

- Differentiate.
- Integrate.
- Maximize a func
- Calculate area under a curve.
- sum of an infinite series.

What is probability?

concrete example

40 balls in a urn, label $1 \sim 40$.

chance?

① sum of 2 balls' num is 30

② the max of 2 ball is 10.

⇒ Experiment.

- random;
- repeatable;

e.g. Tossing a coin one time or several times

outcome space, Ω , is the set of all possible outcomes of an experiment.

⇒ Event: a subset of Ω

e.g. toss a coin two times and record the face up.

$\Omega = \{HH, TT, HT, TH\}$

A: the # of heads land up is ≥ 1

$A = \{HH, HT, TH\}$

e.g. An experiment in hospital of recording the sex of each newborn

infant until the birth of a male is observed. outcome space?
 $\{M, FM, FFM, \dots\}$

infinite outcome space.

if Ω consists of finite number of outcomes, and each outcome is equally likely
the $P(A) = \frac{\#(A)}{\#(\Omega)}$

where $\#(A)$ is the number of outcomes in A .

e.g. $P(\text{at least one head}) = \frac{\#(A)}{\#(\Omega)} = \frac{3}{4}$
when tossing coin 2 times

Remark: ① $0 \leq P(A) \leq 1$.

② $P(A) = 0$, $P(\emptyset) = 0$
empty set.

$A = \{\}$ impossibility.

③ $P(\Omega) = 1$ certainty

ex. 1: Suppose two dice are rolled. Find the probability

① the sum of the two numbers rolled is 6.

② the max of the two numbers rolled is less than/equal to 2.

(fair dice, six sided)

① $A = \{(1,5), (5,1), (2,3), (3,2), (4,2)\}$

$$\#(\Omega) = 6 \times 6 = 36$$

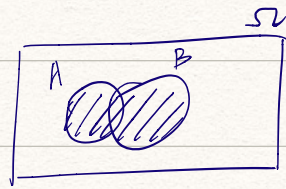
$$P(A) = \frac{\#(A)}{\#(\Omega)} = \frac{5}{36}$$

② $A = \{(1,1), (1,2), (2,1), (2,2)\}$

$$P(A) = \frac{4}{36} = \frac{1}{9}$$

⇒ Operation on Events.

- A, B



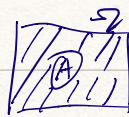
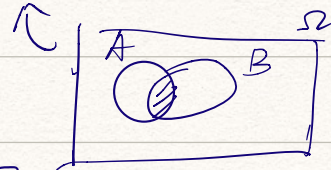
① Union, $A \cup B$, the union of events A and B

is the event consisting of all outcomes either in A or in B or in both events.

② Intersection, $A \cap B$, the event consisting of all outcomes in both A and B.

③ complement, A^c , is the set of all outcomes

in Ω but not in A



E.g. We toss a coin 10 times and observe the number of heads on.

$$\Omega = \{0, 1, \dots, 10\}$$

Denote A - even number of heads up. $= \{0, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10\}$

B - number of heads up ≤ 5 . $= \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$

C - number of heads up ≥ 6 . $= \{6, 7, 8, 9, 10\}$

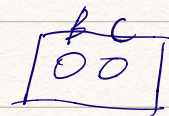
$$A \cup B = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10\}$$

$$A \cap B = \{0, 2, 4\}$$

$$B \cap C = \emptyset$$

$$A^c = \{1, 3, 5, 7, 9\}$$

⇒ If $B \cap C = \emptyset$, then B, C are mutually exclusive or disjoint



⇒ properties

$$① A \cup B = B \cup A$$

$$A \cap B = B \cap A$$

$$\textcircled{2} (A \cup B) \cup C = A \cup (B \cup C)$$

$$(A \cap B) \cap C = A \cap (B \cap C)$$

$$\textcircled{3} (A \cap B) \cup C = (A \cup C) \cap (B \cup C).$$

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

$$\textcircled{4} (A \cap B)^c = A^c \cup B^c$$

$$(A \cup B)^c = A^c \cap B^c \rightarrow$$

