

## NEW COUNTERPARTS OF SOME INEQUALITIES FOR ENTROPY AND MUTUAL INFORMATION

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### Abstract

In this paper, by the use of a new analytic inequality which counterparts arithmetic mean-geometric mean's classical inequality, we point out some new results for entropy and mutual information.

### 1. Introduction

Suppose that  $X$  is a discrete random variable whose range  $R = \{x_1, \dots, x_r\}$  is finite. Let  $p_i = P\{X = x_i\}$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, r$  and assume that  $p_i > 0$  for all  $i \in \{1, \dots, r\}$ . Define the  $b$ -entropy of  $X$  by

$$H_b(X) := \sum_{i=1}^r p_i \log_b \frac{1}{p_i}, \quad (1.1)$$

where  $b > 1$ . The following theorem is well known in the literature and concerns the maximum possible value for  $H_b(X)$  in terms of the size of the range  $R$  [3, p. 17]:

**Theorem 1.1.** *Let  $X$  have values in  $R = \{x_1, \dots, x_r\}$ . Then*

$$0 \leq H_b(X) \leq \log_b r. \quad (1.2)$$

Furthermore,  $H_b(X) = 0$  iff  $p_i = 1$  for some  $i$  and  $H_b(X) = \log_b r$  iff  $p_i = 1/r$  for all  $i \in \{1, \dots, r\}$ .

In the recent paper [1], S. S. Dragomir and C. J. Goh proved the following inequality for  $\log_b$ -mapping [1, Proposition 6.3]:

**Lemma 1.2.** Let  $\xi_k \in (0, \infty)$  and  $p_k > 0$  with  $\sum_{k=1}^n p_k = 1$ . Then

$$0 \leq \log_b \left( \sum_{k=1}^n p_k \xi_k \right) - \sum_{k=1}^n p_k \log_b \xi_k \leq \frac{1}{2 \ln b} \sum_{i,j=1}^n \frac{p_i p_j}{\xi_i \xi_j} (\xi_i - \xi_j)^2. \quad (1.3)$$

The equality holds simultaneously in both inequalities iff  $\xi_1 = \dots = \xi_n$ .

They have applied this lemma for the  $b$ -entropy mapping and obtained the following counterpart of (1.2):

**Theorem 1.3.** Let  $X$  be defined as above. Then

$$0 \leq \log_b r - H_b(X) \leq \frac{1}{\ln b} \left[ r \sum_{i=1}^r p_i^2 - 1 \right] = \frac{1}{\ln b} \sum_{1 \leq i < j \leq r} (p_i - p_j)^2. \quad (1.4)$$

Furthermore, the equality holds simultaneously in all the above inequalities iff  $p_i = 1/r$  for all  $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ .

The following corollary gives a tighter lower bound to the entropy when the outcomes of  $X$  are close to uniformity.

**Corollary 1.4.** Let  $\varepsilon > 0$  be given and  $X$  be as above with

$$\max_{1 \leq i < j \leq r} |p_i - p_j| \leq \left[ \frac{2\varepsilon \ln b}{r(r-1)} \right]^{1/2}$$

Then we have

$$0 \leq \log_b r - H_b(X) \leq \varepsilon. \quad (1.5)$$

For other results concerning conditional entropy, mutual information, conditional mutual information etc., see the recent papers [1, 2] where further references are given.

## 2. A New Counterpart Inequality

We shall start with the following lemma which is interesting in itself too:

**Lemma 2.1.** *Let  $\xi_k \in [m, \infty)$  where  $m > 0$  and  $p_k \geq 0$  ( $k = 1, \dots, n$ ) with  $\sum_{k=1}^n p_k = 1$ . Then we have the inequality:*

$$0 \leq \log_b \left( \sum_{k=1}^n p_k \xi_k \right) - \sum_{k=1}^n p_k \log_b \xi_k \leq \frac{1}{m \ln b} \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left| \xi_i - \sum_{j=1}^n p_j \xi_j \right|. \quad (2.1)$$

Furthermore, the equality holds in all inequalities simultaneously iff  $\xi_1 = \dots = \xi_n$ .

