

دوره آموزشی «علم داده» Data Science Course

جلسه هفتم: چرا احتمالات؟



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IPM, 2019
Operator
Algebra
Workshop

Probability and Finance

Tie-ins to Finance

Option pricing



Option:

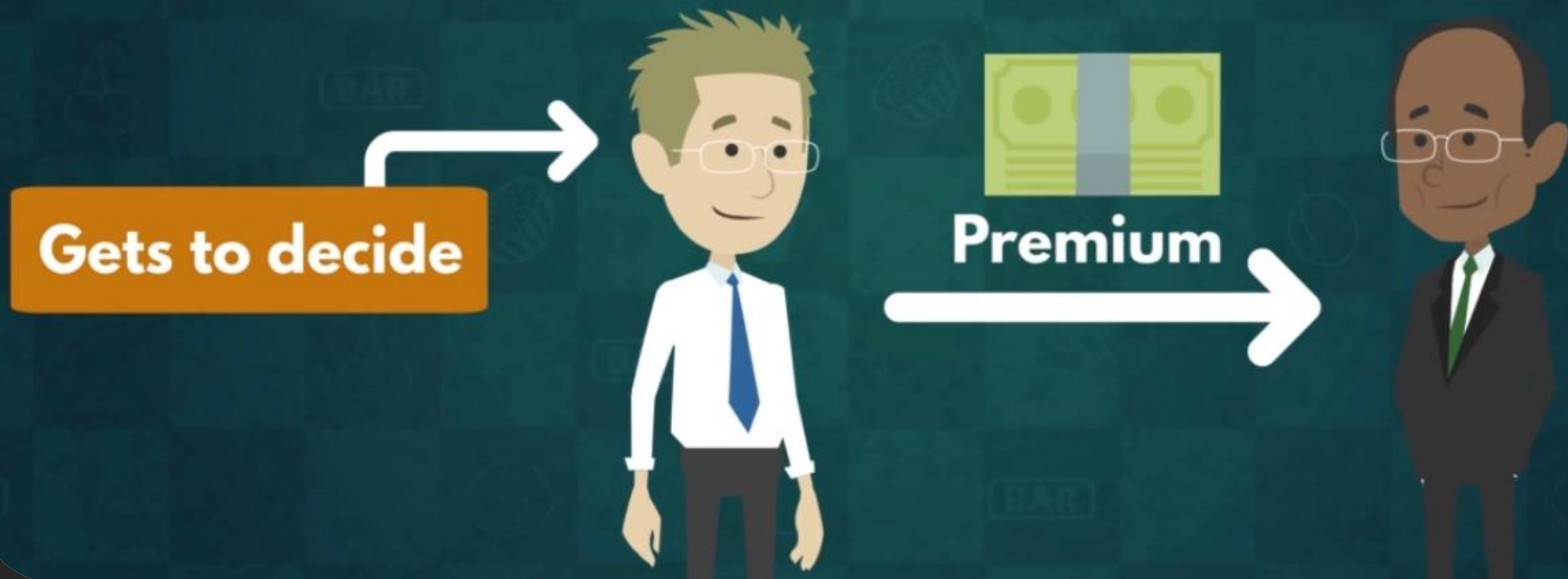
An agreement between two parties for the price of a stock or item at a future point in time



It allows one of the sides to decide

Option pricing

One of the parties at a clear disadvantage



**How much we are willing to pay to
receive that pact?
(Highest premium)**



Google Example

10 stocks | \$1,100 each | in a week



40%  → \$1,200
60%  → \$1,000

Google Example



Decision Tree

Payoffs



We write losses as a negative number

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Expected Payoffs

$$E(P) < 0$$

Disadvantageous
(Avoid buying this option)

$$E(P) = 0$$

"Fair deal"
(You expect to make as much as you paid)

$$E(P) > 0$$

Favourable
(Go through with the deal)

