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In [1]:
        import numpy as np
        import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
        % matplotlib inline
In [2]: # outcome of one coin flip
        np.random.randint(2)
Out[2]: 0
In [3]: # outcomes of ten thousand coin flips
        np.random.randint(2, size=10000)
Out[3]: array([1, 0, 1, ..., 0, 1, 0])
In [4]: # mean outcome of ten thousand coin flips
        np.random.randint(2, size=10000).mean()
Out[4]: 0.5031999999999998
In [5]: # outcome of one coin flip
        np.random.choice([0, 1])
Out[5]: 1
In [6]: # outcome of ten thousand coin flips
        np.random.choice([0, 1], size=10000)
Out[6]: array([0, 1, 1, ..., 1, 0, 1])
In [7]: # mean outcome of ten thousand coin flips
        np.random.choice([0, 1], size=10000).mean()
Out[7]: 0.4935999999999998
In [8]: # outcomes of ten thousand biased coin flips
        np.random.choice([0, 1], size=10000, p=[0.8, 0.2])
Out[8]: array([1, 0, 0, ..., 0, 0, 0])
In [9]: # mean outcome of ten thousand biased coin flips
        np.random.choice([0, 1], size=10000, p=[0.8, 0.2]).mean()
Out[9]: 0.193
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