**Proof.** By Lagrange's theorem we find we find for every  $x, y \in [m, \infty)$  an element  $\eta$  between  $x$  and  $y$  so that

$$\log_b x - \log_b y = \frac{1}{\eta \ln b} (x - y).$$

As  $\eta \geq m$ , we deduce

$$|\log_b x - \log_b y| \leq \frac{1}{m \ln b} |x - y| \quad (2.2)$$

for all  $x, y \in [m, \infty)$ . If we choose  $y = \xi_i$  and  $x = \sum_{j=1}^n p_j \xi_j$  in the above inequality (2.2), then we have

$$\left| \log_b \left( \sum_{j=1}^n p_j \xi_j \right) - \log_b \xi_i \right| \leq \frac{1}{m \ln b} \left| \sum_{j=1}^n p_j \xi_j - \xi_i \right| \quad (2.3)$$

for all  $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$ . If we multiply (2.3) with  $p_i \geq 0$  and summing over  $i$  to 1 at  $n$ , then we derive:

$$\sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left| \log_b \left( \sum_{j=1}^n p_j \xi_j \right) - \log_b \xi_i \right| \leq \frac{1}{m \ln b} \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left| \xi_i - \sum_{j=1}^n p_j \xi_j \right|.$$

Using the triangle inequality, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left| \log_b \left( \sum_{j=1}^n p_j \xi_j \right) - \log_b \xi_i \right| &\geq \left| \log_b \left( \sum_{j=1}^n p_j \xi_j \right) - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \log_b \xi_i \right| = \\ &= \log_b \left( \sum_{j=1}^n p_j \xi_j \right) - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \log_b \xi_i \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

and the inequality (2.1) is proved. The case of equality is obvious.

**Corollary 2.2.** *With the above assumptions over  $\xi_k$ , we have the inequality:*

$$0 \leq \log_b \left( \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n \xi_k \right) - \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n \log_b \xi_k \leq \frac{1}{m \ln b} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \left| \xi_i - \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^n \xi_j \right|. \quad (2.4)$$

**Remark 2.3.** It is well known in theory of inequalities that the following inequality between the arithmetic mean and geometric mean holds:

$$A_n(p, x) \geq G_n(p, x) \quad (\text{A} - \text{G})$$

where

$$A_n(p, x) := \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \quad (: \text{ arithmetic mean}),$$

$$G_n(p, x) := \prod_{i=1}^n x_i^{p_i} \quad (: \text{ geometric mean})$$

and  $p_i \geq 0$  with  $\sum_{i=1}^n p_i = 1$  and  $x_i > 0$  ( $i = 1, \dots, n$ ). Using inequality (2.1), we obtain

$$0 \leq \ln \left( \frac{\sum_{k=1}^n p_k x_k}{\prod_{i=1}^n x_i^{p_i}} \right) \leq \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left| x_i - \sum_{j=1}^n p_j x_j \right|,$$

which is equivalent with

$$1 \leq \frac{A_n(o, x)}{G_n(p, x)} \leq \exp \left[ \frac{1}{m} A_n(p, x - A_n(p, x)) \right], \quad (2.5)$$

which is a counterpart result for (A-G).

### 3. Some Counterpart Inequalities for Entropy and Joint Entropy

Suppose that  $X$  is a discrete random variable whose range  $R = \{x_1, \dots, x_r\}$  is finite. Let  $p_i = P\{X = x_i\}$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, r$ , and assume that  $p_i > 0$  for all  $i \in \{1, \dots, r\}$ .

The following counterpart result for (1.2) holds:

**Theorem 3.1.** *Let  $p_M := \max\{p_i \mid i = 1, \dots, r\}$ . Then we have the inequality:*

$$0 \leq \log_b r - H_b(X) \leq \frac{r p_M}{\ln b} \sum_{i=1}^r \left| p_i - \frac{1}{r} \right|. \quad (3.1)$$

Furthermore, the equality holds simultaneously in both inequalities iff  $p_i = 1/r$  for all  $i \in \{1, \dots, r\}$ .

**Proof.** If we choose in Lemma 1.1,  $m = 1/p_M$  and  $\xi_i = 1/p_i$  ( $i = 1, \dots, r$ ), we have

$$0 \leq \log_b r - H_b(X) \leq \frac{p_M}{\ln b} \sum_{i=1}^r p_i \left| \frac{1}{p_i} - r \right| = \frac{r p_M}{\ln b} \sum_{i=1}^r \left| p_i - \frac{1}{r} \right|$$

and the inequality (3.1) is proved.

