## TA section 1

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## Attention

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- 簡報隨時都可能取下, 盡可能不缺席。
- 簡報裡的作業解答不保證沒打字錯誤, 還請見諒。若有發現錯誤, 歡迎來信告知。

Homework 1



# §1.1 #5, #13, #20, #25, #26

5. 設 $\Omega = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ 。試寫出包含 $\{2\}$ 及 $\{1, 4\}$ 之最小的 $\sigma$ -體。

#### Definition

A class of subsets of  $\Omega$ , denoted as  $\mathcal{F}$ , is a  $\sigma$ -algebra (information set) if

- (i)  $\Omega \in \mathcal{F}$ ;
- (ii) if  $A \in \mathcal{F}$ , then  $A^c \in \mathcal{F}$ ;
- (iii)  $A_i \in \mathcal{F}$ ,  $\forall i$ , then  $\cup_i A_i \in \mathcal{F}$ .

A  $\sigma$ -algebra is closed under countable unions and complements.

- The  $\sigma$ -algebra generated by  $\mathcal{C}$ , denoted by  $\sigma(\mathcal{C})$ , is the smallest  $\sigma$ -algebra in  $\mathcal{F}$ , which includes all elements of  $\mathcal{C}$ , i.e.,  $\mathcal{C} \in \mathcal{F}$ .
- "Roughly" speaking, a  $\sigma(\mathcal{C})$  is the smallest set of subsets, which contains every element which is in the intersection and in the union, by De Morgan's Law.

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De Morgan's Law:

$$(A\cap B)^c=A^c\cup B^c,\ \ (A\cup B)^c=A^c\cap B^c.$$

- $\Omega := \{1, 2, 3, 4\}.$
- $\sigma(\{2\},\{1,4\}) = \{\phi,\Omega,\{2\},\{1,4\},\{1,3,4\},\{2,3\},\{1,2,4\},\{3\}\}.$
- $\{2\}^c = \{1,3,4\}, \{1,4\}^c = \{2,3\}, \{2\} \cap \{1,4\} = \phi, \{2\} \cup \{1,4\} = \{1,2,4\}, \{1,3,4\} \cap \{2,3\} = \{3\}, \{1,3,4\} \cup \{2,3\} = \{1,2,3,4\} = \Omega.$
- total  $\# = 2^{1+2} = 8$ .

### Proposition

設  $A_1, A_2, \cdots, A_k$  為樣本空間  $\Omega$  中之互斥非空子集。

- (i) 若  $\bigcup_{i=1}^k A_i = \Omega$ , 則包含  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_k$  之最小  $\sigma$ -algebra, 共有  $2^k$  個元素;
- (ii) 若  $\bigcup_{i=1}^k A_i \neq \Omega$ , 則包含  $A_1, A_2, \cdots, A_k$  之最小  $\sigma$ -algebra, 共有  $2^{1+k}$  個元素。

- 13. 投擲一般子一次,並觀測所得之點數。試給出兩個不同的機率空間。
- Sample space:  $\Omega = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}.$
- $\sigma$ -algebra:  $\mathcal{F} = \{ \mathcal{A} : \mathcal{A} \subseteq \Omega \}$ , 包含樣本空間  $\Omega$  的所有可能事件 (子集) 的集合。
- Probability function: consider  $\mathbb{P}_1(\omega) := 1/6$ ,  $\forall \ \omega \in \{1,2,3,4,5,6\}$ , and

$$\mathbb{P}_2(\omega) := \begin{cases} 0.1, & \omega \in \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\} \\ 0.5, & \omega \in \{6\}. \end{cases}$$

 $\mathbb{P}(\Omega) = 1.$ 

•  $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P}_1)$  and  $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P}_2)$  are two possible probability spaces.

20. 設
$$P(A) = 1/3$$
,  $P(B^c) = 1/4$ , 試問 $A, B$ 可否爲互斥事件。

• No. If yes,  $\mathbb{P}(A \cap B) = 0$ . But,  $\mathbb{P}(A \cup B) = \mathbb{P}(A) + \mathbb{P}(B) = 13/12 > 1(\rightarrow \leftarrow)$ . So, the two events cannot be disjoint.



- 25. 某家庭有10位成員, 試求其生日皆相異的機率。
- 26. 設事件 $A_1 \subset A_2 \subset A_3$ , 且 $P(A_1) = 1/4$ ,  $P(A_2) = 5/12$ ,  $P(A_3) = 7/12$ 。試求下述各事件之機率:  $A_1^c \cap A_2$ ,  $A_1^c \cap A_3$ ,  $A_2^c \cap A_3$ ,  $A_1 \cap A_2^c \cap A_3^c$ ,  $A_1^c \cap A_2^c \cap A_3^c \cap A_3^c$

$$\mathbb{P}(\text{所有人生日相異}) = \frac{365}{365} \times \frac{364}{365} \times \cdots \frac{356}{365}.$$

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$$IP(所有人生日相異) = \binom{365}{10}/365^{10}.$$

- Key:  $A_1 \subset A_2 \subset A_3$ .
- $\mathbb{P}(A_2) = \mathbb{P}(\{A_1 \cup A_1^c\} \cap A_2) = \mathbb{P}(\{A_1 \cap A_2\} \cup \{A_1^c \cap A_2\}) = \mathbb{P}(A_1 \cap A_2) + \mathbb{P}(A_1^c \cap A_2)$  $\Rightarrow \mathbb{P}(A_1^c \cap A_2) = \mathbb{P}(A_2) - \mathbb{P}(A_1 \cap A_2) = 5/12 - 1/4 = 1/6.$  Similary,
- $\mathbb{P}(A_1^c \cap A_3) = \mathbb{P}(A_3) \mathbb{P}(A_1 \cap A_3) = 7/12 1/4 = 1/3.$
- $\mathbb{P}(A_2^c \cap A_3) = \mathbb{P}(A_3) \mathbb{P}(A_2 \cap A_3) = 7/12 5/12 = 1/6.$
- $\mathbb{P}(A_1^c \cap A_2^c \cap A_3^c) = \mathbb{P}(A_2^c \cap A_3^c) \mathbb{P}(A_1 \cap A_2^c \cap A_3^c) = \mathbb{P}(A_2^c \cap A_3^c)$ =  $\mathbb{P}((A_2 \cup A_3)^c) = 1 - \mathbb{P}(A_2 \cup A_3) = 1 - \mathbb{P}(A_3) = 1 - 7/12 = 5/12.$