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38. There are two traffic lights on a commuter's route to and from work. Let X_1 be the number of lights at which the commuter must stop on his way to work, and X_2 be the number of lights at which he must stop when returning from work. Suppose these two variables are independent, each with pmf given in the accompanying table (so X_1, X_2 is a random sample of size $n = 2$).

x_1	0	1	2
$p(x_1)$.2	.5	.3

$\mu = 1.1, \sigma^2 = .49$

- Determine the pmf of $T_o = X_1 + X_2$.
- Calculate μ_{T_o} . How does it relate to μ , the population mean?
- Calculate $\sigma_{T_o}^2$. How does it relate to σ^2 , the population variance?
- Let X_3 and X_4 be the number of lights at which a stop is required when driving to and from work on a second day assumed independent of the first day. With T_o = the sum of all four X_i 's, what now are the values of $E(T_o)$ and $V(T_o)$?
- Referring back to (d), what are the values of $P(T_o = 8)$ and $P(T_o \geq 7)$ [Hint: Don't even think of listing all possible outcomes!]

a) $X = 0, 1, 2$.

that $T_o = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4$.

$$P(T_o = 0) = P(X_1 = 0 \text{ and } X_2 = 0) = 0.2 \times 0.2 = 0.04$$

$$P(T_o = 1) = P(X_1 = 1 \text{ and } X_2 = 0, \text{ or } X_1 = 0 \text{ and } X_2 = 1) \\ = (0.2 \times 0.5) + (0.5 \times 0.2) = 0.20$$

$$P(T_o = 2) = P(X_1 = 1 \text{ and } X_2 = 1, \text{ or } X_1 = 0 \text{ and } X_2 = 2, \text{ or } X_1 = 2 \text{ and } X_2 = 0) \\ = 0.37$$

$$P(T_o = 3) = P(X_1 = 1 \text{ and } X_2 = 2, \text{ or } X_1 = 2 \text{ and } X_2 = 1) \\ = 0.30$$

$$P(T_o = 4) = 0.09.$$

b) $\mu_{T_o} = \sum p_{T_o} \cdot T_o = 0 \times (0.04) + 1 \times (0.20) + 2 \times (0.37) + 3 \times (0.30) + 4 \times (0.09) = 2.2$

c) $\sigma_{T_o}^2 = E(T_o^2) - (E(T_o))^2$

$$E(T_o^2) = 5.82,$$

from b), we have $E(T_o) = 2.2$

that $V(T_o) = 0.98$.

d) $T_o = X_1 + X_2 + X_3 + X_4$. Since they're independent, $E(T_o) = 4 \times \mu = 4.4$. $V(T_o) = 4 \times \sigma^2 = 1.96$.

e) $P(T_o = 8) = P(X_1 = 2 \text{ and } X_2 = 2 \text{ and } X_3 = 2 \text{ and } X_4 = 2)$

since they're independent, $P(T_o = 8) = P(X_1 = 2) \cdot \dots \cdot P(X_4 = 2) = (0.3)^4 = 0.0081$

Since $T_o \leq 8$, $T_o = 7$ can be obtained from three 2's and one 1's.

$$P(T_o = 7) = 4 \cdot (0.3)^3 \cdot (0.5) = 0.054.$$

$$P(T_o \geq 7) = P(T_o = 7) + P(T_o = 8) = 0.0621$$

number of packages being mailed by a randomly selected customer at a certain shipping facility. Suppose the distribution of X is as follows:

x	1	2	3	4
$p(x)$.4	.3	.2	.1

- Consider a random sample of size $n = 2$ (two customers), and let \bar{X} be the sample mean number of packages shipped. Obtain the probability distribution of \bar{X} .
- Refer to part (a) and calculate $P(\bar{X} \leq 2.5)$.
- Again consider a random sample of size $n = 2$, but now focus on the statistic $R =$ the sample range (difference between the largest and smallest values in the sample). Obtain the distribution of R . [Hint: Calculate the value of R for each outcome and use the probabilities from part (a).]
- If a random sample of size $n = 4$ is selected, what is $P(\bar{X} \leq 1.5)$? [Hint: You should not have to list all possible outcomes, only those for which $\bar{x} \leq 1.5$.]

a.) it is a random sample size of 2.

x_1	x_2	$P(x_1, x_2)$	\bar{x}
1	1	0.16	1
1	2	0.12	1.5
1	3	0.08	2
1	4	0.04	2.5
2	1	0.12	1.5
2	2	0.09	2
2	3	0.06	2.5
2	4	0.03	3
3	1	0.08	2
3	2	0.06	2.5
3	3	0.04	3
3	4	0.02	3.5
4	1	0.04	2.5
4	2	0.03	3
4	3	0.02	3.5
4	4	0.01	4

\bar{X}	1	1.5	2	2.5	3	3.5	4
$P(\bar{X})$	0.16	0.24	0.25	0.20	0.10	0.04	0.01

$$b) P(\bar{X} \leq 2.5) = 0.16 + 0.24 + 0.25 + 0.20 = 0.85.$$

c). $R =$ the sample range.