**Remark 3.2.** If we don't know the maximal probability  $p_M$ , then we can only state that

$$0 \leq \log_b r - H_b(X) \leq \frac{r}{\ln b} \sum_{i=1}^r \left| p_i - \frac{1}{r} \right|, \quad (3.2)$$

which is weaker than (3.1).

**Corollary 3.3.** *Let  $\varepsilon > 0$  be given. If we assume that*

$$\left| p_i - \frac{1}{r} \right| \leq \frac{\varepsilon \ln b}{r^2 p_M}$$

for all  $i \in \{1, \dots, r\}$ , then we have the estimation:

$$0 \leq \log_b r - H_b(X) \leq \varepsilon. \quad (3.3)$$

For a pair of random variables  $X$  and  $Y$  with the ranges  $\{x_1, \dots, x_r\}$  and  $\{y_1, \dots, y_s\}$ , respectively, the joint entropy of  $X$  and  $Y$  is defined by [3, p. 25]:

$$H_b(X, Y) = \sum_{x,y} p(x, y) \log_b \frac{1}{p(x, y)}$$

where

$$p(x, y) := \text{Prob}\{X = x, Y = y\}, \quad x \in \{1, \dots, r\}, \quad y \in \{1, \dots, s\}.$$

In the recent paper [2] it is proved the following result:

**Theorem 3.4.** *With the above assumptions, we have*

$$0 \leq \log_b(rs) - H_b(X, Y) \leq \frac{1}{2 \ln b} \sum_{x,y} \sum_{u,v} (p(x, y) - p(u, v))^2. \quad (3.4)$$

The equality holds in both inequalities simultaneously iff  $p(x, y) = 1/rs$  for all  $x, y$ .

**Corollary 3.5.** *Let  $\varepsilon > 0$  be given. If*

$$\max_{(x,y),(u,v)} |p(x, y) - p(u, v)| \leq \sqrt{\frac{2\varepsilon \ln b}{rs}}.$$

then we have the estimation:

$$0 \leq \log_b(rs) - H_b(X, Y) \leq \varepsilon.$$

Using Lemma 2.1, we can state and prove the following theorem:

**Theorem 3.6.** *Suppose that*

$$p_M = \max\{p(x, y) \mid x \in \{1, \dots, r\}, y \in \{1, \dots, s\}\}.$$

Then we have the counterpart inequality:

$$0 \leq \log_b(rs) - H_b(X, Y) \leq \frac{p_M rs}{\ln b} \sum_{x,y} \left| p(x, y) - \frac{1}{rs} \right|. \quad (3.5)$$

Furthermore, the equality holds simultaneously in both inequalities iff  $p(x, y) = 1/rs$  for all  $(x, y)$ .

**Proof.** If, in Lemma 2.1, we choose  $m = 1/p_M$ ,  $\xi_i = 1/p(x, y)$ ,  $p_i = p(x, y)$ , we deduce

$$\begin{aligned} 0 \leq \log_b(rs) - H_b(X, Y) &\leq \frac{p_M}{\ln b} \sum_{x,y} p(x, y) \left| \frac{1}{p(x, y)} - rs \right| \leq \\ &\leq \frac{p_M rs}{\ln b} \sum_{x,y} \left| p(x, y) - \frac{1}{rs} \right| \end{aligned}$$

and the estimation (3.5) is obtained.

**Corollary 3.7.** *Let  $\varepsilon > 0$  be given. If we have*

$$\left| p(x, y) - \frac{1}{rs} \right| \leq \frac{\varepsilon \ln b}{p_M r^2 s^2}$$

for all  $(x, y)$ , then we have the estimation:

$$0 \leq \log_b(rs) - H_b(X, Y) \leq \varepsilon.$$

#### 4. Some Counterpart Inequalities for Conditional Entropy

For a pair random variables  $X$  and  $Y$ , the conditional entropy of  $X$  given  $Y$  is defined by [3, p. 22]:

$$H_b(X | Y) = \sum_{x,y} p(x, y) \log_b \frac{1}{p(x | y)},$$

where

$$p(x, y) = \text{Prob}\{X = x, Y = y\}$$

and

$$p(x | y) = \text{Prob}\{X = x | Y = y\} = \frac{p(x, y)}{p(y)}.$$

One can interpret the conditional entropy as the amount of uncertainty remaining about  $X$  after  $Y$  has been observed.

