

$$\begin{aligned} X \text{ term: } -2a + 3b &= -2 \\ Y \text{ term: } -8b + 3a &= 3 \end{aligned} \Rightarrow b = 0 \quad a = 1$$

$$\text{Constant term: } a^2 - 3ab + 4b^2 = 1 \quad \checkmark$$

$$f_{XY} = \frac{1}{2\pi c_x c_y} e^{-\frac{1}{2} ((x-1)^2 - 3(x-1)y + 4y^2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma_x \sigma_y \sqrt{1-p^2} = C \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \sigma_y^2 = \frac{4}{7} \\ \sigma_x^2 = \frac{16}{7} \\ C = \frac{2}{\sqrt{7}} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \frac{1}{2(1-p^2) \sigma_x^2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \frac{1}{2(1-p^2) \sigma_y^2} = \frac{4}{2}$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad \frac{2p}{2(1-p^2)} \times \frac{1}{\sigma_x \sigma_y} = \frac{3}{2} \quad p = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\textcircled{4}^2 / \textcircled{2} \textcircled{3} \Rightarrow p^2 = \frac{9}{16} \xrightarrow{\text{by } \textcircled{4}} p = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Substitute } p \text{ into } \textcircled{2} &\Rightarrow \sigma_x^2 = \frac{16}{7} \\ p \text{ into } \textcircled{3} &\Rightarrow \sigma_y^2 = \frac{4}{7} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{from } \textcircled{1} \Rightarrow C = \frac{2}{\sqrt{7}}$$

$$\Rightarrow m_X = 1, m_Y = 0 \quad \sigma_x^2 = \frac{16}{7}, \sigma_y^2 = \frac{4}{7} \quad C = \frac{2}{\sqrt{7}} \quad p = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\text{Cov}(X, Y) = \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{8}{7}$$

\* 2-dim Joint Gsn R.V.  $(X, Y)$

$S_{XY} : \{ \text{all real 2-dim vectors} \}$

$$f_{XY}(x, y) = \frac{1}{2\pi \sigma_x \sigma_y \sqrt{1-\rho^2}} \cdot \frac{\left(\frac{x-m_x}{\sigma_x}\right)^2 - 2\rho \left(\frac{x-m_x}{\sigma_x}\right) \left(\frac{y-m_y}{\sigma_y}\right) + \left(\frac{y-m_y}{\sigma_y}\right)^2}{\geq (1-\rho^2)}$$

\* Properties of joint Gsn R.V.s.

$$\textcircled{1} \quad E(X) = m_x, \quad \text{Var}(X) = \sigma_x^2$$

$$\text{Cov}(X, Y) = \rho \cdot \sigma_x \cdot \sigma_y$$

\textcircled{2} The marginal distribution of  $X$  is Gsn, The marginal distribution of  $Y$

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Gsn. Moreover, any linear

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Combination of  $X \& Y$  is (joint) Gsnex:  $Z = 3X + 4Y$  is Gsn $W = 2X - Y$  is Gsn  
&  $(Z, W)$  are joint GsnEx:  $X, Y$  are joint Gsnwith  $m_X = 1, m_Y = 0, \sigma_X = 1, \sigma_Y = 2$ 

$$\rho = -0.5$$

Q: marginal pdf of  $Y = ?$ 

$$(y-0)^2$$

Ans: by ②  $\Rightarrow f_Y(y) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \cdot 2^2} e^{-\frac{(y-0)^2}{2 \cdot 2^2}}$

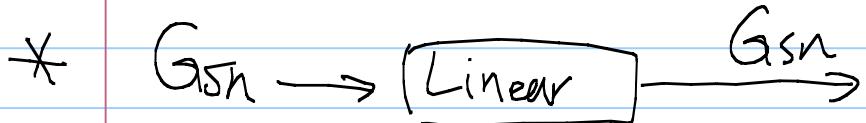
Q:  $Z = 3X + 4Y$ . Find  $m_Z, \sigma_Z$ .

