

# Lecture 10 - LIVE -

WS10

(1) Toss a fair coin 3 times

$\hookrightarrow$  Heads  $\Rightarrow \$3 +$   
 $\hookrightarrow$  Tails  $\Rightarrow \$0$

\$5 Buy in

(b) Should you play?

Erick says no

$$P(X = \text{heads} \geq 2) = 50\%$$

Flip coin 3 times

$\hookrightarrow \Omega$       HHH  
 $\parallel$       ~~HTH~~  
 $3 \cdot \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{8} = \frac{4}{8}$

$2 \times 2 \times 2 = 2^3 = 8$

$$P(X=2) = \binom{3}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$+ P(X=3) = \binom{3}{3} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^3 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

Payout table  
3X

\$0	\$3	\$6	\$9
$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{3}{8}$	$\frac{3}{8}$	$\frac{1}{8}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 E(3X) &= 0 \cdot \frac{1}{8} + 3 \cdot \frac{3}{8} + 6 \cdot \frac{3}{8} + 9 \cdot \frac{1}{8} \\
 &= \frac{9 + 18 + 18}{8} = \frac{36}{8} \\
 &= 4.5 \text{ \$}
 \end{aligned}$$

Recognize

$$X = X_1 + X_2 + X_3$$

where  $X_i = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if i-th throw heads} \\ 0 & \text{o.w.} \end{cases} \quad P = 1/2$

Beautiful Fact

$$\begin{aligned}
 E(X) &= E(X_1 + X_2 + X_3) = E(X_1) + E(X_2) \\
 &= 3/2 = 1.5 \quad + E(X_3)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$E(3X - 5) = 3E(X) - 5$$

$$= 3 \cdot \frac{3}{2} - 5$$

$$= \frac{9}{2} (\approx 4.58) - 5$$

$$= -50 \text{ cents?}$$

$E(aX+b)$

$= aE(X) + b$

PT of L.O.E

## PT 2 of Linearity of Expectation (L.O.E)

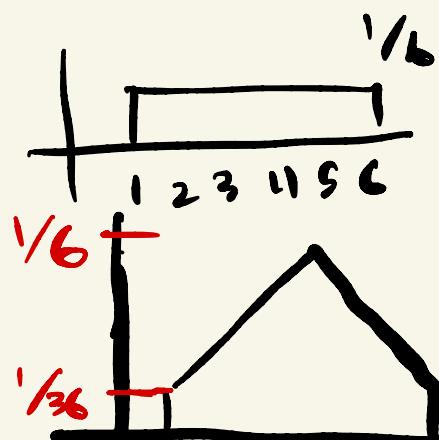
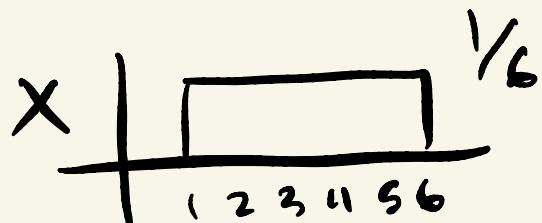
If  $X \neq Y$  then  $E(X+Y) = E(X) + E(Y)$

When do we encounter  $X+Y (= Z)$

Ex Roll 2 dice

$Y$

6	7	8	9	10	11	12
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	2	3	4	5	6	7



$$P(X+Y=2) = \frac{1}{36} \quad P(X+Y=7) = \frac{6}{36} = \frac{1}{6}$$

For  $Z = X+Y$   $X, Y \sim \text{Unif}\{1, \dots, 6\}$

$$E(Z) = 2 \cdot \left(\frac{1}{36}\right) + 3 \cdot \left(\frac{2}{36}\right) + \dots + 7 \cdot \left(\frac{6}{36}\right) + \dots$$

