

## Chapter 1

Eg 1.1  $N$  tosses, prob  $f$ . How many heads?

$$\Rightarrow \text{Bin}(r|f, N) = f^r (1-f)^{N-r} \binom{N}{r}$$

Stirling from Laplace:

$$\frac{x^x e^{-x}}{x!} \approx \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi x}} \Rightarrow x! \approx \left(\frac{x}{e}\right)^x \sqrt{2\pi x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \log_2 \binom{N}{r} \approx r \log_2 \frac{N}{r} + (N-r) \log_2 \frac{N}{N-r}$$

$$\approx N H_2\left(\frac{f}{N}\right) - \frac{1}{2} \log \left[ 2\pi N \frac{Nr}{N-r} \frac{r}{N-r} \right]$$

1.2

$s$	0	0	1	0	1
$t$	000	000	111	000	111
$n$	000	001	000	000	101
$r$	000	001	111	000	010

$$P(s|r) = \frac{P(r_1, r_2, r_3 | s) P(s)}{P(r_1, r_2, r_3)}$$

Assume prior probabilities equal  
 $\Rightarrow$  ML yields  $s^*$

$$P(\tilde{r}|s) = \prod p(r_n | t_n(s))$$

Assume BSC  $\begin{matrix} 0 & \rightarrow & 0 \\ 1 & \cancel{\rightarrow} & 1 \end{matrix}$

$$p(r_n | t_n) = \begin{cases} 1-f & r_n = t_n \\ f & r_n \neq t_n \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{likelihood ratio} = \frac{P(r|s=1)}{P(r|s=0)} = \prod_n \frac{p(r_n | t_n(1))}{p(r_n | t_n(0))}$$

$$= \begin{cases} \frac{1-f}{f} & r_n = 1 \\ \frac{f}{1-f} & r_n = 0 \end{cases} \quad \frac{1-f}{f} > 1 \quad \text{for } f < \frac{1}{2}$$

$$Ex \quad 1.2 \quad p_b = P_B = \underbrace{3f^2(1-f)}_{2 \text{ flips}} + \underbrace{f^3}_{3 \text{ flips}} = 3f^2 - 2f^3 \leftarrow f$$

Ex 1.3 For  $R_N$  code

$$a) \quad p_b = \sum_{n=\frac{N-1}{2}}^N \binom{N}{n} f^n (1-f)^{N-n}$$

error probability

$P(n \text{ flips})$

$$b) \quad \text{Leading term is largest} \approx 2^{NH_2(\frac{f}{2})} f^{\frac{N-1}{2}} (1-f)^{\frac{N-1}{2}}$$

$$\approx 2^N [f(1-f)]^{\frac{N}{2}}$$

$$\approx [4f(1-f)]^{\frac{N}{2}} \approx p_b$$

Second term  $P_2 \sim \frac{f}{1-f}$  times smaller

$$\Rightarrow N = 2 \frac{\log 10^{-15}}{\log 4f(1-f)} \approx 68 \leftarrow \text{a bit too big}$$

At next order  $\binom{N}{N/2} \approx \frac{2^N}{\sqrt{2\pi N/4}}$

$\leftarrow$  can get this from norm:  $\sum_k \binom{N}{k} 2^{-N} = 1$

$$= 2^{-N(N/2)} \frac{N!}{(N/2)!} \int e^{-r^2/2\sigma^2} r^{N/2-1} dr$$

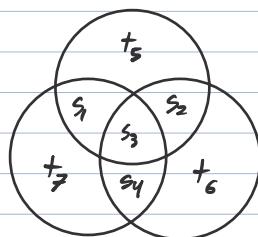
$$= 2^{-N(N/2)} \sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2} \sigma^{\frac{N}{2}} \quad \sigma^2 = \frac{N}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi N/4}} f (4f(1-f))^{\frac{N-1}{2}} = 10^{-15}$$

$$\Rightarrow N \approx 60.9$$

Block code: Add redundancy to blocks of data rather than one bit at a time

7.4 Hamming:



$s_1 \dots s_4$  are source

$t_5 \dots t_8$  are parity

$\Rightarrow$  parity of each circle is even

ex  $011 \rightarrow 0111010$

$$t = G^T s$$

$$G^T = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

16 codewords lie in a 7-d space of  $2^7$  options

Decoding: Assume BSC

We could decode by finding message  $s$  whose encoding  $t(s)$  is closest to  $r$   
(16 choices)