Ans:  $m_Z = 3m_X + 4m_Y = 3 \cdot 1 + 4 \cdot 0 = 3$

$$\sigma_Z^2 = 3^2 \text{Var}(X) + 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 4 \text{Cov}(X, Y) + 4^2 \text{Var}(Y)$$

$$= 9 \cdot 1 + 24 \cdot (-0.5 \cdot 1 \cdot 2) + 16 \cdot 4$$

$$= 49$$



\* The benefit of working on a  $G_{SN}$  is that we only need to worry about the mean, variance, covariance of its input/output

We don't need to worry about  $f_X f_Y$

# Properties

③ If  $X$  and  $Y$  both are Gsn  
 &  $X, Y$  are independent

$\Rightarrow (X, Y)$  are joint Gsn.

Exercise: Find a joint distribution  $(X, Y)$  s.t.  
 $X$  &  $Y$  are both Gsn but  $(X, Y)$  is not joint Gsn.

④ Generally independent  $\Rightarrow$  uncorrelated



Not vice versa.

but if  $X$  &  $Y$  are joint Gsn,

then independent  $\Leftrightarrow$  uncorrelated

pf: Look at the Gsn joint pdf formula.

Ex:  $X$  &  $Y$  are standard Gsn.

&  $X$  &  $Y$  are independent.

$$Z = X + Y$$

$$W = X - Y$$

Q: Are  $Z, W$  joint Gsn.

Ans:  $\because (X, Y)$  are joint Gsn

$\therefore (Z, W)$  the linear combination of  $X$  and  $Y$   
 are joint Gsn.

Q:  $m_z, \sigma_z, m_w, \sigma_w, \text{Cov}(z, w) = ?$

$$\text{Ans: } m_z = m_x + m_y = 0$$

$$m_w = m_x - m_y = 0$$

$$\sigma_z^2 = \underline{\sigma_x^2} + 2 \underline{\text{Cov}(x, y)} + \underline{\sigma_y^2}$$

↓                          ↓    ||                          ↓  
 1                          0    0                          1  
 $\therefore \rho = 0$   
 by independence  
 of  $x, y$

$$\sigma_w^2 = \underline{\sigma_x^2} - 2 \underline{\text{Cov}(x, y)} + \underline{\sigma_y^2}$$

= 2  
 = 2

$$\text{Cov}(z, w) = E((z - 0)(w - 0))$$

$$= E(z \cdot w)$$

$$= E((x + y)(x - y))$$

$$= E(x^2 - y^2)$$

$$= E(x^2) - E(y^2)$$

$$= (1 + 0^2) - (1 + 0^2)$$

$$= 0$$

Q: Are  $Z, W$  independent?

Ans: Yes.  $\therefore \text{Cov}(Z, W) = 0$

Q:  $f_{ZW}(z, w) = ?$   
 $\frac{(z-0)^2}{\sqrt{\Sigma}} - 0(l) + \frac{(w-0)^2}{\sqrt{\Sigma}}$

Ans:  $\frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{2\times 2}} e^{-\frac{z^2 + w^2}{2\times 2}}$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{2\times 2}} e^{-\frac{z^2 + w^2}{2\times 2}} \quad \#$$

Property ⑤ if  $X, Y$  are joint Gsn.

then  $P(X | Y=y)$ , the conditional distribution of  $X$  is also Gsn

with mean

$$m_x + \rho_x \frac{\sigma_x}{\sigma_y} \times (y - m_y)$$

Variance

$$\sigma_x^2 (1 - \rho^2)$$

See p. 281 for derivation

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\* Detection & estimation

$$X \rightarrow \square \rightarrow Y$$

The original quantity  $X$  is unknown, we only observe  $Y$ . jointly  $X$  &  $Y$  are randomly distributed. Our goal is to derive the information of  $X$  from the observation  $Y$ .

Ex:  $X$ : Signals at the base station

$Y$ : Signals received by the cellular phone.

Ex:  $X$ : Waveform in a concert.

$Y$ : Recorded MP3 signals.

Ex:  $X$ : The # of users login to a Web Server

$Y$ : The download speed of from my dormitory

Ex:  $X$ : The exact location of a missile

$Y$ : The radar output.

\* Detection & Estimation  $X \rightarrow \boxed{\quad} \rightarrow Y$

There are many different schemes for detection & estimation with different performance complexity tradeoff.

