

Lecture 3 9/1/16 Math 241

$$P(A) = \frac{|A|}{|\Omega|}$$

if  $\forall \omega P(\omega) = \frac{1}{|\Omega|}$  equally likely  $|\Omega| < \infty$

$$P(A^c) = \frac{|A^c|}{|\Omega|} = \frac{|\Omega| - |A|}{|\Omega|} = \frac{|\Omega|}{|\Omega|} - \frac{|A|}{|\Omega|} = 1 - P(A) \quad (\text{complement rule})$$

What if  $P(\omega) \neq P(\omega')$  def doesn't work... for now...  $P(\omega) = \frac{1}{|\Omega|}$  (all outcomes equally likely)

What does  $|\Omega|$  mean? The # of possible events  $\neq$  possible outcomes.

All things you can ask "what is the prob of ...?"

The coin flips:

$$\Omega' := \Omega^2$$

$\Omega'$

$\langle H, H \rangle$	$\langle H, T \rangle$
$\langle T, H \rangle$	$\langle T, T \rangle$

$$|\Omega'| = |\Omega|^2 = 2^2 = 4$$

$$P(\{\langle H, H \rangle\}) \text{ algebraically, } P(H, H)$$

↙ a box of notation...

$$= \frac{|\{\langle H, H \rangle\}|}{|\Omega|} = \frac{1}{4}$$

A: at least one head

$$P(A) = P(\{\langle H, H \rangle, \langle H, T \rangle, \langle T, H \rangle\}) = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2^{\Omega} = & \{ \emptyset, \{\langle H, H \rangle\}, \{\langle H, T \rangle\}, \{\langle T, H \rangle\}, \{\langle T, T \rangle\}, \\ & \{\langle H, H \rangle, \langle H, T \rangle\}, \dots \\ & \{\langle H, H \rangle, \langle H, T \rangle, \langle T, H \rangle\}, \dots, \\ & \Omega \} \end{aligned}$$

$$|2^{\Omega}| = 2^{|\Omega|} = 2^4 = 16$$

B: at least one tail

$$P(B) = \frac{|\{\langle H, T \rangle, \langle T, T \rangle, \langle T, H \rangle\}|}{|\Omega|} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$P(A \cup B) \stackrel{?}{=} P(A) + P(B) = \frac{3}{4} + \frac{3}{4} = 1.5? \text{ No...}$$

$$= \frac{|\{(\cancel{H}, \cancel{H}), (\cancel{H}, T), (T, H), (T, T)\}|}{|\Omega|} = \frac{4}{4} = 1$$

$\Rightarrow$  "you will always get at least one H or at least one T

$$P(A \cap B) := P(A \text{ and } B) := P(A \& B), \quad P(A, B) = P(A \cap B)$$

all the same thing

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{|\{(\cancel{H}, T), (T, H)\}|}{|\Omega|} = \frac{1}{2} \neq \underbrace{\frac{3}{4} + \frac{3}{4}}_{P(A) + P(B)} \neq \underbrace{\frac{3}{4} \cdot \frac{3}{4}}_{P(A) \cdot P(B)} \neq \underbrace{\frac{3}{4} - \frac{3}{4}}_{P(A) - P(B)} \neq \underbrace{\frac{\frac{3}{4}}{\frac{3}{4}}}_{\frac{P(A)}{P(B)}} \end{aligned}$$

Not single ... gotta figure out the outcomes in the event!

4 coin tosses

$$\Omega' = \Omega^4$$

$$|\Omega'| = 16$$

$\nwarrow$  # of outcomes. Unique outcomes of a single experiment.