R	0	1	2	3
$P(R)$	0.30	0.40	0.22	0.08

d). $n=4$ $\bar{X} \leq 1.5$ means that the sum of x_i is at most 6.

$$P(\bar{X} \leq 1.5) = P(1,1,1,1) + P(1,1,1,2) + \dots +$$

$$P(3,1,1,1) = 0.2400$$

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46. The inside diameter of a randomly selected piston ring is a random variable with mean value 12 cm and standard deviation .04 cm.

- If \bar{X} is the sample mean diameter for a random sample of $n = 16$ rings, where is the sampling distribution of \bar{X} centered, and what is the standard deviation of the \bar{X} distribution?
- Answer the questions posed in part (a) for a sample size of $n = 64$ rings.
- For which of the two random samples, the one of part (a) or the one of part (b), is \bar{X} more likely to be within .01 cm of 12 cm? Explain your reasoning.

a). $\mu = 12, \sigma = 0.04$

$$E(\bar{X}) = \mu = 12 \text{ cm}, \sigma_{\bar{X}} = \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} = 0.01 \text{ cm}.$$

b) $E(\bar{X}) = \mu = 12 \text{ cm}, \sigma_{\bar{X}} = \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} = \frac{0.04}{\sqrt{64}} = 0.005 \text{ cm}.$

c). When the sample size increase, the $V(\bar{X})$ is decreasing, that the \bar{X} more likely to be within 0.01 cm of 12

51. The time taken by a randomly selected applicant for a mortgage to fill out a certain form has a normal distribution with mean value 10 min and standard deviation 2 min. If five individuals fill out a form on one day and six on another, what is the probability that the sample average amount of time taken on each day is at most 11 min?

$\mu = 10 \text{ min}, \sigma = 2 \text{ min} \quad E(\bar{X}) = \mu = 10$

that is for the first day, $n=5, \sigma_{\bar{X}_1} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}$

$$P(\bar{X} \leq 11) = P(Z \leq \frac{11-10}{2/\sqrt{5}}) = P(Z \leq 1.12) \text{ from the table, we get } P(\bar{X} \leq 11) = 0.8686$$

for the second day, $n=6$

$$P(\bar{X} \leq 11) = P(Z \leq \frac{11-10}{2/\sqrt{6}}) = P(Z \leq 1.22) = 0.8888$$

Since two days are independent, the probability that the sample average is at most 11 min on both days is $P(\bar{X}_1 \leq 11) \times P(\bar{X}_2 \leq 11) = 0.8686 \times 0.8888 = 0.7720$

55. The number of parking tickets issued in a certain city on any given weekday has a Poisson distribution with parameter $\mu = 50$. What is the approximate probability that

- Between 35 and 70 tickets are given out on a particular day? [Hint: When μ is large, a Poisson rv has approximately a normal distribution.]

- The total number of tickets given out during a 5-day week is between 225 and 275?

a. $\mu = 50, V(X) = \mu = 50.$
 $P(35 \leq X \leq 70)$

$$= P\left(\frac{35-50}{\sqrt{50}} \leq Z \leq \frac{70-50}{\sqrt{50}}\right) = \Phi(2.83) - \Phi(-2.12) = 0.9977 - 0.0170 = 0.9807$$

b. since the ticket in each day are independent.

$$T_0 = X_1 + X_2 + X_3 + X_4 + X_5, \text{ that } E(T_0) = nE(X) = n\mu = 250, V(T_0) = nV(X) = 250$$

$$P(225 \leq T_0 \leq 275) = P\left(\frac{225-250}{\sqrt{250}} \leq Z \leq \frac{275-250}{\sqrt{250}}\right) = \Phi(1.58) - \Phi(-1.58)$$

$$= 0.9429 - 0.0571 = 0.8858$$

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58. A shipping company handles containers in three different sizes: (1) 27 ft³ (3 × 3 × 3), (2) 125 ft³, and (3) 512 ft³. Let X_i ($i = 1, 2, 3$) denote the number of type i containers shipped during a given week. With $\mu_i = E(X_i)$ and $\sigma_i^2 = V(X_i)$, suppose that the mean values and standard deviations are as follows:

$$\begin{array}{lll} \mu_1 = 200 & \mu_2 = 250 & \mu_3 = 100 \\ \sigma_1 = 10 & \sigma_2 = 12 & \sigma_3 = 8 \end{array}$$

- a. Assuming that X_1, X_2, X_3 are independent, calculate the expected value and variance of the total volume shipped. [Hint: Volume = $27X_1 + 125X_2 + 512X_3$.]
b. Would your calculations necessarily be correct if the X_i 's were not independent? Explain.

a) the total volume $T_0 = 27X_1 + 125X_2 + 512X_3$

$$E(T_0) = 27E(X_1) + 125E(X_2) + 512E(X_3) = 87850$$

$$V(T_0) = 27^2 V(X_1) + 125^2 V(X_2) + 512^2 V(X_3) = 1910016$$

b) the expected value will not be affected, $E(T_0)$ do not change but the $V(T_0)$ will be changed, since when they're not independent, it may use covariances to get the $V(T_0)$.