Google Example

Payoffs

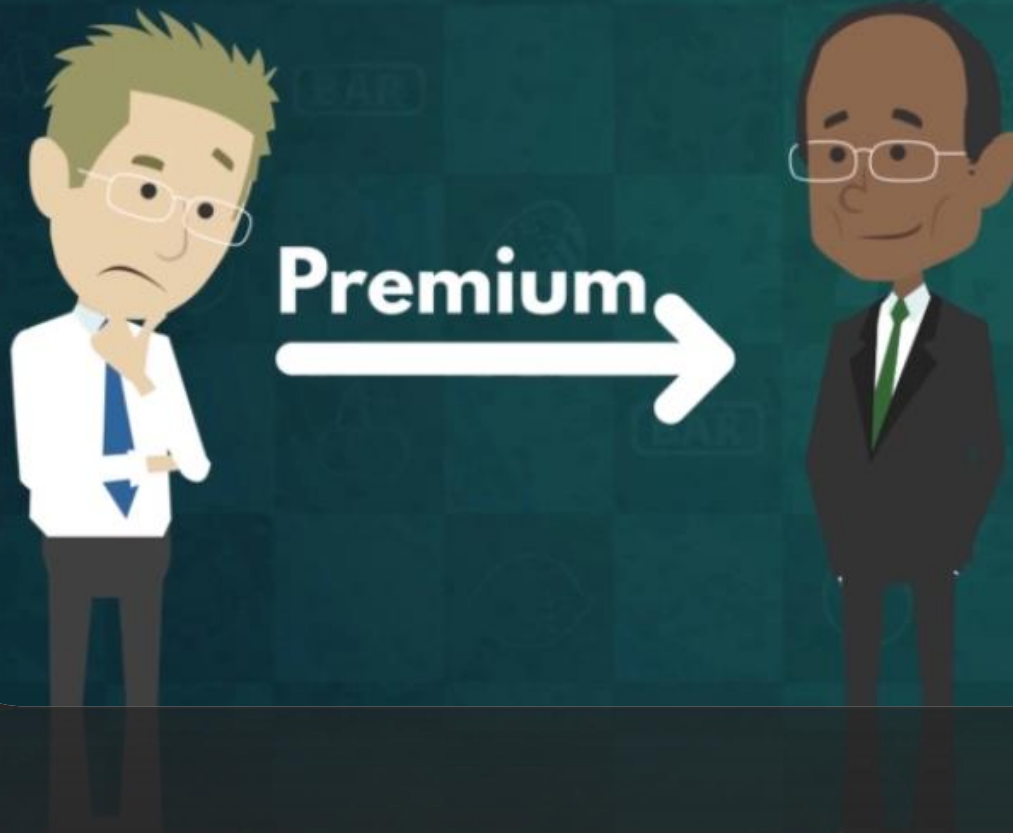


$$\begin{aligned} E(P) &= 0.6 \times (-100) + 0.4 \times 900 = \\ &= -60 + 360 = \text{\textbf{\$300}} \end{aligned}$$

$$= -90 + 390 = \text{\textbf{\$300}}$$

Pricing an Option

Investors can charge a higher premium to make a "fair deal"