In the paper [2], S. S. Dragomir and C. J. Goh have proved the following theorem:

**Theorem 4.1.** *Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be two discrete random variables and the range of  $X$  has  $r$  elements. Then we have the inequality:*

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\leq \log_b r - H_b(X | Y) \leq \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2 \ln b} \sum_{x,y} \sum_{u,v} p(y)p(v) (p(x | y) - p(u | v))^2. \end{aligned} \quad (4.1)$$

The following corollary also holds:

**Corollary 4.2.** *With the above assumptions and if*

$$\max_{(x,y),(u,v)} |p(x | y) - p(u | v)| < \frac{\sqrt{2\varepsilon \ln b}}{r}.$$

for every  $\varepsilon > 0$ , then we have the estimation:

$$0 \leq \log_b r - H_b(X | Y) \leq \varepsilon.$$

Using Lemma 2.1, we can prove the following different counterpart result:

**Theorem 4.3.** *Under the assumptions of Theorem 4.1 and if  $\bar{p}_M: \max\{p(x | y) \mid x \in \{1, \dots, r\}, y \in \{1, \dots, s\}\}$ , then we have the estimation:*

$$0 \leq \log_b r - H_b(X | Y) \leq \frac{r\bar{p}_M}{\ln b} \sum_{x,y} p(y) \left| p(x | y) - \frac{1}{r} \right|. \quad (4.2)$$

**Proof.** We have

$$H_b(X | Y) = \sum_{x,y} p(x, y) \log_b \frac{1}{p(x | y)} \leq \sum_{x,y} p(x, y) \log_b \frac{p(y)}{p(x, y)}.$$

Applying Lemma 2.1 for

$$p_k = p(x, y), \quad \xi_k = \frac{p(y)}{p(x, y)} = \frac{1}{p(x | y)} \geq \frac{1}{\bar{p}_M},$$

we have

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\leq \log_b \left( \sum_{x,y} p(x, y) \frac{p(y)}{p(x, y)} \right) - \sum_{x,y} p(x, y) \log_b \left( \frac{p(y)}{p(x, y)} \right) \leq \\ &\leq \frac{\bar{p}_M}{\ln b} \sum_{x,y} p(x, y) \left| \frac{p(y)}{p(x, y)} - \sum_{u,v} p(u, v) \frac{p(v)}{p(u, v)} \right| = \\ &= \frac{\bar{p}_M}{\ln b} \sum_{x,y} |p(y) - p(x, y)r| = \\ &= \frac{r\bar{p}_M}{\ln b} \sum_{x,y} p(y) \left| p(x | y) - \frac{1}{r} \right| \end{aligned}$$

and the estimation (4.2) is obtained.

The following corollary also holds:



**Corollary 4.4.** *With the above assumptions and if*

$$\max_{(x,y)} \left| p(x|y) - \frac{1}{r} \right| \leq \frac{\varepsilon \ln b}{r^2 \bar{p}_M},$$

*then we have the estimation:*

$$0 \leq \log_b r - H_b(X|Y) \leq \varepsilon.$$

The following result concerning conditional entropy is well known in the literature and can be obtained by applying Jensen's inequality:

**Theorem 4.5.** *Let  $X$ ,  $Y$  and  $Z$  be discrete random variables with finite ranges. Then we have*

$$H_b(X|Y) \leq H_b(Z) + (\log_b A), \quad (4.3)$$

where  $H_b(Z) := \sum_z p(z) \log_b \frac{1}{p(z)}$  is the usual entropy of  $Z$ , and we have

$$A(Z) := \sum_{x,y} \alpha_{xy}(z),$$

where

$$\alpha_{xy} := p(y)p(z|x,y) := \frac{p(x,y,z)}{p(x|y)}.$$

In the paper [1], S. S. Dragomir and C. J. Goh proved the following counterpart of (4.3):

**Theorem 4.6.** *With the above assumptions we have:*

$$\begin{aligned} 0 \leq H_b(Z) + E(\log_b A) - H_b(X|Y) &\leq \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2 \ln b} \sum_z \frac{1}{p(z)} \sum_{x,y} \sum_{u,v} \alpha_{xy}(z) \alpha_{uv}(z) (p(x|y) - p(u|v))^2. \end{aligned} \quad (4.4)$$

The following corollary is important in applications:

**Corollary 4.7.** *Under the same assumptions, let  $\varepsilon > 0$  be given. If, in addition,*

$$\max |p(x|y) - p(u|v)| \leq \sqrt{\frac{2\varepsilon \ln b}{M}},$$

*then we have*

$$0 \leq H_b(Z) + E(\log_b A) - H_b(X|Y) \leq \varepsilon,$$

where  $M := \sum_z \frac{[A(z)]^2}{p(z)}$ .

