

① $X \sim \text{Geo}(p)$

$$P(X=k) = p \cdot (1-p)^{k-1}$$

; X is v.v. representing the number of trials until the first success occurs.
 • p is the probability of success.

$$E[X] = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (k \cdot P(X=k)) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k \cdot p \cdot (1-p)^{k-1} =$$

$$= p \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k \cdot (1-p)^{k-1} = p(1 + 2(1-p)^1 + 3(1-p)^2 + \dots)$$

$$= p \left(\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (1-p)^{k-1} + \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} (1-p)^{k-1} + \sum_{k=3}^{\infty} (1-p)^{k-1} + \dots \right) =$$

$p \in [0,1]$ thus $1-p \in [0,1]$, so we can use fact that

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} r^{i-1} = \frac{1}{1-r}$$

$$= p \left(\frac{1}{1-(1-p)} + \frac{1-p}{1-(1-p)} + \frac{(1-p)^2}{1-(1-p)} + \dots \right) =$$

$$= 1 + (1-p) + (1-p)^2 + \dots$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (1-p)^{k-1} = \frac{1}{1-(1-p)} = \frac{1}{p}$$

$$\textcircled{2} X \sim \text{Geo}(p)$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = E[X^2] - E[X]^2 = E[X(X-1)] + E[X] - E[X]^2 =$$

$$= E[X(X-1)] + \frac{1}{p} - \frac{1}{p^2} = \textcircled{1}$$

$$E[X^2] = E[X^2 - X + X] =$$

$$= E[X(X-1)] + E[X]$$

$$E[X(X-1)] = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k(k-1) p (1-p)^{k-1} =$$

$$= p \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k(k-1) (1-p)^{k-1} \overset{q=1-p}{=} p \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k(k-1) q^{k-1} = p \frac{d}{dq} \left(\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (k-1) q^k \right) =$$

$$= p \frac{d}{dq} \left(\sum_{k=2}^{\infty} (k-1) q^k \right) = p \frac{d}{dq} \left(q \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} (k-1) q^{k-2} \right) = p \frac{d}{dq} \left(q^2 \frac{d}{dq} \left(\sum_{k=2}^{\infty} q^{k-1} \right) \right)$$

$$= p \frac{d}{dq} \left(q^2 \frac{d}{dq} \left(\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} q^k \right) \right) = p \frac{d}{dq} \left(q^2 \frac{d}{dq} \left(\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} q^k - 1 \right) \right) = \textcolor{violet}{q \in [0,1]}$$

$$= p \frac{d}{dq} \left(q^2 \frac{d}{dq} \left(\frac{1}{1-q} - 1 \right) \right) = p \frac{d}{dq} \left(\frac{q^2}{(1-q)^2} \right) = p \left(\frac{-2q}{(q-1)^3} \right) =$$

$$= p \left(\frac{-2(1-p)}{(1-p-1)^3} \right) = p \left(\frac{-2(1-p)}{-p^3} \right) = \frac{2(1-p)}{p^2}$$

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

$$= \frac{1-p}{p^2}$$

③ $p \in [0,1], n \geq k \geq 1, n, k \in \mathbb{N}$ $\arg \max(\cdot)$

a) $f(p) = np(1-p)^{n-1} =$

• $\alpha(p) = np$

• $\beta(p) = (1-p)^{n-1} = \gamma(\delta(p))$

$\gamma(x) = x^{n-1}$

$\delta(x) = 1-x$

$f'(p) = (\alpha(p) \cdot \beta(p))' =$
 $= \alpha'(p) \beta(p) + \alpha(p) \beta'(p) =$

$\beta'(p) = (\gamma(\delta(p)))' = \gamma'(\delta(p)) \cdot \delta'(p) =$
 $= (n-1)(1-p)^{n-2} \cdot (-1) = \underline{(1-n)(1-p)^{n-2}}$

$n \cdot (1-p)^{n-1} + np \cdot (1-n)(1-p)^{n-2} =$

$= n(1-p)(1-p)^{n-2} + np(1-n)(1-p)^{n-2} =$

$= (1-p)^{n-2} (n - np) + (np - n^2 p)(1-p)^{n-2} =$

$= (1-p)^{n-2} (n - np + np - n^2 p) = (1-p)^{n-2} (n - n^2 p)$

$f'(p) = 0$

$(1-p)^{n-2} (n - n^2 p) = 0$

$(1-p)^{n-2} = 0 \vee n - n^2 p = 0$

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 $p = 1$

$n(1 - np) = 0$

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 $n = 0$

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 $np = 1$

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 $p = \frac{1}{n}$

We should also calculate $f''(p)$ to check if it's min or max but we know how this function looks.