Scheme 1: Maximum a posterior prob.  
(MAP) detector.

We first observe  $Y = y_0$ .

Find the  $x$  with the largest condition prob.

prob  $P(X=x | Y=y_0)$

Ex: FINB Q8 Prob 6.68

$X \setminus Y$	-1	0	1
-1	$\frac{1}{12}$	$\frac{1}{6}$	0
0	0	0	$\frac{1}{3}$
1	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{6}$	0

Q: Find the

MAP detector  
given  $Y = y_0$ .

Ans: Given  $Y = 1$   $P(X=x | Y=1)$

$$= \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x = -1 \\ 1 & \text{if } x = 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } x = 1 \end{cases}$$

Given  $Y=0$ ,  $P(X=x | Y=0)$  [194]

$$= \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } X=-1 \\ 0 & \text{if } X=0 \\ \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } X=1 \end{cases}$$

$Y=-1$   $P(X=x | Y=-1)$

$$= \begin{cases} \frac{1}{4} & \text{if } X=-1 \\ 0 & \text{if } X=0 \\ \frac{3}{4} & \text{if } X=1 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{MAP}(y) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } y = -1 \\ \text{either } -1 \text{ or } 1 \text{ is fine} & \text{if } y = 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } y = 1 \end{cases}$$

MAP has very strong performance  
(optimal)

as we always choose the most probable  $X$  given the observation  $Y=y$

The drawback of MAP is its complexity  
Both finding conditional prob & finding the maximum are difficult to implement.

[Start from  $P_x \rightarrow P_x \cdot P_{Y|X} \rightarrow P_{X|Y}$ ]

\* Scheme 2: Maximum Likelihood (ML)

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detector.

Recall that we have observed  $Y=y_0$



and we are interested in inferring  $X$ .

\* Define the likelihood of  $Y=y_0$

$$\text{as } f_{\text{Likelihood}}(x) = P(Y=y_0 | X=x)$$

The Maximum Likelihood detector thus outputs  $x$  that has the largest

$$f_{\text{Likelihood}}(x) = P(Y=y_0 | X=x)$$

Comparison

Maximum A posteriori Prob detector

outputs  $x$  that has the largest

$$P(X=x | Y=y_0)$$

Q: When do we use ML 196 instead of MAP?

Ans: Sometimes we do not have the original marginal  $P_X$ . In this case, we just assume

( $P_X$  is uniform)

$$\text{then } P(X=x | Y=y_0)$$

$$= \frac{P(X=x, Y=y_0)}{P(Y=y_0)}$$

Do not depend  
on  $x$

$$= \frac{P(Y=y_0 | X=x) \times P(X=x)}{P(Y=y_0)}$$

maximizing  $\underset{x}{\text{maximizing}} P(X=x | Y=y_0)$  a posterior prob.

$$= \text{maximizing } P(Y=y_0 | X=x)$$

the likelihood

\* ML can be viewed as a special case of MAP when  $P_X$  (the prior) is uniform.

\* Example: Conditional prob.

$$P(Y=0 | X=0) = \frac{2}{3} \quad P(X=0) = 0.9$$

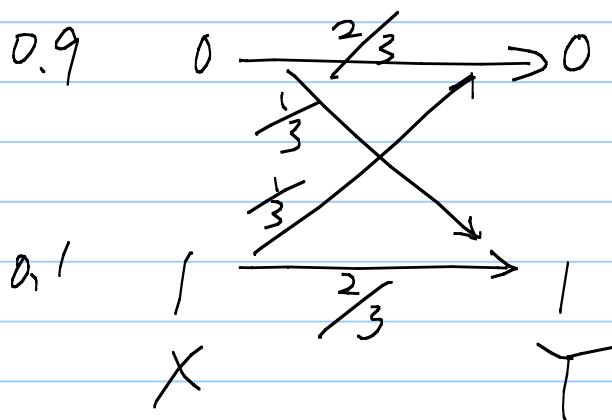
$$P(Y=1 | X=0) = \frac{1}{3} \quad P(X=1) = 0.1$$

$$P(Y=0 | X=1) = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$P(Y=1 | X=1) = \frac{2}{3}$$

This is sometimes called the binary symmetric channel!