$$E(Z) = \sum_{Z \text{ possible}} z \cdot P(Z=z)$$

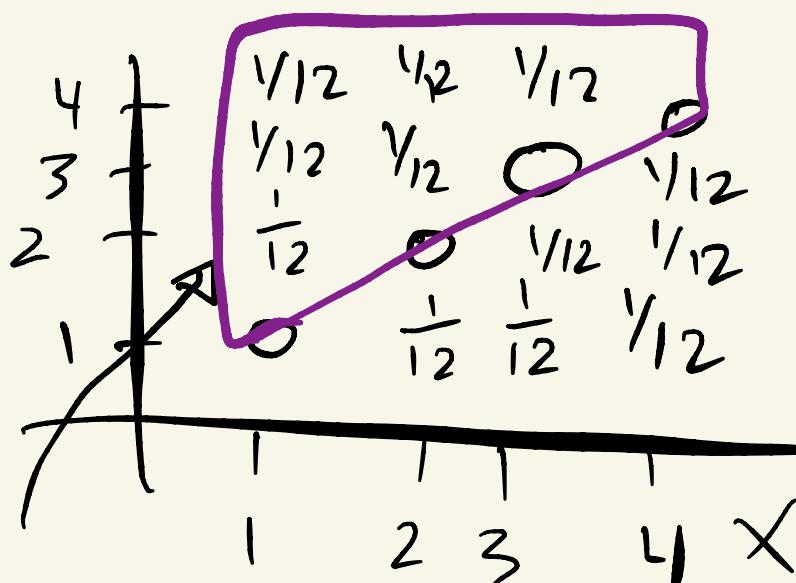
My L.O.E. Formula says

$$\begin{aligned} E(Z) &= E(X+Y) \\ &= E(X) + E(Y) = 2 \cdot \frac{7}{2} \textcircled{7} \end{aligned}$$

Recall  $E(X) = \frac{1}{6} \cdot 1 + \frac{1}{6} \cdot 2 + \frac{1}{6} \cdot 3 + \dots + \frac{1}{6} \cdot 6$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{6} \cdot (1+2+\dots+6) \\ &= \cancel{\frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{6 \cdot 7}{2}} = \frac{7}{2} = 3.5 \end{aligned}$$

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$$\binom{4}{2} = 6$$

(a)

~~1/12~~

$$\frac{4 \times 3}{2} = \frac{12}{2}$$

$P(X \leq Y)$

$$= \frac{6}{12} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$P(1_{12}) = \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)$$

$$Z = X + Y$$

Z	3	4	5	6	7
$P_Z(z)$	$\frac{2}{12}$	$\frac{3}{12}$	$\frac{21}{12}$	$\frac{2}{12}$	$\frac{2}{12}$

$$\frac{2}{12} \underbrace{(3+4+6+7)}_{\text{EG}} + 5 \cdot \frac{4}{12}$$

w/ Replacement

$$\frac{2 \cdot 20}{12} + \frac{20}{12} = \frac{60}{12} = 5$$

$$\Omega = \frac{4 \times 4}{16} = \frac{1}{16}$$

$$17 \quad \begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|} \hline & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

(c)

4	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{16}$
3	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{16}$
2	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{16}$
1	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{16}$

How many  
 $(X, Y)$

possible pairs?

w/ replacement

$$4 \times 4 = 16$$

$$P(X \leq Y) = \frac{16}{16}$$

(d)  $E(X+Y) = E(X) + E(Y)$

First  $E(X) = ? = 2 \cdot \frac{5}{2} = 5$

$$x | 1, 2, 3, 4$$

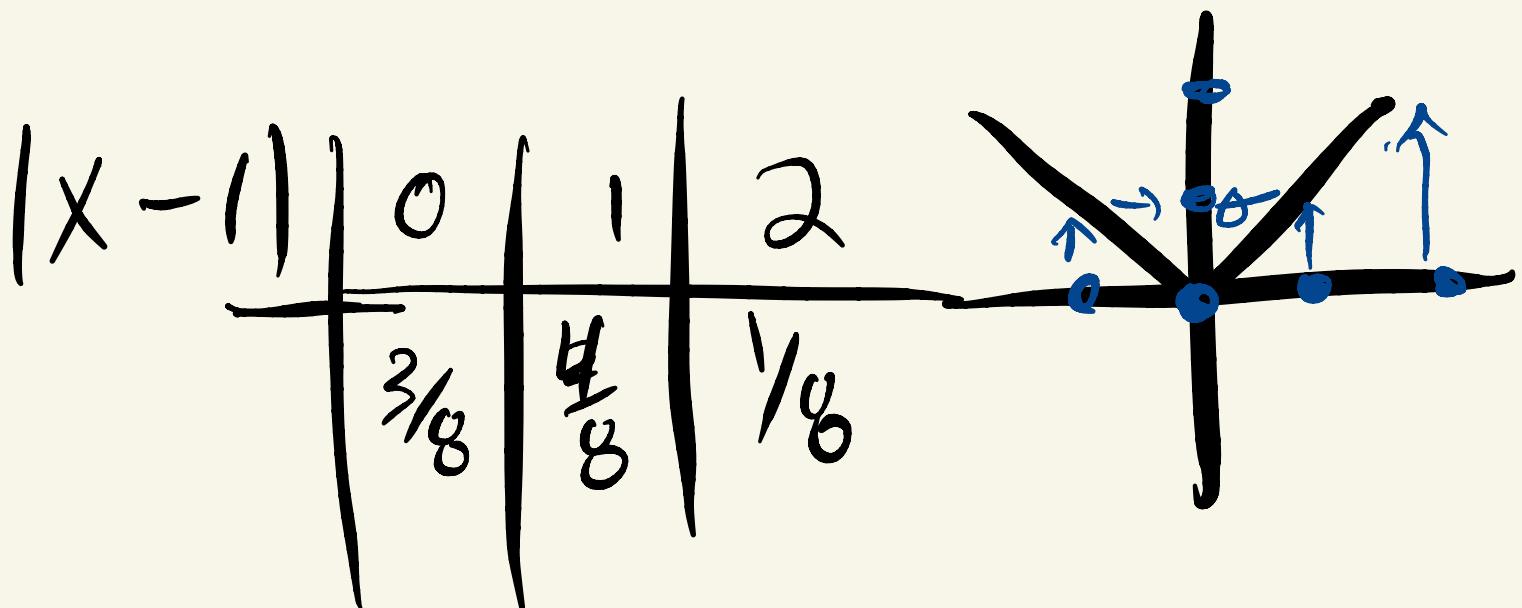
$$P(X=x) | \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4} = 2.5$$