$$b) f(n) = n p (1-p)^{n-1}$$

$$\cdot L(n) = n \cdot c$$

$$\begin{aligned} \cdot \alpha(n) &= np \\ \cdot \beta(n) &= (1-p)^{n-1} \end{aligned} \quad f'(n) = \alpha'(n) \beta(n) + \alpha(n) \beta'(n) =$$

$$= p \cdot (1-p)^{n-1} + np \cdot \ln(1-p) (1-p)^{n-1} =$$

$$= p(1-p)^{n-1} (1 + n \ln(1-p))$$

$$f'(c_n) \stackrel{?}{=} 0$$

$$f'(n) \stackrel{?}{=} 0$$

$$p(1-p)^{n-1} (1 + n \cdot \ln(1-p)) = 0$$

$$\checkmark \quad 1+n \cdot (n(1-p)) = 0$$

$$h = - \frac{1}{\ln(1-p)}$$

$$p=0 \quad \vee \quad p=1$$

$$c) f(k) = \binom{n}{k} p^k (1-p)^{n-k}$$

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$$\textcircled{4} \quad (1+x)^r \geq 1+rx \quad \text{for } x \geq -1, r \geq 1$$

see next task $\textcircled{5}$...

$$\triangleq (1+x)^{\frac{p}{q}} \leq 1 + \frac{p}{q}x$$

$$\text{since } \frac{p}{q} < 1 \wedge x \geq -1$$

$$(1+x) \leq \left(1 + \frac{p}{q}x\right)^{\frac{q}{p}}$$

$$\text{let } y = \frac{p}{q}x, \text{ note that since } x \geq -1$$

$$y \geq -\frac{p}{q} \geq -1$$

$$\left(1 + \frac{q}{p}y\right) \leq (1+y)^{\frac{q}{p}}$$

$$\text{let } \frac{q}{p} = s \quad (s \text{ is arbitrary rational number } \geq 1)$$

$$(y - 1 \quad 1 \quad - \quad \geq -1)$$

$$(1+y)^s \geq 1+sy \quad \square$$

$$(5) (1+x)^r \leq 1+rx, \quad x \geq -1, \quad r \in (0,1) \quad \text{fun proof}$$

$$\text{Let } r = \frac{p}{q}, \quad p, q \in \mathbb{N}^+ \quad p < q$$

Let's consider such series:

$$\underbrace{1, 1, \dots, 1, \underbrace{(1+x), (1+x), \dots, (1+x)}_p}_{q} = \text{flower}$$

$$\text{Geometric Mean (flower)} = \sqrt[q]{1 \cdot 1 \cdot \dots \cdot 1 \cdot (1+x) \cdot \dots (1+x)} = (1+x)^{\frac{p}{q}}$$

$$\text{Arithmetic Mean (flower)} = \frac{1+1+\dots+1+(1+x)\dots(1+x)}{q} = 1 + \frac{p}{q}x$$

then using well known fact that for any n non-negative numbers $(x \geq -1)$
 $GM \leq AM$ we conclude that

$$(\square \Rightarrow) \quad (1+x)^{\frac{p}{q}} \leq 1 + \frac{p}{q}x \quad \text{so after substituting } n = \frac{p}{q}$$

$$(1+x)^r \leq 1+rx \quad \square$$

⑥ $1+x \leq e^x, x \in \mathbb{R}$

Let's define $f(x) = e^x - 1 - x$, we will prove that this function is always non negative.

$$f'(x) = e^x - 1, f'(0) = 1 - 1 = 0$$

$f''(x) = e^x$, since 2nd derivative is > 0 for all x , f' is strictly increasing.

$f'(x) \geq 0$ for $x \geq 0$ and $f'(x) \leq 0$ for $x \leq 0$, thus

$f(x)$ has a minimum in $x=0$, namely $f(0) = 0$.