$$\begin{aligned} &\omega_i \\ &\downarrow \\ P(\text{HHHH}) &= \frac{1}{16} \quad \text{due to the equally likely assumption} \end{aligned}$$

$$P(\text{HHHH}) = P(\text{HTHT})?$$

Yes  $P(\langle H, H, H, H \rangle) = P(\langle H, T, H, T \rangle)$

$$\stackrel{?}{=} P(2H \text{ and } 2T) \text{ No...}$$

$$= \frac{|\{ \langle H, H, T, T \rangle, \langle H, T, H, T \rangle, \langle T, H, T, H \rangle, \langle T, H, H, T \rangle, \langle T, T, H, H \rangle, \langle H, T, T, H \rangle \}|}{|\Omega|}$$

$$= \frac{6}{16} = .375 \quad \text{was this trivial?}$$

$$> \frac{1}{16}!$$

$$P(\text{at least one H}) = \frac{|\{ \langle H, T, T, T \rangle, \langle T, H, T, T \rangle, \dots \}|}{|\Omega|} \quad \text{long time... and we make one mistake} \Rightarrow \text{cooked!}$$

$$\{\geq 1H\}^c = \{\leq 1H\} = \{0H\} = \{ \langle T, T, T, T \rangle \}$$

$$= 1 - P(\text{no H}) = 1 - \frac{1}{16} = \frac{15}{16}$$

Flip 10 coins!

$$\Omega' = \Omega^{10}, \quad |\Omega'| = 2^{10} \approx 1000 \quad \text{size of our space?}$$

$$CS: \quad 2^x \approx 1000 \frac{x}{10} \quad |2^x| = 2^{2^x} = 2^{2^{10}} \approx \infty$$

$$\approx 10^{301}$$

lots of guesses can be posed...

$$\Rightarrow 2^{20} \approx 1m$$

$$2^{30} \approx 1b$$

⋮

why?

$$\ln 2^x \approx \ln 1000 \frac{x}{10}$$

$$\Rightarrow x \ln 2 \approx \frac{x}{10} \ln 1000$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln 2 \approx \frac{1}{10} \ln 1000 = 1.9953$$

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$$P(5H \text{ and } 5T) = \frac{|\{ \dots \}|}{|\Omega|}$$

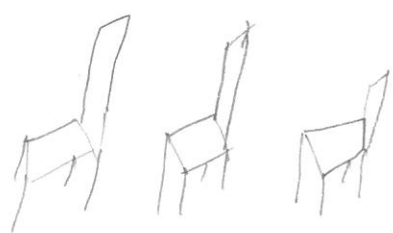
Difficult!! Need a way to come up with better than Phenomenal!

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Consider Time, Money, Success study in first of year.

$$\Omega = \{T, M, S\}$$

Consider 3 chairs



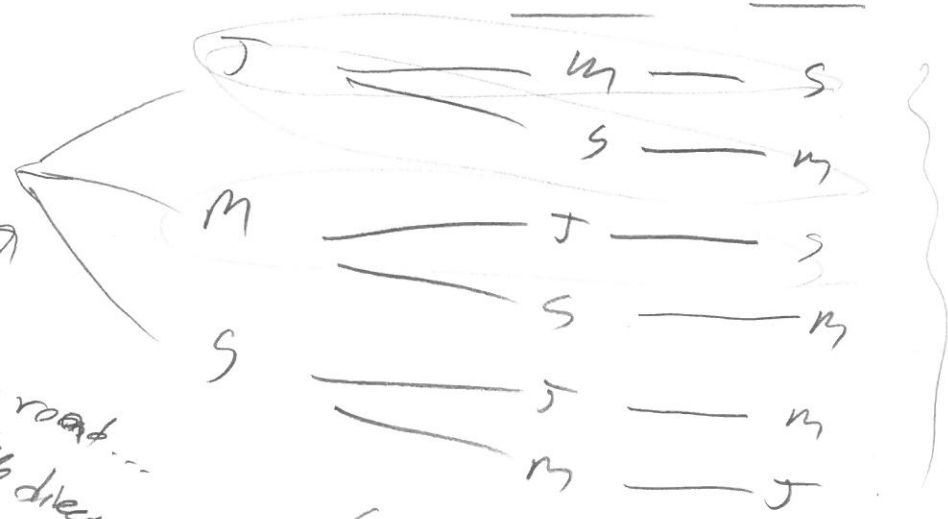
How many ways to seat T, M, S?

$$\frac{3}{\text{Seat 1}} \cdot \frac{2}{\text{Seat 2}} \cdot \frac{1}{\text{Seat 3}} = 6$$

