

# Assignment 2

## AI1110: Probability and Random Variables

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**12.13.4.5 : Question.** Find the probability distribution of number of successes in two tosses of die, where a success is defined as

- 1) number greater than 4
- 2) six appears on atleast one die

**Ans:**

1)

X	0	1	2
Pr (X)	$\frac{4}{9}$	$\frac{4}{9}$	$\frac{1}{9}$

2)

Y	0	1
Pr (Y)	$\frac{25}{36}$	$\frac{11}{36}$

**Solution:**

- 1) finding probability distribution for appearance of number greater than 4  
 let X : appearance of number greater than 4 on 2 turns ,  $X \in \{0, 1, 2\}$   
 $\Pr(X = x)$  : probability of X becoming x ,  $x \in \{0, 1, 2\}$   
 $p$  denotes probability that number greater than 4 appears,  $X : \text{bin}(n, p)$

$$p = \frac{2}{6} \text{ (as there are 2 numbers greater than 4 as outcome of die)} \quad (1)$$

Using binomial distribution,  $X : \text{bin}(2, \frac{1}{3})$

$$\Pr(X = i) = \binom{n}{i} \times (p)^i \times (1 - p)^{n-i} \quad (2)$$

$$\text{here } n = 2, p = \frac{1}{3} \text{ (from (1))} \quad (3)$$

$$\Pr(X = i) = \binom{2}{i} \times \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^i \times \left(1 - \frac{1}{3}\right)^{2-i} \quad (4)$$

variable	value	discription
n	2	
p	$\frac{1}{3}$	from (1)
$\Pr(X = i)$	$\binom{2}{i} \times \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^i \times \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{2-i}$	from (4)
$\Pr(X = 0)$	$\frac{4}{9}$	$\frac{2!}{(0!) \times ((2-0)!) } \times \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^0 \times \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{2-0} = \frac{2}{(1) \times (2)} \times (1) \times \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^2$
$\Pr(X = 1)$	$\frac{4}{9}$	$\frac{2!}{1! \times (2-1)!} \times \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^1 \times \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{2-1} = \frac{2}{(1) \times (2)} \times (1) \times \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^2$
$\Pr(X = 2)$	$\frac{1}{9}$	$\frac{2!}{2! \times (2-2)!} \times \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^2 \times \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{2-2} = \frac{2}{(2) \times (1)} \times \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^2 \times (1)$

2) finding probability distribution for six to appear atleast on one die

let Y : appearence of six on atleast on die ,  $Y \in \{0, 1\}$

$\Pr(Y = y)$ : probability of Y becoming y ,  $y \in \{0, 1\}$

now, U : appearance of six on die ,  $U \in \{0, 1, 2\}$

$\Pr(U = u)$  : probability of u number of 6s appear ,  $u \in \{0, 1, 2\}$

p denotes the probability of 6 on one throw of die.  $U : bin(n, p)$

$$p = \frac{1}{6} \quad (5)$$

using binomial distribution,  $U : bin(2, \frac{1}{6})$

$$\Pr(U = i) = \binom{n}{i} \times (p)^i \times (1 - p)^{n-i} \quad (6)$$

variable	value	discription
n	2	
p	$\frac{1}{6}$	from (2)
$\Pr(U = i)$	$\binom{2}{i} \times \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^i \times \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^{2-i}$	from (6)
$\Pr(U = 0)$	$\frac{25}{36}$	$\frac{2!}{(0!) \times ((2-0)!) } \times \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^0 \times \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^{2-0} = \frac{2}{1 \times 2} (1) \times \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^2$
$\Pr(U = 1)$	$\frac{10}{36}$	$\frac{2!}{1! \times (2-1)!} \times \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^1 \times \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^{2-1} = \frac{2}{(1) \times (2)} \times (1) \times \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^2$
$\Pr(U = 2)$	$\frac{1}{36}$	$\frac{2!}{2! \times (2-2)!} \times \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^2 \times \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^{2-2} = \frac{2}{(2) \times (1)} \times \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^2 \times (1)$
$\Pr(Y = 0)$	$\frac{25}{36}$	$\Pr(U = 0)$
$\Pr(Y = 1)$	$\frac{11}{36}$	$p_U(1) = \Pr(U = 1) + \Pr(U = 2) = \frac{10}{36} + \frac{1}{36}$