Easier way: Find bit inside violated parity checks  
or outside unviolated ones

The violated circles give the syndrome

2-bit errors can't be fixed, and flipping them gives 3-bit errors

$$G^T = \begin{pmatrix} I \\ P \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow H = \begin{pmatrix} P & I_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$z = H \cdot r$$

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Ex 1.4

Codewords (in  $G$ ) has

$$H G^T = \begin{pmatrix} P & I_3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} I \\ P \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = G^T s + \eta$$

$\Rightarrow$  find most probable  $n$  s.t.  $Hn = z$

"Maximum Likelihood Decoder"

Every vector in  $\mathbb{F}_2^{\mathbb{Z}}$  is either a codeword or 1 flip away from one

**Block error:**

One or more bits fails to match the source:

$$P_B := P[s \neq \hat{s}]$$

**Bit error:**

Average probability that a decoded bit doesn't match its source bit:

$$P_b := \frac{1}{K} \sum_{k=1}^K P(s_k \neq \hat{s}_k)$$

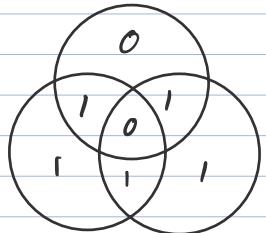
$$P_B \propto P[2 \text{ or more flipped}] \quad \text{for Hamming } \neq 4$$

$$O(f^2)$$

But rate is  $4/7 > 1/3$  from before

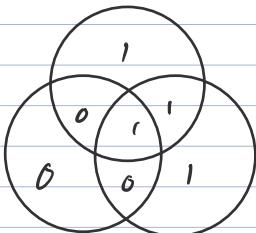
Ex 1.5 Decade

a) 1101011



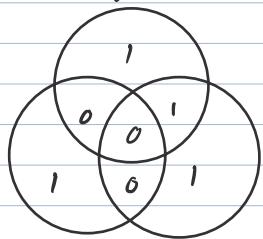
$$\Rightarrow z = 011 \Rightarrow 1100011$$

b) 0110110



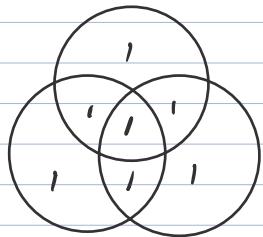
$$\Rightarrow z = 111 \Rightarrow 0100110$$

c) 0100111



$$\Rightarrow z = 001 \quad 0100110$$

d) 1111111



$$\Rightarrow z = 000 \quad 1111111$$

1.6 a)  $p_B$  for Hamming is  $\binom{7}{2} f^2 (-f)^{7-2} + O(f^3)$   
 $\approx 21 f^2$

b)  $p_b^{PB}$  for 2 flips is  $\propto f^2$  since we need 2 bits to flip

$$21f^2 \cdot \frac{3}{7} = 9f^2 + O(f^3)$$

$\nwarrow$  PC(2 Flip)  $\nwarrow$  # of wrong bits in that case

because the Hamming code is symmetric any bit (including the source bits) has an equal,  $\frac{3}{7}$  chance of flipping.

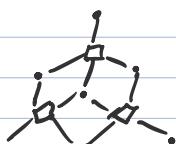
1.7 How many  $n$  give the zero syndrome?

The  $n$  w/ zero syndrome are exactly the 16 codewords by linearity

1.8 Can't have all 3 incorrectly flipped bits be parity, since flipping any 2 would never lead to the "corrected" 3rd one being the 3rd parity

$\Rightarrow$  2 noise flips implies block error

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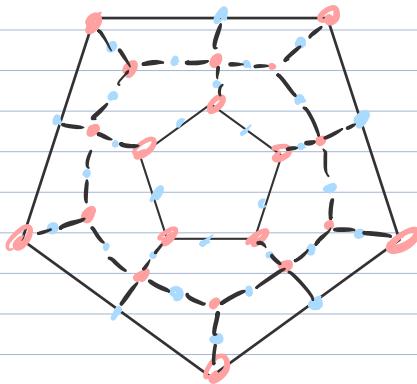


7,4 Hamming

Bipartite graph  $\Rightarrow$   $3 \times 7$  matrix w/ ones whenever there's an edge