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Find  $\text{MAP}(y)$ ;  $\text{ML}(y)$

Ans:  $\text{ML}(0)$ : Comparing likelihood

$$P(Y=0 | X=0) = \frac{2}{3} \quad \checkmark$$

$$P(Y=0 | X=1) = \frac{1}{3}$$

$\text{ML}(1)$  ... comparing

$$P(Y=1 | X=0) = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$P(Y=1 | X=1) = \frac{2}{3} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{ML}(y) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } y=0 \\ 1 & \text{if } y=1 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{(posterior)}$$

$\text{MAP}(0)$ : Comparing the conditional prob

$$P(X=0 | Y=0) = \frac{0.9 \times \frac{2}{3}}{0.9 \times \frac{2}{3} + 0.1 \times \frac{1}{3}} = \frac{18}{19}$$

$$P(X=1 | Y=0) = \frac{0.1 \times \frac{1}{3}}{0.9 \times \frac{2}{3} + 0.1 \times \frac{1}{3}} = \frac{1}{19}$$

MAP(1) : Comparing

$$P(X=0 | Y=1) = \frac{0.9 \times \frac{1}{3}}{0.9 \times \frac{1}{3} + 0.1 \times \frac{2}{3}}$$

$$= \frac{9}{11}$$

$$P(X=1 | Y=1) = \frac{0.1 \times \frac{2}{3}}{0.9 \times \frac{1}{3} + 0.1 \times \frac{2}{3}}$$

$$= \frac{2}{11}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{MAP}(y) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } y=0 \\ 1 & \text{if } y=1 \end{cases}$$

$\therefore P(X=0) = 0.9$  is much more possible than  $P(X=1)$ .

MAP takes that into account while ML does not.

MAP detector has optimal performance, but higher complexity (finding  $P_{X|Y} = \frac{P_{Y|X} P_X}{P_Y}$ )

ML detector has slightly poorer performance & less complexity, (working on  $P_{Y|X}$ )

# \* MMSE estimator

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Both ML, MAP detectors take an all-or-nothing approach. It either misses or it hits. There is no middle point.

For comparison, MMSE estimator find an estimation that is the closest to all possible outcomes.

Example: Five houses on a street



Q1: Determine a location  $\hat{x}$  that has the smallest

$$\sum_{k=1}^5 (x_k - \hat{x})^2$$

Called the objective function

Q2: We know that each house has a prob  $p_k$  to be on fire. We need to find a location  $\hat{x}$  s.t.

$$\sum_{k=1}^5 (x_k - \hat{x})^2 \cdot p_k$$

or equivalent  $E((X - \hat{X})^2) \geq$  minimized

Minimal Mean Square Error

Error  $(X - \hat{X})^2$ . Mean  $E$ , Minimal

\* The constant  $\hat{x}$  that minimizes 200  
 $E((X - \hat{x})^2)$  is called the MMSE estimator.

The resulting "distance"  $E((X - \hat{x})^2)$   
 is called MMSE.

\* The MMSE estimator is  
 computed by  $\hat{X}_{\text{MMSE}} = \bar{E}(X)$

$$\text{pf: } \frac{d}{d\hat{x}} E((X - \hat{x})^2) = 0$$

$$= E\left(\frac{d}{d\hat{x}} (X - \hat{x})^2\right) = 0$$

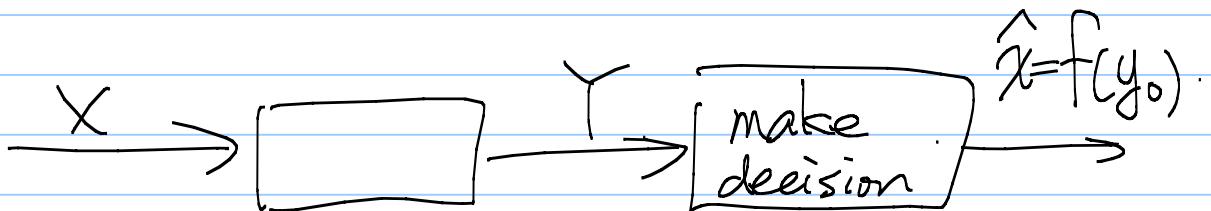
$$= E(\geq (X - \hat{x}) \cdot (-1)) = 0$$

$$= -2E(X) + 2\hat{X}$$

$$\hat{X} = \bar{E}(X)$$

Recall that oftentimes we can observe  $Y$  before we have to make a decision on  $X$ . That is

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Question: Observing  $Y=y_0$ , how to choose the MMSE estimator?