So $f(x) \geq 0$, what means that $e^x - 1 - x \geq 0 \Leftrightarrow 1+x \leq e^x$ \square

$$\textcircled{7} \quad \frac{x}{e^x} < \frac{1.5}{x^2}, \quad x > 0$$

x^2 is always > 0

$\frac{x^3}{e^x} < \frac{3}{2}$ we will prove that, by showing that $f(x) = \frac{x^3}{e^x}$

1) has ^{global} max value $\frac{27}{e^3}$, at $x=3$

2) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = 0$

$$1) f'(x) = -e^{-x}(x-3)x^2, \quad -e^{-x}(x-3)x^2 = 0$$

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 $x=0$ $x=3$
 $x \neq 0$

$$f''(x) = e^{-x}x(x^2 - 6x + 6), \quad f''(3) = e^{-3} \cdot 3(3^2 - 6 \cdot 3 + 6) < 0, \text{ thus}$$

f has a local maximum in $x=3$.

$$f(3) = \frac{27}{e^3} \approx 1.344 < 1.5$$

$$2) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^3}{e^x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{27}{e^x} = 0$$

using L'Hospital's rule three times

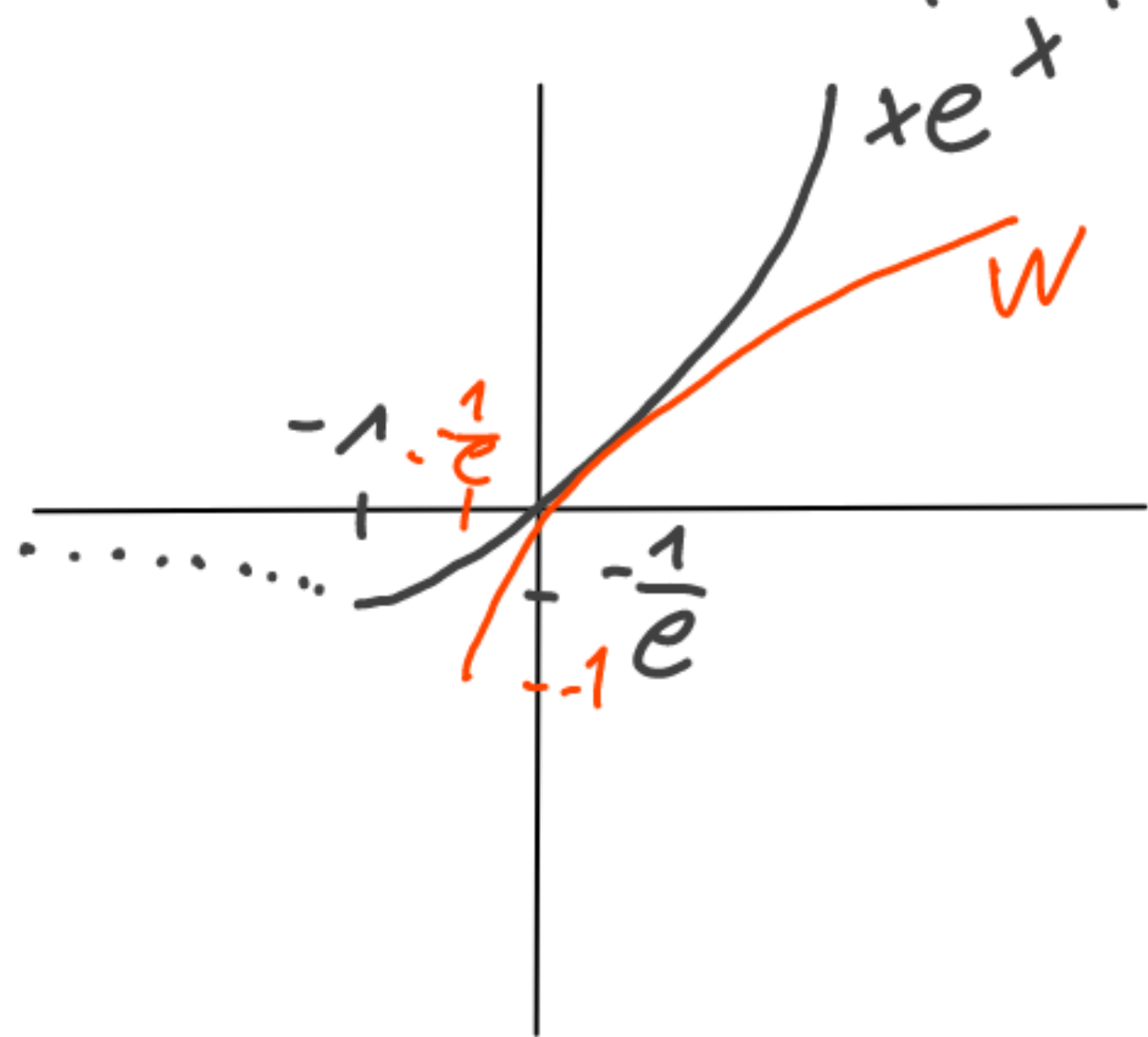
$$\textcircled{8} \quad f_i(n) = n \frac{1}{2^i} \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^i}\right)^{n-1}$$