Bipartite graph  $\Rightarrow$  error correcting code

30,11 Dodecahedron code



Any bit flip on pentagonal side still gives 0 syndrome

$\Rightarrow$  lowest weight codewords have weight 5

Distance 5  $\Rightarrow$  can correct 2x 5-bit flip errors

$\Rightarrow$  block error probability goes as

$$12 \cdot \binom{5}{3} \cdot f^3(1-f)^{12}$$

↑  
faces      ↑  
              3 bits  
              from 5  
              on face      ↑  
              adds

Generically no need to be planar

1.10 For  $N$  transmitted bits with  $\leq 2$  flips

$$\binom{N}{2} + \binom{N}{1} + \binom{N}{0} \quad \text{patterns}$$

14,8 cycle  
 $\Rightarrow$  6 syndrome bits

$$N = 14 \Rightarrow 91 + 14 + 1 = 106$$

$$M = 6 \Rightarrow 2^6 = 64$$

$$K = N - M$$
$$8 = 14 - 6$$

$$106 > 64 \Rightarrow \text{can't be 2-error correcting}$$

Source = tot - syndrome

$$\text{Linear or nonlinear } 2^k \cdot \left[ \binom{n}{2} + \binom{n}{1} + \binom{n}{0} \right] \leq 2^n$$

necessary for error correction

$$S_f \cdot S_h \leq 2^n$$

1.11 see (30, 11) code before

$$1.12 P_b[R_2^2] \approx p[R_3] \cdot (3 p[R_3] + \dots)$$

$$\approx 3(3f^2)^2 = 27f^4$$

*same message  
as  $R_q$  but  
different decoder*

$$P_b[R_q] \approx \binom{4}{5} f^5 \sim 126f^5$$

*better*

## Chapter 2

Eg 2.1 Joint ensemble of bigrams

$$P(x, y)$$

Marginalizing over either var gives some dist

Ex 2.2  $x, y$  not indep in  $P(x, y)$

Eg 2.3  $a = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{Jo has disease} \\ 0 & \text{Jo doesn't} \end{cases}$

$$b = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{pos} \\ 0 & \text{neg} \end{cases}$$

$$p(a=1) = 0.01$$

$$p(b=1|a=1) = .95$$

$$p(b=0|a=0) = .95$$

$$\Rightarrow P(a=1|b=1) = \frac{P(b=1|a=1) P(a=1)}{P(b=1|a=1) P(a=1) + P(b=1|a=0) P(a=0)}$$

$$= \frac{.95 \cdot .01}{.95 \cdot .01 + .05 \cdot .99}$$

$$= \frac{95}{95 + 99.5} \approx 0.16$$

You cannot do inference w/o making assumptions

## 2.3 Forward & inverse probability

Find:

Ex 2.4  $K$  balls  $B$  black  $W = K - B$  white  
draw w/ replacement  $N$  times

$$a) n_B = \text{Bin}(f_B, N) \quad f_B = \frac{B}{K}$$

$$b) E[n_B] = \frac{B}{K} \cdot N \quad \begin{aligned} B = 2 & \quad \{ N=5: 1, 45 \Rightarrow \sigma = \sqrt{\frac{2}{15}} \\ K=10 & \quad \{ N=400: 80, 64 \Rightarrow \sigma = 8 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Var}[n_B] = N \frac{B}{K} \left(1 - \frac{B}{K}\right)$$

Find:

$$\text{Ex 2.5 } z = \frac{(n_B - f_B N)^2}{N f_B (1-f_B)} \sim \chi^2 \text{ (approx)}$$

$$E[z] = 1$$

$$N=5 \quad f_B = \frac{1}{5} \Rightarrow \text{Var} = \frac{4}{5} \quad \mu = 1$$

only  $n_B = 1$  gives  $z < 1$

$$P[n_B=1] = \binom{5}{1} \frac{1}{5} \cdot \left(\frac{4}{5}\right)^4 \sim \frac{256}{625} = 0.41$$

Inv:

