $|\Omega| = 13 \times 12$

We need to fill in  $2 \times 2$  table

$x_1 \backslash x_2$	0	1	$f_{X_1}$
0	$f(0,0)$	$f(0,1)$	?
1	$f(1,0)$	$f(1,1)$	?
$f_{X_2}$	?	?	1



For instance:

$$f(0,1) = \mathbb{P}(X_1=0, X_2=1) = \mathbb{P}(\text{1st ball r, 2nd ball w}) \\ = 8 \times 5 / 156 = 10/39$$

Then compute  $\mathbb{E}(X_1) = 0 \cdot f_{X_1}(0) + 1 \cdot f_{X_1}(1) = f_{X_1}(1) = ?$

Also  $\mathbb{E}(X_2) = \dots = \mathbb{E}(X_1)$ , and  $\mathbb{E}(X_1 X_2) = \sum_{x_1} \sum_{x_2} x_1 x_2 f_{X_1, X_2}(x_1, x_2) \\ = \dots = f(1,1) = ?$

and  $\text{Var}(X_1) = \text{Var}(X_2) = ?$

$$\text{Finally } \rho(X_1, X_2) = \frac{\text{Cov}(X_1, X_2)}{\text{Var}(X_1)} = \dots = -1/12.$$

Does it make sense that  $\rho(X_1, X_2) < 0$ ?

$\boxed{4}$  Since  $X_2 \in \{0,1\}$ , it is enough to compute  $\mathbb{E}(X_1 | X_2=0)$  and  $\mathbb{E}(X_1 | X_2=1)$ . So, we need  $f_{X_1|X_2}(x_1 | X_2=0)$  and  $f_{X_1|X_2}(x_1 | X_2=1)$  for  $x_1 \in \{0,1\}$ .

$$\text{For instance, } f_{X_1|X_2}(0|1) = \frac{f_{X_1, X_2}(0,1)}{f_{X_2}(1)} = \frac{10/39}{f_{X_2}(1)} = ?$$

and so on...