Premium  \$300

$E(P)$  \$300

Probability and Statistics

Statistics

VS

Characteristics

Sample

60% of 1000 people



Population

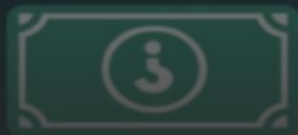


Statistics

Statistics focuses predominantly on samples and incomplete data

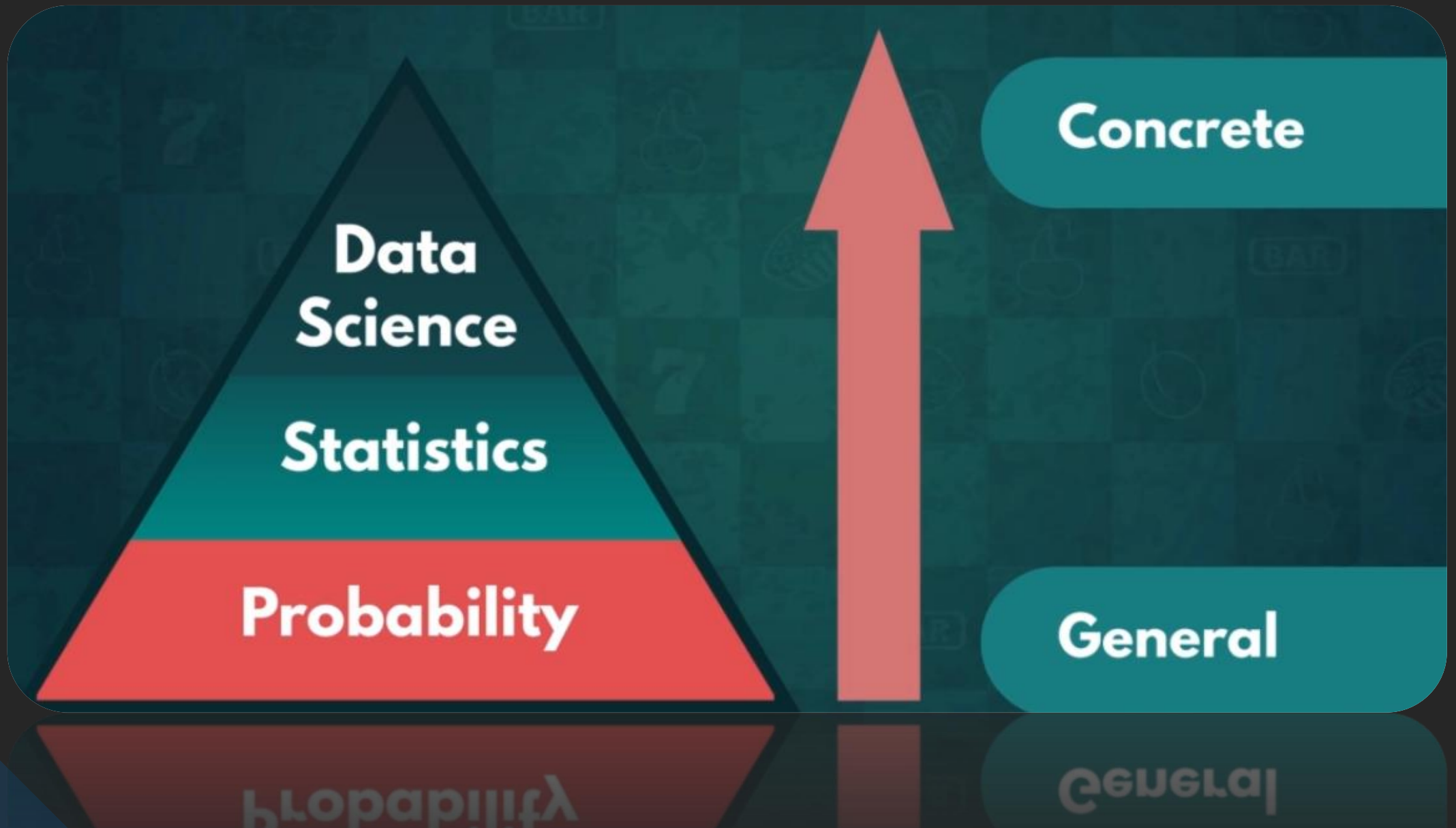
Uncertainty

Expected value



Prediction intervals



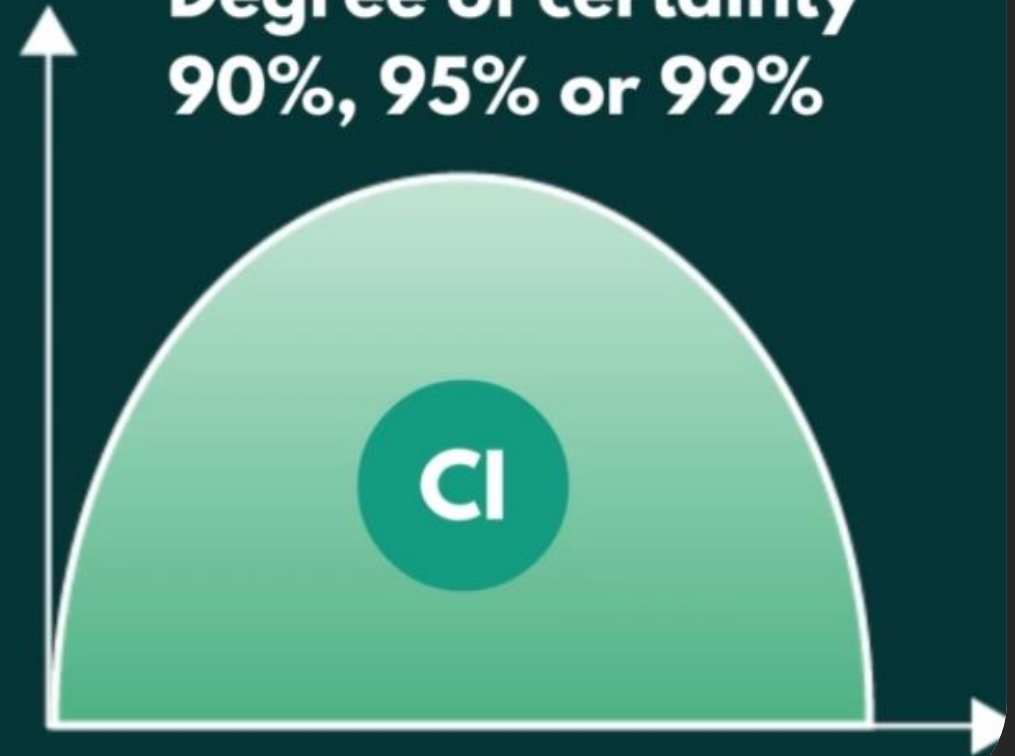


Statistics

Experimental data

- Many useful concepts based on probability theory
- Express the likelihood of the population mean being within that interval

Degree of certainty
90%, 95% or 99%



Confidence Intervals

To calculate these CIs we must know :