Answer:  $\hat{X}_{MMSE} = E(X | Y=y_0)$

Observing  $Y=y_0$

$\hat{X}_{MMSE} = E(X | Y=y_0)$  the

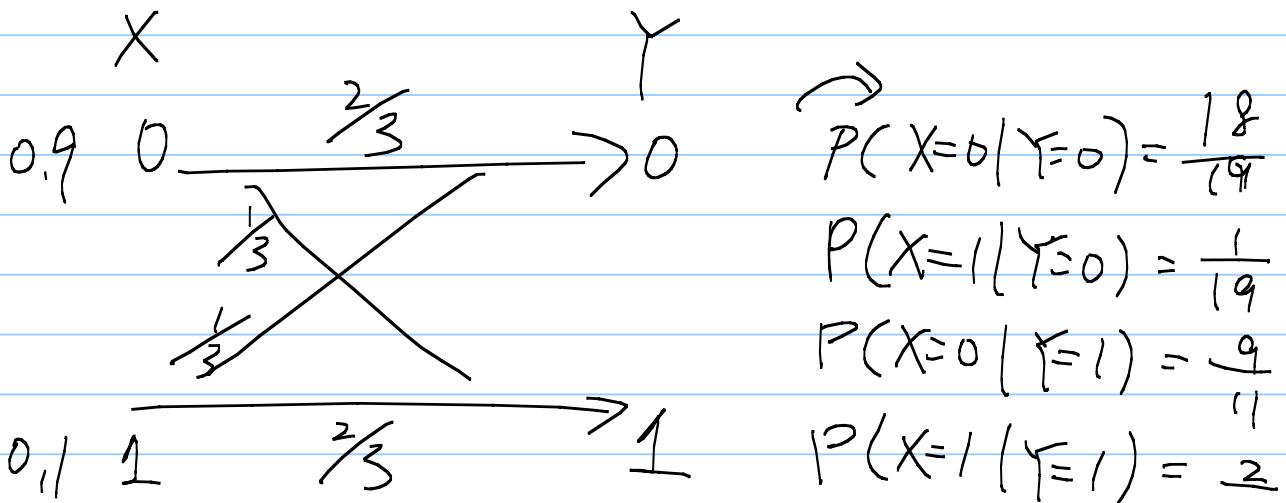
"center" of the conditional prob

is the closest estimation one can

have under  $Y=y_0$

Note:  $\hat{X}_{MMSE}(y)$ ,  $MAP(y)$ ,  $ML(y)$  are all functions of  $y$ .

Continue from our example



Q: What is the MMSE estimator  $\hat{x}_{\text{MMSE}}(y)$

Ans:

$$\hat{x}_{\text{MMSE}}(0) = E(X|Y=0) = 0 \times \frac{1}{9} + 1 \times \frac{1}{9} = \frac{1}{9}$$

$$\hat{x}_{\text{MMSE}}(1) = E(X|Y=1) = 0 \times \frac{9}{11} + 1 \times \frac{2}{11} = \frac{2}{11}$$

Note that  $\hat{x}_{\text{MMSE}}(y)$  does not hit any of the outcome. But it is closest to all outcomes.