Ex 2.6 11 urns  
Urn  $u$  has  $n$  black,  $10-n$  white

$n_B$  blacks  $N-n_B$  whites

$$N=10$$

$$n_B = 3$$

$$P(u, n_B | N) = P(n_B | N, u) P(u)$$

$$P(u | n_B, N) = \underline{P(n_B | u, N) P(u)}$$

$$\binom{N}{n_B} \cancel{P(n_B | N)} S_H^{n_B} (1 - S_H)^{N-n_B}$$

$$\Rightarrow P(u | n_B, N) = \frac{1}{P(n_B | N)} \frac{1}{11} \binom{N}{n_B} \left(\frac{u}{10}\right)^{n_B} \left(\frac{10-u}{10}\right)^{N-n_B}$$

can eval & see it peaks near  $u=3$

Assuming now a new ball is drawn

$$P(N+1 \text{ is black} | n_B, N) = \sum_u P(N+1 \text{ is black} | n_B, u, N) P(u | n_B, N)$$

$\underbrace{\qquad\qquad}_{\frac{u}{10}}$

$$\approx 0.333$$

MAP would just give  $3/10$

Eg 2.7 Observe  $n_H$  in  $N$  tosses

$$P[N+1 \text{ is H} | n_H, N]$$

$\rightarrow$  Need assumption (prior)

Ex 2.8 uniform prior

$\underbrace{\text{prior}}_{\sim} = 1$

$$P[S_H | n_H, N] = \frac{P[n_H | f_H, N] P[S_H]}{P[n_H | N]}$$

$$= S_H^{n_H} (1 - S_H)^{N-n_H} \frac{(N+1)!}{n_H! (N-n_H)!}$$

$$P[N+1 \text{ is heads} | n_H, N] = \int_0^1 dF_H P[N+1 \text{ is heads} | f_H, n_H, N] P[f_H | n_H, N]$$

$\underbrace{\qquad\qquad\qquad}_{S_H}$

$$= \frac{(N+1)!}{n_H! (N-n_H)!} \int_0^1 dF_H S_H^{n_H+1} (1 - S_H)^{N-n_H}$$

$$= \frac{(N+1)!}{(N+2)!} \frac{(n_H+1)!}{n_H!} \frac{(N-n_H)!}{(N-n_H)!}$$

$$= \frac{n_H+1}{N+2}$$

$$N=3 \quad n_H=0 \rightarrow \frac{1}{5}$$

$$N=3 \quad n_H=2 \rightarrow \frac{3}{5}$$

$$N=10 \quad n_H=3 \rightarrow \frac{6}{12} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$N=300 \quad n_H=29 \rightarrow \frac{30}{302}$$

2.9 Compress binary files  $\rightarrow$  Chapter 6  
 $\rightarrow$  estimate  $p(\cdot)$  empirically

$$2.10 \quad |A| \quad |B| \\ \underline{0.09} \quad \underline{0.01}$$

$$P(A \text{ black}) = \frac{P(\text{black}|A) P(A)}{P(\text{black})} = \frac{\frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{2}}{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1}{3}$$

Likelihood principle:  $\theta \rightarrow D$  generative  
 $p(D|\theta)$

After observing a particular  $D$ , all inferences and predictions should depend only on  $p(D|\theta)$

## 2.4 Entropy & Related

$$H(X) < \log |A_x|$$

$$\text{redundancy} : 1 - \frac{H(X)}{\log |A_x|}$$

## 2.5 Decomposability of entropy

$$H(\vec{p}) = H_2(p_1) + (1-p_1) H\left(\frac{p_2}{1-p_1}, \frac{p_3}{1-p_1}, \dots\right)$$

keep  
flipping

$$\text{Generally } H(\vec{p}) = H_2(p_1 + \dots + p_m, p_{m+1} + \dots + p_n)$$

$$= (p_1 + \dots + p_m) H\left(\frac{p_1}{p_1 + \dots + p_m}, \dots, \frac{p_m}{p_1 + \dots + p_m}\right) \\ + (p_{m+1} + \dots + p_n) H\left(\frac{p_{m+1}}{p_{m+1} + \dots + p_n}, \dots, \frac{p_n}{p_{m+1} + \dots + p_n}\right)$$

$$\text{Ex 2.13: } \log 3 + \frac{1}{3} [\log 10 + \log 5 + \log 2]$$

$$\sim \log 30 \text{ bits}$$

## 2.6 Gibbs' inequality:

$$D_{KL}(p||q) \geq 0$$

## 2.7 Jensen's inequality:

$f$  convex

$$f(\lambda x_1 + (1-\lambda)x_2) \leq \lambda f(x_1) + (1-\lambda)f(x_2)$$

$$\Rightarrow E[f] \leq f(E[x])$$

Ex 2.14: Prove by induction

$$f\left(\sum p_i x_i\right) \leq p_1 f(x_1) + \sum_{i \geq 2} p_i f\left(\frac{\sum_{i \geq 2} p_i x_i}{\sum_{i \geq 2} p_i}\right)$$