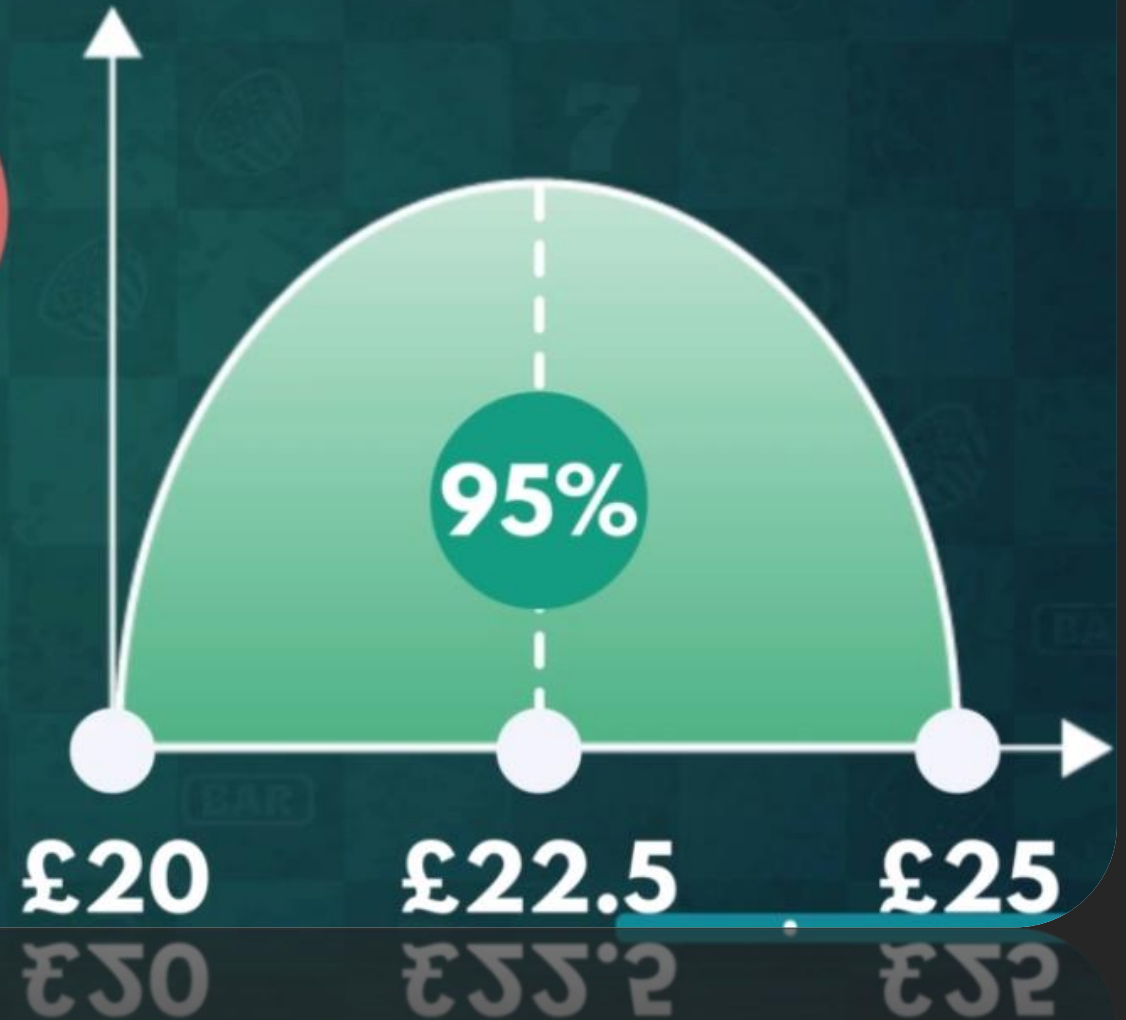
Mean, variance and standard deviation



**A good understanding
of probability is crucial**

London Example

$CI = [20; 25]$



Hypothesis Testing

**Three crucial requirements
for hypothesis testing**

Mean, variance and type of the distribution

**We can validate similar statements
to a specific degree of certainty**

Knowing the Type of a Distribution

Create different models



Computationally
expensive

Computer
software

MATHEMATICAL MODELING

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Mathematical Modeling

An extension of statistics that data scientists deal with



Probability and Data Science

Expected Values

ML



An extremely fast paced trial-and-error process

The more predictions it makes,
the more precise they become



Forecasting

ML and DL have very high predictive powers

Future data

Present data

Past data

NOT
100%
certain



Data science:

An expansion of probability, statistics, and programming that implements computational technology to solve more advanced questions

it is fundamental to understand PROBABILITY

**NOT
100%
certain**