Drawback: Still need to compute  $P_{X|Y}$ , which is hard to implement

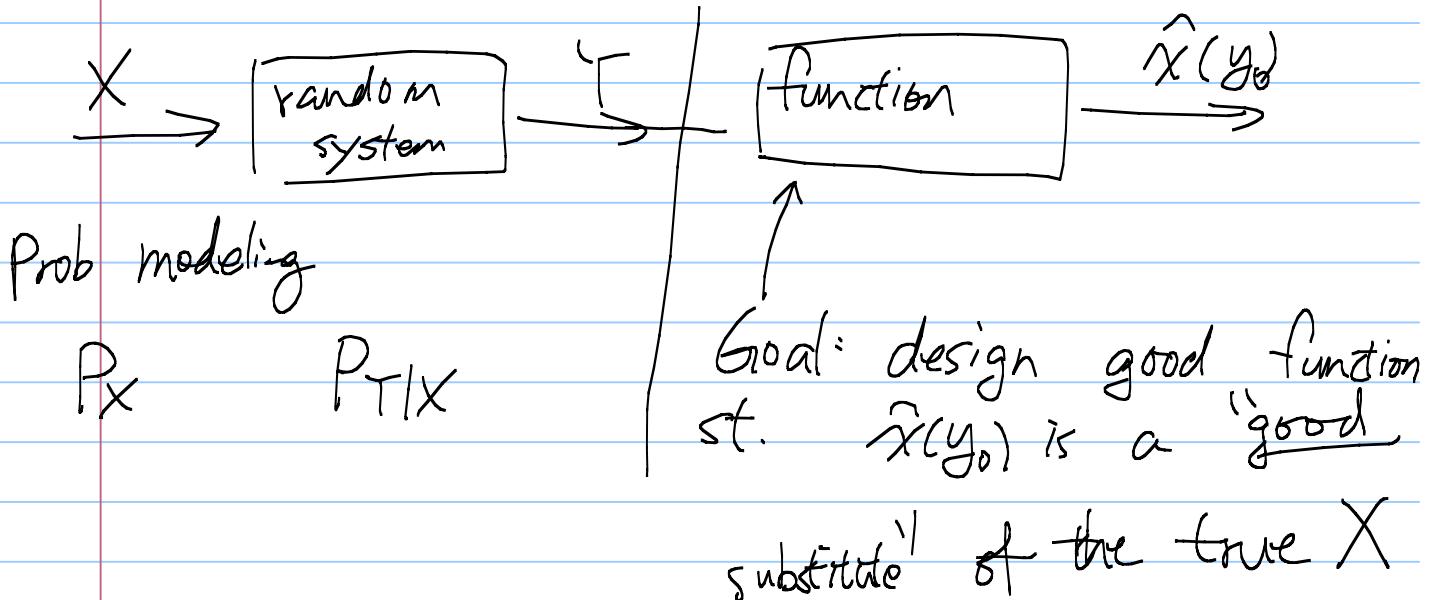
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\* Detection & estimation



Scheme 1. MAP detector

Output  $x$  that maximizes  
 $P(X=x | T=y_0)$

→ maximize  
the hit prob.

$\hat{x}_{MAP}$  is a function of  $\hat{x}(y_0)_{MAP}$

Scheme 2. ML detector

Output  $x$  that maximizes

$$P(T=y_0 | X=x)$$

a simpler  
version of  
MAP by  
assuming  
uniform  $X$

$\hat{x}_{ML}$  is a function of  $\hat{x}_{ML}(y_0)$

Scheme 3: Minimal Mean Square Error estimator

$$\text{minimize } E((X - \hat{x})^2)$$

→ Never hits  $X$   
exactly. But  
is always close

$\hat{x}_{MMSE}$  is a function of  $\hat{x}_{MMSE}(y)$

always close  
to  $X$

# \* Linear MMSE estimator

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$\hat{X}_{\text{Lin, MMSE}}(y) = aY + b$  a linear function of  $y$  that minimizes

$$E((X - (aY + b))^2)$$

the minimizing  $a, b$  are

$$a^* = \frac{P_{XY} \sigma_x}{\sigma_Y}$$

$$b^* = - \frac{P_{XY} \sigma_x m_Y}{\sigma_Y} + m_X$$

$$a^* Y + b^* = P_{XY} \frac{\sigma_x}{\sigma_Y} (Y - m_Y) + m_X$$

Since  $m_X, m_Y, \sigma_x, \sigma_Y, P_{XY}$  are easy to compute, we can obtain  $a^*, b^*$  very efficiently.

Then every time we observe  $Y=y$ ,

$$\hat{X}_{\text{Lin, MMSE}}(y) = a^* y + b^*$$