$\leq \dots \leq \dots$

$\rightarrow \dots \rightarrow$

$$\begin{aligned} & - p_1 f(x_1) + p_2 f(x_2) + \sum_{i=3}^n p_i f\left(\frac{\sum_{i=3}^n p_i x_i}{\sum_{i=3}^n p_i}\right) \\ & \leq \sum p_i f(x_i) \end{aligned}$$

Ex 2.15: 3 squares w/  $\bar{A} = 100$   
 $\overline{Q} = 10$

$$(\bar{x})^2 = \bar{A} \Rightarrow \text{all squares the same}$$

Ex 2.16: a)

$\frac{1}{36}$	$\frac{2}{36}$	$\frac{3}{36}$	$\frac{4}{36}$	$\dots$	$\frac{3}{36}$	$\frac{2}{36}$	$\frac{1}{36}$
2, 3, 4, 5	...	10, 11, 12					

} sum of 2 dice

0	1	2	3	4	5
$\frac{1}{6}$	$\frac{4}{6} \cdot \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{6}$			$\frac{1}{36}$	$\frac{2}{36}$
$\frac{6}{36}$	$\frac{10}{36}$	$\frac{8}{36}$	$\frac{6}{36}$		

b) mean  $3.5 \cdot 100 = 350$   
var  $\frac{35}{12} \cdot 100 \approx 292 \Leftarrow$  Gaussian

$$\frac{1}{3} \cdot \left( \frac{1}{4} + \frac{9}{4} + \frac{25}{4} \right) = \frac{35}{12}$$

c) One ordinary 1 2 3 4 5 6

One spiky 6 6 6 0 0 0

d) Label r'th dice by  $\{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$

Add return

2.17  $\frac{p}{1-p} = \exp(a) \Rightarrow 1-p = p \exp(-a)$

$$1 = p(1 + \exp(-a))$$

$$\Rightarrow p = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-a}}$$

$$\frac{1 - \tanh(\frac{x}{2})}{2}$$

$$2.18 \quad \log \frac{P(x=1|y)}{P(x=0|y)} = \log \frac{P(y|x=1)p(x=1)}{P(y|x=0)p(x=0)} \quad \square$$

$$2.19 \quad d_1 \perp d_2 \mid x$$

$$\frac{P(x=1|\{d_1\})}{P(x=0|\{d_1\})} = \frac{P(d_1|x=1) P(d_2|x=1) P(x=1)}{P(d_1|x=0) P(d_2|x=0) P(x=0)}$$

$$2.20 \quad S_N \int_{r-\epsilon}^r dr r^{N-1} = S_N \frac{[r^N - (r-\epsilon)^N]}{S_N r^N} = 1 - (1 - \frac{\epsilon}{r})^N$$

as  $N \rightarrow \infty$   
this frac  $\rightarrow 1$

$$2.21 \quad E f(x) = 0.1 \cdot 10 + 0.2 \cdot 5 + 0.7 \cdot \frac{10}{2} = 3$$

$$E f = 3$$

$$2.22 \quad E \left[ \frac{1}{P} \right] = 1/1 \text{ always}$$

$$2.23 \quad 0.2$$

$$2.24 \quad P[P(x) \in [0.15, 0.5]] = 0.2$$

$$P \left[ \left| \log \frac{P(x)}{0.2} \right| > 0.05 \right] = p_a + p_c = 0.8$$