$$a) \quad f_i(2^{i-1}) = 2^{i-1} \frac{1}{2^i} \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^i}\right)^{2^{i-1}-1} = \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^i}\right)^{2^{i-1}-1}$$

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⑨ Lambert W function

$W(x)$ is the inverse of $f(x) = xe^x$. $x \in \mathbb{R}$



$$D_w: [-\frac{1}{e}, +\infty)$$

$$\text{Im}_w: [-1, +\infty)$$

note that $f(x)$ on $(-\infty, -1)$ is decreasing thus when defining its inverse we cut the domain.

with such definition of W , we have:

$$\cdot W(xe^x) = x, \quad x \geq -1$$

$$\cdot W(x)e^{W(x)} = x, \quad x \geq -\frac{1}{e}$$

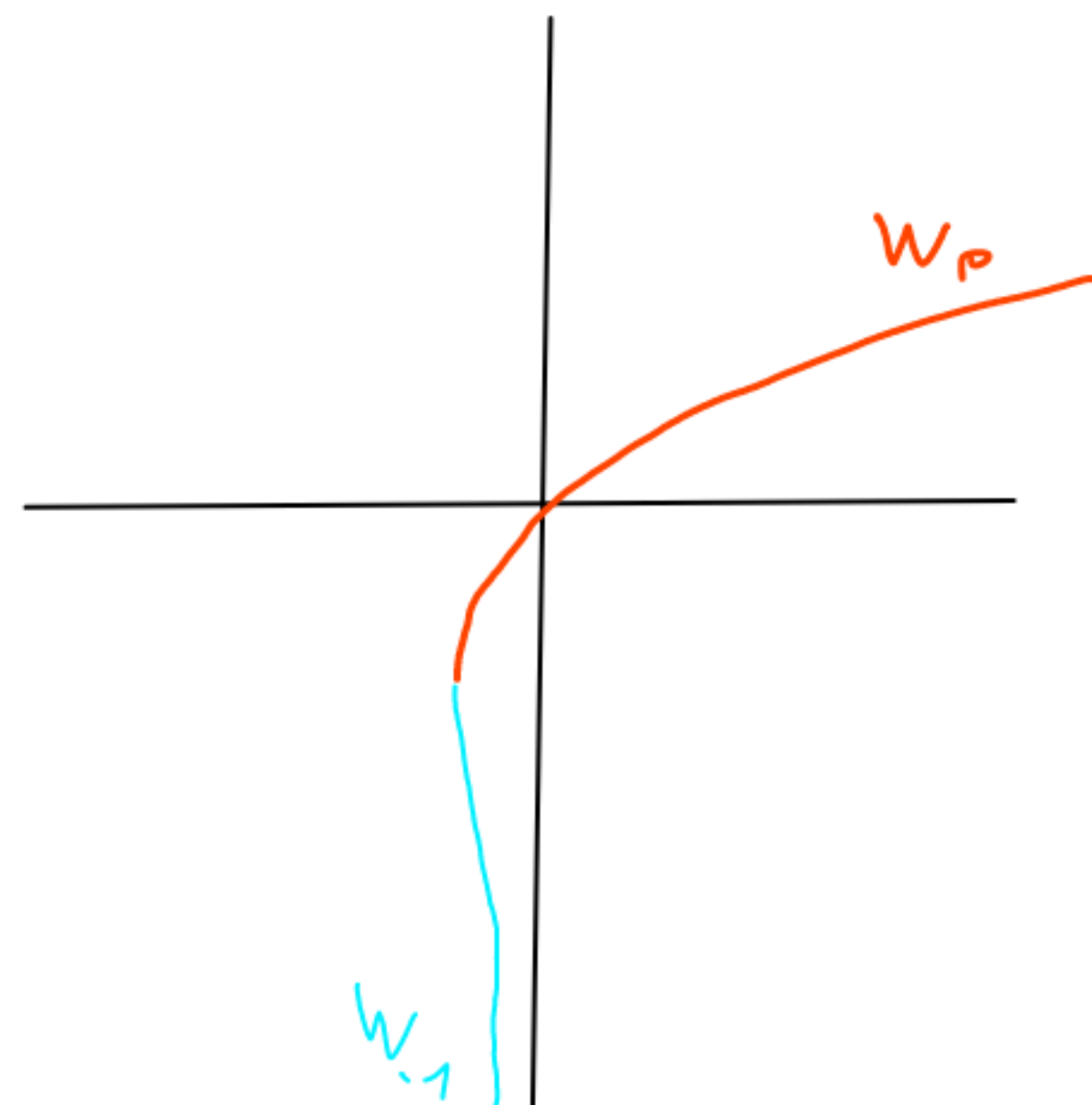
But Lambert W function may be also considered with complex numbers. Then for each $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ there is one branch