70. Consider a random sample of size n from a continuous distribution having median 0 so that the probability of any one observation being positive is .5. Disregarding the signs of the observations, rank them from smallest to largest in absolute value, and let W = the sum of the ranks of the observations having positive signs. For example, if the observations are $-.3, +.7, +2.1$, and -2.5 , then the ranks of positive observations are 2 and 3, so $W = 5$. In Chapter 15, W will be called Wilcoxon's signed-rank statistic. W can be represented as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} W &= 1 \cdot Y_1 + 2 \cdot Y_2 + 3 \cdot Y_3 + \dots + n \cdot Y_n \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n i \cdot Y_i \end{aligned}$$

→ 以绝对值
从小到大.

→ 数值最小得秩 1
次小得秩 2.

where the Y_i 's are independent Bernoulli r.v.'s, each with $p = .5$ ($Y_i = 1$ corresponds to the observation with rank i being positive).

- a. Determine $E(Y_i)$ and then $E(W)$ using the equation for W . [Hint: The first n positive integers sum to $n(n+1)/2$.]
b. Determine $V(Y_i)$ and then $V(W)$. [Hint: The sum of the squares of the first n positive integers can be expressed as $n(n+1)(2n+1)/6$.]

$p = 0.5, q = 1 - p = 0.5$ $E(Y_i) = p, V(Y_i) = p(1-p)$
a). $E(Y_i) = \frac{1}{2}$ since it is an independent Bernoulli r.v.'s

$$E(W) = \sum_{i=1}^n i E(Y_i) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n i = \frac{1}{2} \frac{n(n+1)}{2} = \frac{n(n+1)}{4}$$

$$b). V(Y_i) = \frac{1}{4} \quad V(W) = \sum_{i=1}^n i^2 V(Y_i) = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{i=1}^n i^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{24}$$

73. Suppose the expected tensile strength of type-A steel is 105 ksi and the standard deviation of tensile strength is 8 ksi. Suppose the expected tensile strength of type-B steel is 100 ksi and the standard deviation of tensile strength is 6 ksi, respectively. Let \bar{X} = the sample average tensile strength of a random sample of 40 type-A specimens, and let \bar{Y} = the sample average tensile strength of a random sample of 35 type-B specimens.

- What is the approximate distribution of \bar{X} ? Of \bar{Y} ?
- What is the approximate distribution of $\bar{X} - \bar{Y}$? Justify your answer.
- Calculate (approximately) $P(-1 \leq \bar{X} - \bar{Y} \leq 1)$.
- Calculate $P(\bar{X} - \bar{Y} \geq 10)$. If you actually observed $\bar{X} - \bar{Y} \geq 10$, would you doubt that $\mu_1 - \mu_2 = 5$?

a)

$$A: \mu_A = 105 \text{ ksi}, \sigma_A = 8 \text{ ksi}$$

$$B: \mu_B = 100 \text{ ksi}, \sigma_B = 6 \text{ ksi}$$

By the Central Limit Theorem, that \bar{X} and \bar{Y} has approximately a normal distribution

b) $\bar{X} - \bar{Y}$ is a linear combination

the linear combination of normal rvs is also has a normal distribution.

$$\text{since } E(\bar{X} - \bar{Y}) = E(\bar{X}) - E(\bar{Y}) \text{ (they are independent)} = 5$$

$$V(\bar{X} - \bar{Y}) = V(\bar{X}) + V(\bar{Y}) = \frac{\sigma_A^2}{n_A} + \frac{\sigma_B^2}{n_B} = \frac{64}{40} + \frac{36}{35} = 2.6286$$

$$\sigma_{\bar{X} - \bar{Y}} \approx 1.621$$

$$c) P(-1 \leq \bar{X} - \bar{Y} \leq 1)$$

since from the b) we know that $\bar{X} - \bar{Y}$ has a normal distribution.

$$\text{and } E(\bar{X} - \bar{Y}) = 5$$

$$\sigma_{\bar{X} - \bar{Y}} = 1.621$$

$$P(-1 \leq \bar{X} - \bar{Y} \leq 1) = P\left(\frac{-1-5}{1.621} \leq Z \leq \frac{1-5}{1.621}\right) = \Phi(-2.47) - \Phi(-3.70) \approx 0.0068$$

$$d) P(\bar{X} - \bar{Y} \geq 10) \approx P\left(Z \geq \frac{10-5}{1.621}\right) = P(Z \geq 3.08) = 0.0010$$

the probability is too small, I may doubt that $\mu_1 - \mu_2 = 5$