Furthermore, we shall apply Lemma 2.1 to obtain another type of the converse for the inequality (4.3).

**Theorem 4.8.** *With the assumptions of Theorem 4.5 and if  $\bar{p}_M = \max \{(x | y) \mid x \in \{1, \dots, r\}, y \in \{1, \dots, s\}\}$ , then we have the inequality:*

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\leq H_b(z) + E(\log_b A) - H_b(Z | Y) \leq \\ &\leq \frac{\bar{p}_M}{\ln b} \sum_{x,y,z} \frac{p(x,y,z)}{p(z)} \left| \frac{p(z)}{p(x|y)} - A(z) \right|. \end{aligned} \quad (4.5)$$

**Proof.** If in Lemma 2.1, we replace  $p_k$  by  $p(x,y,z)/p(z)$  and  $\xi_k$  by  $1/p(x|y) \geq 1/\bar{p}_M$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\leq \log_b \left( \sum_{x,y} \frac{p(x,y,z)}{p(z)} \frac{1}{p(x|y)} \right) - \sum_{x,y} \frac{p(x,y,z)}{p(z)} \log_b \left( \frac{1}{p(x|y)} \right) \leq \\ &\leq \frac{\bar{p}_M}{\ln b} \sum_{x,y,z} \frac{p(x,y,z)}{p(z)} \left| \frac{1}{p(x|y)} - \sum_{u,v} \frac{p(u,v,z)}{p(z)} \frac{1}{p(u|v)} \right| \end{aligned}$$

for each  $z$ . Multiplying the above inequality with  $p(z)$  and summing over  $z$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\leq \sum_z p(z) \log_b \frac{1}{p(z)} + \sum_z p(z) \log_b \left( \sum_{x,y} \frac{p(x,y,z)}{p(x,y)} \right) - \\ &- \sum_{x,y,z} p(x,y,z) \log_b \left( \frac{1}{p(x|y)} \right) \leq \\ &\leq \frac{\bar{p}_M}{\ln b} \sum_{x,y,z} \frac{p(x,y,z)}{p(z)} \left| \frac{p(z)}{p(x|y)} - \sum_{u,v} \frac{p(u,v,z)}{p(u|v)} \right| = \\ &= \frac{\bar{p}_M}{\ln b} \sum_{x,y,z} \frac{p(x,y,z)}{p(z)} \left| \frac{p(z)}{p(x|y)} - A(z) \right| \end{aligned}$$

and the inequality (4.5) is obtained.

**Corollary 4.9.** *If the range of  $z$  has  $n$  elements and*

$$\max_{x,y,z} \left| \frac{p(z)}{p(x|y)} - A(z) \right| \leq \frac{\varepsilon \ln b}{n \bar{p}_M}$$

for every  $\varepsilon > 0$ , then we have the estimation

$$0 \leq H_b(Z) + E(\log_b A) - H_b(X | Y) \leq \varepsilon. \quad (4.6)$$

**Proof.** As, for all  $z$ , we have

$$\sum_{x,y} \frac{p(x,y,z)}{p(z)} = 1$$

then

$$\frac{\bar{p}_M}{\ln b} \sum_{x,y,z} \frac{p(x,y,z)}{p(z)} \left| \frac{p(z)}{p(x|y)} - A(z) \right| \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{n \bar{p}_M} \bar{p}_M \sum_{x,y,z} \frac{p(x,y,z)}{p(z)} = \varepsilon$$

and the estimation (4.6) is proved.

