

binomial_distributions

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1 Binomial Distributions

Use NumPy to create simulations and compute proportions for the following outcomes. The first one is done for you.

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In [2]: # import numpy
import numpy as np
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1.0.1 1. A fair coin flip produces heads

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In [15]: # simulate 1 million tests of one fair coin flip
# remember, the output of these tests are the # successes, or # heads
tests = np.random.binomial(1, 0.5, int(1e6))

# proportion of tests that produced heads
(tests == 1).mean()
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Out[15]: 0.499869000000000001
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1.0.2 2. Five fair coin flips produce exactly one head

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In [14]: # simulate 1 million tests of five fair coin flips
tests = np.random.binomial(5, 0.5, 1000000)

# proportion of tests that produced 1 head
(tests == 1).mean()
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Out[14]: 0.156666
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1.0.3 3. Ten fair coin flips produce exactly four heads

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In [13]: # simulate 1 million tests of ten fair coin flips
tests = np.random.binomial(10, 0.5, 1000000)

# proportion of tests that produced 4 heads
(tests == 4).mean()
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Out[13]: 0.20397299999999999
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1.0.4 4. Five biased coin flips with $P(H) = 0.8$ produce exactly five heads

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In [16]: # simulate 1 million tests of five biased coin flips
        tests = np.random.binomial(5, 0.8, 1000000)

        # proportion of tests that produced 5 heads
        (tests == 5).mean()
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Out[16]: 0.32825700000000002
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1.0.5 5. Ten biased coin flips with $P(H) = 0.15$ produce at least 3 heads

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In [ ]: # simulate 1 million tests of ten biased coin flips
        tests = np.random.binomial(10, 0.15, 1000000)

        # proportion of tests that produced at least 3 heads
        (tests >= 3).mean()
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