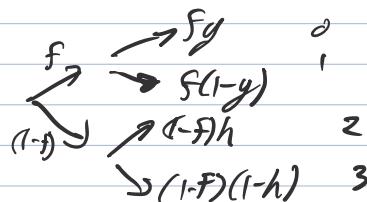
$$2.25 \quad H(x) = E \log \frac{1}{P} \leq \log E \frac{1}{P} = \log |A_x|$$

$$2.26 \quad D_{KL}(P||Q) = - \mathbb{E}_P \left( \log \frac{q}{p} \right) = - \log \mathbb{E}_P[1] = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2.27 \quad & - \sum_{\mathbf{x}} p(\mathbf{x}) \log p(\mathbf{x}) = - \sum_{x_1} p(x_1) \sum_{x_2 \dots x_n} p(x_2 \dots | x_1) \log p(x_1) p(x_2 \dots | x_1) \\ & = - \sum_{x_1} p(x_1) \log p(x_1) - \sum_{x_1} \sum_{x_2 \dots} p(x_2 \dots | x_1) \log p(x_2 \dots | x_1) \end{aligned}$$

$$H(X, Y) = H(X) + H(Y|X)$$

$$2.28 \quad H(X) = H_2(F) + FH_2(g) + (1-F)H_2(h)$$



$$\frac{\partial H(X)}{\partial F} = \log \frac{1-F}{F} + H_2(g) - H_2(h)$$

$$2.29 \quad \text{Directly : } \quad \begin{aligned} p(1) &= \frac{1}{2} \\ p(2) &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \\ &\vdots \\ &\frac{1}{2^n} \end{aligned} \quad \Rightarrow H(X) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 2^{-n} \cdot n \frac{1}{2^n}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial a} \frac{1}{1-a} \Big|_{a=\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= \frac{1}{1-\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$H(X) = H(1) + \frac{1}{2} H(2) + \dots + \frac{1}{2} H(3)$$

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$$= 2$$

$$2.30 \quad P[B_2 = W] = P[B_1 = W] \cdot P[B_2 = W | B_1 = W]$$

$$\rightarrow P[B_1 = B \cdot P[B_2 = W | B_1 = B]$$

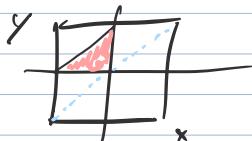
$$= \frac{w}{N} \frac{w-1}{N-1} + \frac{N-w}{N} \frac{w}{N-1} = \frac{w(w-1)}{N(N-1)} = \frac{w}{N}$$

2.31  $\frac{a}{b}$  chance of intersecting a line horizontally or vertically

$\Rightarrow (1 - \frac{a}{b})^2$  chance of being in a square

$$2.32 \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{d\theta}{2\pi} \frac{a \cos \theta}{b} = \frac{a}{b} \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \frac{d\theta}{\pi} \cos \theta = \frac{2a}{b\pi}$$

2.33



$x, y-x, 1-y$

$$\begin{aligned} x + y - x &> 1 - y \Rightarrow y > 1 - y \\ x &= 1 - y > y - x \Rightarrow 1 - y > y - x \\ 1 - y + y - x &> x \Rightarrow 1 - x > x \end{aligned}$$

$$y \approx x + \frac{1}{2}$$



$$\begin{aligned} y - x &\approx \frac{1}{2} \\ x &\approx \frac{1}{2} \\ y &\approx \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$P = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$2.34 E[x] = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n 2^{-n} = 2$$

$$\langle f \rangle = \left\langle \frac{h}{h+x} \right\rangle = \left\langle \frac{1}{h+x} \right\rangle \Rightarrow E[\frac{1}{n}] = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{F(13)^{n-1}}{n} = \frac{f \log F}{f-1}$$

2.35 a) Exponential dist

$$P(r) = \left(\frac{s}{e}\right)^{r-1} \frac{1}{s} \quad \text{memoryless}$$

$$E[r] = s$$

$$\underline{e^{-ar}} \quad \alpha = \log \frac{b}{s}$$

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b) Still 6 (memoryless)

c) Still 6

d)  $6 + 6 - 1 = 11$

e) Yes. More likely to arrive in bigger open spot

2.36 a)  $\frac{1}{2}$

b)  $\frac{2}{3}$

FAB

FBA

AFB

BFA

ABF

BAF

$$2.37 P(I_T | 2_T) = \frac{P(2_T | I_T) P(I_T)}{P(2_T | I_T) P(I_T) + P(2_T | I_F) P(I_F)}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{3}}{\frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{2}{3}} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$2.38 1) P_B = 3f^2(1-f) + f^3$$

$$2) P(r=000) = \frac{1}{2} \xrightarrow{P(S=0)} (1-f)^3 + \frac{1}{2} f^3 \xrightarrow{P(S=1)}$$