## 5. Some New Counterparts Results for Mutual Information

Consider the mutual information between two random variables  $X$  and  $Y$  defined by

$$\begin{aligned} I_b(X, Y) &= \sum_{x,y} p(x,y) \log_b \left[ \frac{p(x,y)}{p(x)p(y)} \right] = \\ &= H_b(X) - H_b(X | Y) = \\ &= H_b(X) + H_b(Y) - H_b(X, Y). \end{aligned}$$

The following theorem concerning the mutual information is known in the literature [3, p. 25]:

**Theorem 5.1.** For any pair of discrete random variables  $X$  and  $Y$ , we have  $I_b(X; Y) \geq 0$ . Moreover,  $I_b(X; Y) = 0$  iff  $X$  and  $Y$  are independent.

The following converse of the above inequality and its corollary have been established in [1]:

**Theorem 5.2.** Given a pair of discrete random variables  $X$  and  $Y$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} 0 \leq I_b(X; Y) &\leq \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2 \ln b} \sum_{x,y} \sum_{u,v} p(x)p(y)p(u)p(v) \left( \frac{p(u,v)}{p(u)p(v)} - \frac{p(x,y)}{p(x)p(y)} \right)^2 \end{aligned} \quad (5.1)$$

The identities hold in both inequalities iff  $X$  and  $Y$  are independent.

**Corollary 5.3.** *With the above assumptions and if*

$$\max_{(u,v),(x,y)} \left| \frac{p(u,v)}{p(u)p(v)} - \frac{p(x,y)}{p(x)p(y)} \right| \leq \sqrt{2\varepsilon \ln b},$$

then

$$0 \leq I_b(X, Y) \leq \varepsilon$$

for every  $\varepsilon > 0$ .

Now, we are able to prove some new counterpart inequalities by the use of Lemma 2.1 proved above.

**Theorem 5.4.** *With the above assumptions and if*

$$\bar{I}_M := \max \left\{ \frac{p(x,y)}{p(x)p(y)} \mid x \in \{1, \dots, r\}, y \in \{1, \dots, s\} \right\},$$

then we have the inequality:

$$0 \leq I_b(X; Y) \leq \frac{\bar{I}_M}{\ln b} \sum_{x,y} p(x)p(y) \left| \frac{p(x,y)}{p(x)p(y)} - 1 \right|. \quad (5.2)$$

The equality holds simultaneously in both inequalities iff  $X$  and  $Y$  are independent.

**Proof.** We choose, in Lemma 2.1,  $p_k = p(x, y)$  and  $\xi_k = p(x)p(y)/p(x, y) \geq 1/\bar{I}_M$  for all  $x, y$ . Thus we have

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\leq \log_b \left( \sum_{x,y} p(x,y) \frac{p(x)p(y)}{p(x,y)} \right) - \sum_{x,y} p(x,y) \log_b \frac{p(x)p(y)}{p(x,y)} \leq \\ &\leq \frac{\bar{I}_M}{\ln b} \sum_{x,y} p(x,y) \left| \frac{p(x)p(y)}{p(x,y)} - \sum_{u,v} p(u,v) \frac{p(u)p(v)}{p(u,v)} \right| = \\ &= \frac{\bar{I}_M}{\ln b} \sum_{x,y} p(x,y) \left| \frac{p(x)p(y)}{p(x,y)} - 1 \right| = \\ &= \frac{\bar{I}_M}{\ln b} \sum_{x,y} p(x)p(y) \left| \frac{p(x,y)}{p(x)p(y)} - 1 \right|. \end{aligned}$$

Finally, the following corollary holds:

**Corollary 5.5.** *With the above assumptions and if*

$$\max_{(x,y)} \left| \frac{p(x,y)}{p(x)p(y)} - 1 \right| \leq \frac{\varepsilon \ln b}{I_M}, \quad (5.3)$$

then

$$0 \leq I_b(X, Y) \leq \varepsilon,$$

for every  $\varepsilon > 0$ .

**Remark 5.6.** A sufficient condition for (5.3) to be fulfilled is

$$\left| \frac{p(x,y)}{p(x)p(y)} - 1 \right| \leq \varepsilon \ln b$$

for all  $x, y \in \{1, \dots, r\} \times \{1, \dots, s\}$ .

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## НОВИ СОЗНАНИЈА ЗА НЕКОИ НЕРАВЕНСТВА НА ЕНТРОПИЈА И ВЗАЕМНА ИНФОРМАЦИЈА

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### Резиме

Во оваа работа употребувајќи аналитички неравенства, коишто се нови сознанија за класичните неравенства меѓу аритметичката и геометриската средина, добиваме нови резултати за ентропијата и взаемната информација.

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