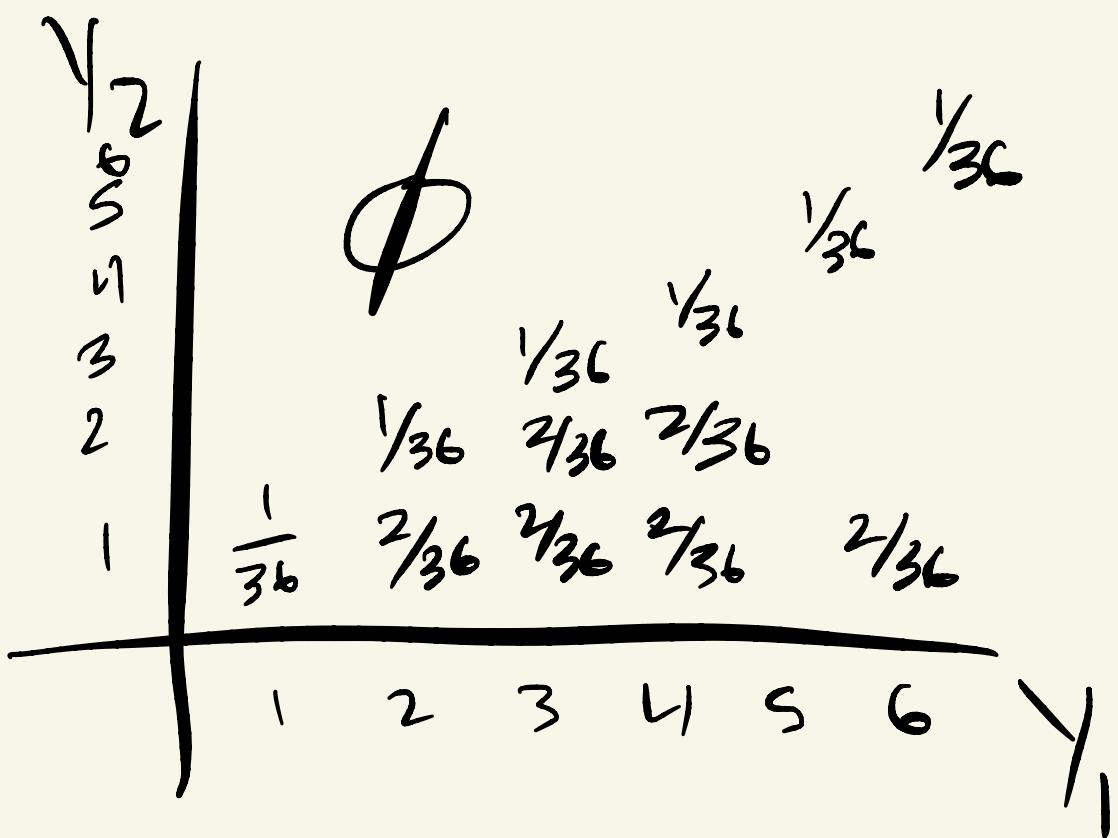
$$E(X) = ? = \frac{1}{4}(1+2+3+4) = \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{4 \cdot 5}{2}$$

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c)

$$X \sim \begin{array}{cccc} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ \hline 1/8 & 3/8 & 3/8 & 1/8 \end{array}$$

$$X-1 \sim \begin{array}{cccc} -1 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{array}$$





$$Y_1 = \max(x_1, x_2) \geq Y_2 = \min(x_1, x_2)$$

$$(i, j) \longrightarrow (\max(i, j), \min(i, j))$$

$$(1, 6) \longrightarrow (1, 1)$$

$$(6, 1) \longrightarrow (1, 1)$$