$$P(r=001) = \frac{1}{2} f(1-f)^2 + \frac{1}{2} f^2(1-f) = \frac{1}{2} f(1-f)$$

$$p(\text{error} | \dots) \xrightarrow{P(S=1|000)} P(S=1|000) = \frac{f^3 \cdot \frac{1}{2}}{\frac{1}{2}[(1-f)^3 + f^3]} = \frac{f^3}{(1-f)^3 + f^3}$$

$$p(S=1|001) = \frac{(1-f)f^2 \cdot \frac{1}{2}}{\frac{1}{2}f(1-f)} = f$$

$$\Rightarrow p(\text{error}) = \sum_r p(r) p(\text{error}|r) = 2 \cdot \frac{1}{2}[(1-f)^3 + f^3] P(\text{err}|000) + 6 \cdot \frac{1}{2} f(1-f) P(\text{err}|001) \\ = f^3 + 3f^2(1-f)$$

$$2.39 - \sum \frac{0.1}{n} \log_2 \frac{0.1}{n} \sim 9.72 \text{ bits/word}$$

## Chapter 3

Ex 3.1

$$\frac{P(A|D)}{P(B|D)} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2}}{\frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2}} = \frac{9}{32} \Rightarrow B$$

$$P(A|D) = \frac{9}{9+32} = \frac{9}{41}$$

Ex 3.2

$$\begin{aligned} 20^3 P(A|D) &= 3 \cdot 1 \cdot 2 \cdot 1 \cdot 3 \cdot 1 \cdot 1 = 18 \\ 20^3 P(B|D) &= 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 1 \cdot 2 = 2^6 = 64 \\ 20^3 P(C|D) &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{18}{83} \quad \frac{64}{83} \quad \frac{1}{83}$$

Ex 3.3

$$P(x|\lambda) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\lambda} e^{-\lambda/x} Z(\lambda) & 1 < \lambda < 20 \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$$P(\lambda | \{x_i\}) = \frac{1}{(\lambda Z(\lambda))^n} \exp\left[-\sum_n x_n/\lambda\right] P(\lambda)$$

$$Z(\lambda) = \int_1^{20} dx \frac{e^{-\lambda/x}}{\lambda} = e^{-\lambda} - e^{-20\lambda}$$

What you know about  $\lambda$  after the data is what you knew before  $P(\lambda)$  & what the data told you  $P(\{x_i\} | \lambda)$

$\lambda$  is not stochastic. Rather we have a degree of belief

Ex 3.4

$$\begin{aligned} P(\theta) &= .6 \\ P(AB) &= .01 \end{aligned}$$

$$P(\text{crime} | O) = \underline{P(O | \text{crime}) P(\text{crime})}$$

$$p(D|S) = p_{AB} \quad \sum p(D|S) = \frac{1}{2p_0} = \frac{1}{6} P(\text{crime}) \leq P(\text{crime})$$

$$p(D|\bar{S}) = 2p_0 p_{AB}$$

Ex 3.5  $P(p_a | aba) = p_a^2 (1-p_a)^1$



$$P(p_a | bbb) = (1-p_a)^3$$

$$P(a|s, F) = \frac{F_a + 1}{F_a + F_b + 2} \quad \text{Laplace}$$

\* Ex 3.6  $H_1$  is uniform  
 $H_2$  is  $p = 1/6$

$$\frac{P(H_1 | S, F)}{P(H_2 | S, F)} = \frac{\frac{F_a! F_b!}{(F_a + F_b + 1)!}}{p_0^{F_a} (1-p_0)^{F_b}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \log \frac{P(H_1 | S)}{P(H_2 | S)} &= -\log \binom{F}{F_a} - \log (F+1) - \log p_0^{F_a} (1-p_0)^{F_b} \\ &= F_a \log p_0 F + F_b \log (1-p_0) - F \log (F+1) - \frac{1}{2} \log 2\pi \frac{F_a F_b}{F} \\ &= F(p_a \log p_a + p_b \log p_b) + \frac{1}{2} \log (2\pi p_a p_b F) \\ &= F \left( p_a \log \frac{p_a}{p_0} + \log \frac{p_b}{1-p_0} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \log (2\pi p_a p_b F) \\ &= F D_{KL}(p_a || p_0) - \frac{1}{2} \log \left( \sqrt{F+1} \right) \end{aligned}$$

