

Probabilistic Systems Analysis And Applied Probability

6-041

framework about uncertainty

- ↳ models
- ↳ Sample Space
- ↳ probability law \rightarrow measuring frequency.

Axioms of probability

General exam

Sample Space

exp done \rightarrow something happens

↳ coin, Dice, card game

Sample Space

list of possibilities
↳ set

coin \rightarrow H
T

- \rightarrow list must be
 - mutually exclusive. (This happens that does not happen)
 - collectively exhaustive.

Belief

H
T + Raining
T + not Raining

selection of details (some we keep, some we neglect)
(Art, judgement)

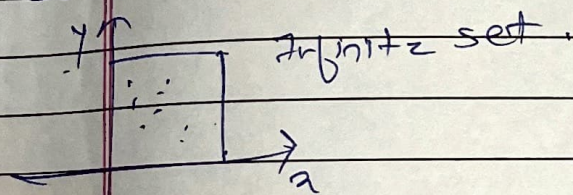
→ when Rolling Die twice, I think as one experiment not 2 separate experiment

2,3 is Different than 3,2

outcome is overall outcome at the end of exp. (2,3) is outcome not 2.

Sample space → Continuous example

$$\Omega = \{(x, y) \mid 0 \leq x, y \leq 1\}$$



Assigning Probabilities (Relative likelihoods)

Event → Assign prob to subset instead of entire event

$0 < \text{prob} < 1$
↑
not going to happen

Axioms → Ground Rules for models obaj

1. Nonnegativity $P(A) \geq 0$
2. Normalization $P(\Omega) = 1$ $\Omega = \text{Sample space}$
3. Additive If $A \cap B = \emptyset$, then $P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B)$
And. $\cup = \text{OR}$

$$P(\{s_1, s_2, \dots, s_n\}) = P(s_1) + P(s_2) + P(s_3) + \dots + P(s_n)$$

$$1 = P(\Omega) = P(A \cup A^c)$$

$$= P(A) + P(A^c)$$

$$P(A) + 1 - P(A) \stackrel{m}{=} 1$$

Union of 3 sets

Disjoint

$$P(A \cup B \cup C) = P(A) + P(B) + P(C)$$

↳ exhaustive

$$= P((A \cup B) \cup C)$$

$$= P(A \cup B)$$

$$= P(A \cup B) + P(C) \quad (\text{Given they are Disjoint})$$

$$= P(A) + P(B) + P(C)$$

A - Am (Disjoint)

$$P(A \cup \dots \cup A_m) = P(A) + \dots + P(A_m)$$

$$= P(\{s_1\}) + \dots + P(\{s_k\})$$

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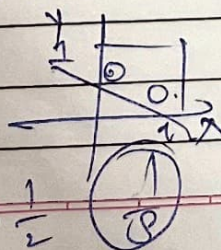
Discrete Uniform Law (Reduced to counting)

Let all outcomes be equally likely.
(i.e. uniform)

$$P(A) = \frac{\text{no. of elements of } A}{\text{total number of sample points}}$$

Continuous Uniform Law

Two "Random" numbers in $[0, 1]$



Prob = Area

Single point = 0

$$\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$P(x+y \leq 1/2)$$

$$P(x, y \in [0, 0.5])$$

Teacher's Signature:

Example

Probability law, w/ countable

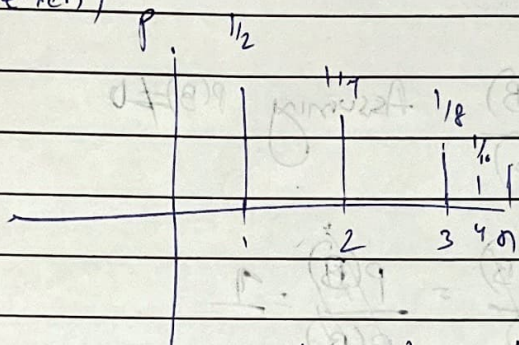
keep flipping a coin till heads

outcome has no bounds

Sample space = $\{1, 2, \dots\}$

$$p(n) = 2^{-n}, n = 1, 2 \text{ (Probability)}$$

$p(\text{outcome is even})$



$$p(1, 2, \dots) : p(2) + p(4) + \dots = \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{2^4} + \frac{1}{2^6} + \dots = \frac{1}{3}$$

Countable additivity axiom (Must be Disjoint)

$$p(A_1 \cup A_2 \cup \dots \cup A_n) = p(A_1) + p(A_2) + \dots + p(A_n)$$