1026-52-134 Monika Ludwig* (mludwig@poly.edu), Polytechnic University, Department of Mathematics, Six Metrotech Center, Brooklyn, NY 11201. Bivaluations on Convex Bodies. Preliminary report.
A bivaluation μ(K, L), defined for convex bodies K, L in Rⁿ, is a real valued function that is a valuation in either variable, provided that the other variable is held fixed. So, for example, for a bivaluation μ,

$$\mu(K_1, L) + \mu(K_2, L) = \mu(K_1 \cup K_2, L) + \mu(K_1 \cap K_2, L)$$

holds for convex bodies K_1, K_2, L if $K_1 \cup K_2$ is convex.

Mixed volumes provide an import example:

$$(K, L) \mapsto V(K, \dots, K, L)$$

We describe classification theorems for bivaluations and an equi-affine characterization theorem for $V(K, \ldots, K, L)$. (Received February 23, 2007)