As a tree...

different seats (not seats like we defined above)

Seat 1      Seat 2      Seat 3



all 6 possibilities

Fork in road... possible direction to take

$$\Omega' = \{ \langle T, M, S \rangle, \langle T, S, M \rangle, \dots, \langle S, M, T \rangle \}$$

$$|\Omega'| = 6 \neq 3^3 = 27 \text{ why?}$$

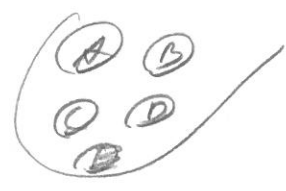
$$\langle T, T, T \rangle \in \Omega^3 \text{ but not allowed!}$$

Sampling 3 objects without replacement.

3 coin flips...

Sampling 2 objects with replacement.

Take marble out, do you put it back?



Yes  $\rightarrow$  with replacement  
No  $\rightarrow$  without replacement

# of ways to sample  $n$  <sup>objects</sup> without replacement?

$$\frac{n}{\text{set 1}} \cdot \frac{n-1}{\text{set 2}} \cdot \frac{n-2}{\text{set 3}} \cdot \frac{n-3}{\text{set 4}} \cdots \frac{2}{\text{set } n-1} \cdot \frac{1}{\text{set } n} = n!$$

$$:= \prod_{i=1}^n i$$

# of ways to sample  $n$  objects with replacement?

$$\frac{n}{\text{set 1}} \cdot \frac{n}{\text{set 2}} \cdot \frac{n}{\text{set 3}} \cdots \frac{n}{\text{set } n} = n^n \quad n^n > n!$$

But factorial #'s are <sup>~</sup>big. # ways to seat 5 people  $5! = 120$

as

10 people  $10! \quad 3.6 \times 10^6$

20!  $2.7 \times 10^{32}$

10 people 3 chairs

diag (course) is st.

$$\frac{10}{\text{set 1}} \cdot \frac{9}{\text{set 2}} \cdot \frac{8}{\text{set 3}} = \frac{10!}{7!} = \frac{10 \cdot 9 \cdot 8 \cdot \cancel{7!}}{\cancel{7!}} = \frac{10!}{(10-3)!} = 10P_3$$

10 people 10 chairs  $\frac{10!}{10!} = 1 \Rightarrow 0! = 1$

In gen  $n$  people  $k$  chairs  $nPk = \frac{n!}{(n-k)!}$

permutations  
(# of orderings)

$$\Rightarrow nP_n = \frac{n!}{(n-n)!} = \frac{n!}{0!} = n!$$

Various <sup>6 seats</sup> Bob-Jane, Richard-Susan, Mark-Alice - must sit next to each other.  
 What is prob? (Assume all choose a seat equally likely).  
 How many ways?

A 52

$P(\text{all sit next to each other}) = \frac{|A|}{|S|} = \frac{|A|}{6!}$  ↖ usually difficult to compute

two hemispheres

(a)  $\frac{6}{1} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{4}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{2}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{6} = 6 \cdot 4 \cdot 2 = 48$

(b)  $\frac{3}{\text{Seat 1 \& 2}} \cdot \frac{2}{\text{Seat 3 \& 4}} \cdot \frac{1}{\text{Seat 5 \& 6}} = 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 = 48$

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2      2      2

$\frac{48}{6!} = \frac{48}{720} = \frac{1}{15}$

What is the  $P(\text{all same gender}) = \frac{|A|}{|S|=6!}$

$\frac{3}{1(G)} \cdot \frac{3}{2(G)} \cdot \frac{2}{3(G)} \cdot \frac{2}{4(G)} \cdot \frac{1}{5(G)} \cdot \frac{1}{6(G)} = 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 = 36$

— or —

$\frac{3}{1(B)} \cdot \frac{3}{2(B)} \cdot \frac{2}{3(B)} \cdot \frac{2}{4(B)} \cdot \frac{1}{5(B)} \cdot \frac{1}{6(B)} = 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 = 36$