$W_k: \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, these functions have following property:

for any $w, z \in \mathbb{C}$:

$$we^w = z \Leftrightarrow w = W_k(z) \text{ for some } k.$$

for real numbers branch W_{-1}, W_0 are enough.



⑩ $3^x = x^3$ using Lambert W function
a) we want to transform above equation to form $ze^z = w$.

$$3^x = x^3 \quad / \ln$$

$$x \cdot \ln(3) = 3 \cdot \ln(x)$$

$$\frac{\ln(3)}{3} = \frac{\ln(x)}{x}$$

$$\ln(x) \cdot x^{-1} = \frac{\ln(3)}{3}$$

$$\ln(x) \cdot e^{-\ln(x)} = \frac{\ln(3)}{3}$$

$$-\ln(x) \cdot e^{-\ln(x)} = \frac{\ln(3)}{3} \quad / W_k(\cdot)$$

$$W_k(-\ln(x) \cdot e^{-\ln(x)}) = W_k\left(\frac{\ln(3)}{3}\right)$$

$$-\ln(x) = W_k\left(\frac{\ln(3)}{3}\right)$$

$$x = e^{-W_k\left(\frac{\ln(3)}{3}\right)} \quad \text{for two real branches}$$

$$\cdot k = -1 : x = 3$$

$$\cdot k = 0 : x \approx 2.478...$$

b) this function is called Product Log. It sort of makes sense considering that the inverse of e^x is natural log, then the inverse of $x \cdot e^x$ is product log.

$$(11) \ln(x) - \ln(\ln(x)) < W_0(x) \leq \ln(x) - \frac{1}{2} \ln(\ln(x)), x \geq e$$

so, we have $\ln x - 1 \ln \ln x < W_0(x) \leq \ln x - \frac{1}{2} \ln \ln x$

let's follow the article:

1. let's define $f(x) = \ln x - \frac{1}{p} \ln \ln x - W_0(x)$, for $p \in (0, 2]$
(subtraction of $W_0(x)$ from left and right side)

2. for $x \geq e$, we have

$$\frac{d}{dx} f(x) = \frac{p \ln x - 1 - W_0(x)}{p x (1 + W_0(x)) \ln x}$$

3. for $p=2$:

$$\frac{d}{dx} f_{p=2}(x) = \frac{(\ln(x) - W_0(x)) + (\ln x - 1)}{2 x (1 + W_0(x)) \ln x}$$

4. $\frac{d}{dx} f_{p=2}(x) > 0$ for $x > e \rightarrow f_{p=2}(x) > f_{p=2}(e) = 0$, in the case of $x=e$ $f(x)=0$ giving equality, what proves right hand side.

5. for $p \in (0, 2)$:

$$\frac{d}{dx} f(e) = \frac{p-2}{2ep} \text{ what is } < 0, \text{ thus } -\frac{1}{2} \text{ is the best coefficient.}$$

6. left side; for $x \geq e$: $\left. \begin{array}{l} \ln(W_0(x)) = \ln x - W_0(x) \\ \ln(W_0(x)) \leq \ln \ln(x) \end{array} \right\} \text{ because } W_0(x) < \ln x$

then $\ln x - W_0(x) \leq \ln \ln(x) \Leftrightarrow \ln x - 1 \ln \ln x - W_0(x) \leq 0$

7. -1 comes from the fact that $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (-(\ln x - 1 \ln \ln x - W_0(x))) = 0$

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I hope you won't make it here.