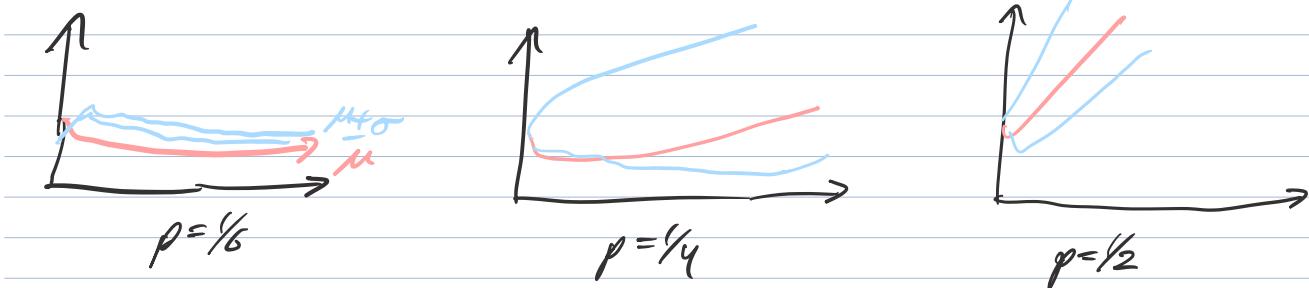
*increases linearly unless*

*increases logarithmically*

$$p_a \rightarrow p_0 \text{ in RL}$$

3.7  $F_a = p_a F \leq \sqrt{F p_a (1-p_a)}$

→ Make plots of evidence



### 3.8 Monty Hall: Switch

### 3.9 Earthquake NH: no need

3.10  $l, m, n$  are the sexes

$$l=1 \Rightarrow \begin{cases} m=0 & n=0 \\ m=1 & n=0 \\ m=0 & n=1 \end{cases}$$

$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{3}$  chance of 2 girls 1 boy  
 $\frac{1}{3}$  chance of 1 girl 2 boys

3.11

$$P(h|m=1) = 0.28$$

↑  
husband  
did it

$$P(b|h=0) = 0.02$$

$$P(b|h=1) = 0.9$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(h|b=1, m=1) &= \frac{P(b=1|h=1) \cdot P(h=1|m=1)}{P(b=1|h=1)P(h=1|m=1) + P(b=1|h=0)P(h=0|m=1)} \\ &= \frac{0.9 \cdot 0.28}{\dots} \approx 95\% \end{aligned}$$

$$0.9 \cdot 0.28 + 0.02 \cdot 0.72$$

3.12  $P(D | H=0) = 1$   $P(D | H=1) = \frac{1}{2}$

*draw* *original was white*

$$\Rightarrow P(H=0|D) = \frac{1 \cdot \frac{1}{2}}{\frac{3}{4}} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$P(H=1|D) = \frac{1}{3}$$

3.13  $P(D | H_0) = 1$

$$P(D | H_1) = \alpha \cdot \beta$$

*P(valid  $\alpha$ )* *P(busy | valid)*

$$\approx \frac{25000}{10^6} - 0.01 \quad (\text{Fewer if YMM})$$

$$\approx 0.1 - 1\%$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{P(D|H_0)}{P(D|H_1)} \approx 10^3$$

if prior was 50/50 then

$$P(H_0|D) = \frac{1}{1 - \frac{P(D|H_1)}{P(D|H_0)}} \approx 0.99$$

3.14  $\frac{1}{3}$  prob

3.15  $H_0 \Rightarrow p_0 = \frac{1}{2}$   
 $H_1 \Rightarrow$  biased, w uniform prior on bias

$$\frac{P(D|H_1)}{P(D|H_0)} = \frac{\frac{140! \cdot 110!}{251!}}{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{250}} \approx 0.48$$

Tweaking to Beta prior:

$$\frac{P(D|\mathcal{H}_\alpha)}{P(D|\mathcal{H}_0)} = \frac{2^{250}}{\Gamma(250+2\alpha)} \frac{\Gamma(140+\alpha) \Gamma(110-\alpha)}{\Gamma(140+2\alpha)} \frac{\Gamma(-\alpha)}{\Gamma(\alpha)^2}$$

ratio is  $\leq 1$  for  $\alpha < 3$   
and never  $> 2$

IF but  $\mathcal{H}_1$  is even less likely  
under uniform prior  
 $\Rightarrow$  Don't be a frequentist!