$\Rightarrow \frac{72}{720} = \frac{1}{10}$

Why are we able to add?

$$A = A_1 \cup A_2$$

BBB BB

$$A_1 \cap A_2 = \emptyset$$

why?

$$\Rightarrow P(A) = P(A_1 \cup A_2) = P(A_1) + P(A_2)$$

probabilities of disjoint events can be added (we will see this again)

$$7 = 4 + 3$$

$$\Rightarrow f(7) = f(4+3)$$

prob

How about just Bob-Jane sit together?

look at human.

one way...

see

pattern

B J R S M A

R B J S M A

B-J 4 3 2 1

4 B-J 3 2 1

or J-B 4 3 2 1

or " " " "

↑ see as one unit

$$5 \cdot 4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1 + 5 \cdot 4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1 = 200!$$

$$P(A) = \frac{200!}{8!} = \boxed{\frac{1}{3}}$$

all 16 in groups with no strong pattern  
How many ways?

without explanation

100 balls, 3 selections. How many unique orders?

$$\underline{100} \underline{99} \underline{98} = 100P_3$$

$$\frac{100!}{97!} = \frac{100 \cdot 99 \cdot 98}{100 \cdot 99 \cdot 98} = 9702$$

100 balls 3 selections with explanation...

$$\underline{100} \underline{100} \underline{100} = \binom{100}{n}$$

10,000 balls

10,000 9999 9998

Ratio = 9997

10000 10000 10000

Calculus fact:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} g(x) f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} g(x) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x)$$

if  $g, f$  const.

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n P_k}{n^k} = 1$$

does  $k$  matter?

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n!}{(n-k)! n^k} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\overbrace{n(n-1)(n-2) \dots (n-k+1)}^{k \text{ terms}}}{\underbrace{n \cdot n \cdot n \dots n}_{k \text{ terms}}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{n} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n-1}{n} \dots \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n-k+1}{n} = 1$$

$\frac{n}{n} = \frac{2}{2} = 1$        $1 - 0 + 0$

Back to BTRSM. They now sit in a ring where you don't care about where the ring begins. How many ways?



$$\frac{6!}{6} \leftarrow \text{you get this}$$

What's this?

BTRSM  
 TRSMAB  
 RSMABT  
 SMABTR  
 MABTRS  
 ABTRSM

all these permutations are considered the "same" or "indistinguishable" or "non-unique" or "non-distinct" or "invariant"

hence:  
 dividing out  
 multiple  
 factors



5 flowers 3 Orchids (O), 2 Chrysanthemums (X)

Initially all Orchids distinct, all X's distinct. How many ways to arrange? If all are distinct how many ways

↓  
they are all completely unique flowers... it doesn't even matter the species!

$$O_1 O_2 O_3 X_1 X_2 \dots 5! = 120$$

$$5 \_ 4 \_ 3 \_ 2 \_ 1 \longrightarrow$$

But let's say... Orchids not distinct... all orchids are the same! How many ways?

In the list of 120... we find...

$$\begin{array}{l} O_1 O_2 O_3 X_1 X_2 \\ O_1 O_3 O_2 X_1 X_2 \\ O_2 O_1 O_3 \text{ ---} \\ O_2 O_3 O_1 \text{ ---} \\ O_3 O_1 O_2 \text{ ---} \\ O_3 O_2 O_1 \text{ ---} \end{array} \left. \vphantom{\begin{array}{l} O_1 O_2 O_3 X_1 X_2 \\ O_1 O_3 O_2 X_1 X_2 \\ O_2 O_1 O_3 \text{ ---} \\ O_2 O_3 O_1 \text{ ---} \\ O_3 O_1 O_2 \text{ ---} \\ O_3 O_2 O_1 \text{ ---} \end{array}} \right\}$$

20  $X_1 X_2 =$   
↑  
don't  
care

but all these <sup>6</sup> are now the same!

so all these groups of 6 are only counted as 1

Why  $6 = 3! = 3P_3$

so  $\frac{120}{6}$  is the answer!

$$\frac{5!}{3!}$$

↑  
divide out the same