

Assignment 6

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Abstract—This document contains the solution for Assignment 6 (NCERT Class 12 Example 29)

- (29) Two cards are drawn simultaneously (or successively without replacement) from a well shuffled pack of 52 cards. Find the mean, variance and standard deviation of the number of kings. **Solution:** Let the random variable $X \in \{0, 1, 2\}$ denote the number of kings in a draw of two cards.

$$\begin{aligned} \Pr(X = 0) &= \frac{{}^{48}C_2}{{}^{52}C_2} \\ &= \frac{\frac{48!}{2!(48-2)!}}{\frac{52!}{2!(52-2)!}} \\ &= \frac{188}{221} \\ \Pr(X = 1) &= \frac{{}^4C_1 {}^{48}C_1}{{}^{52}C_2} \quad (1) \\ &= \frac{32}{221} \quad (2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Pr(X = 2) &= \frac{{}^4C_2}{{}^{52}C_2} \quad (3) \\ &= \frac{1}{221} \quad (4) \end{aligned}$$

X	0	1	2
P(X)	$\frac{188}{221}$	$\frac{32}{221}$	$\frac{1}{221}$

TABLE 1

PROBABILITY DISTRIBUTION OF X

Mean of $X =$ (5)

$$E(X) = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i p(x_i) \quad (6)$$

$$= 0 \times \frac{188}{221} + 1 \times \frac{32}{221} + 2 \times \frac{1}{221} \quad (7)$$

$$= \frac{34}{221} \quad (8)$$

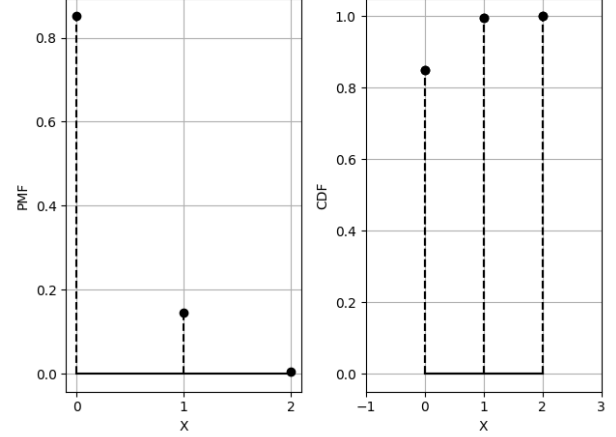


Fig. 0. PMF Of X

$$\begin{aligned} E(X^2) &= \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 p(x_i) \quad (9) \\ &= 0^2 \times \frac{188}{221} + 1^2 \times \frac{32}{221} + 2^2 \times \frac{1}{221} \quad (10) \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{36}{221} \quad (11)$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = E(X^2) - E(X)^2 \quad (12)$$

$$= \frac{36}{221} - \left(\frac{34}{221}\right)^2 \quad (13)$$

$$= \frac{6800}{(221)^2} \quad (14)$$

$$\sigma_x = \sqrt{\text{Var}(X)} \quad (15)$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{6800}}{221} \quad (16)$$

$$= 0.37 \quad (17)$$