

MTH 372

Hw 1

Due Thursday, 9/9/2021.

Read Chapters 1-3 of *Huber*.

p.15, #2.2 Suppose A_1 , A_2 and A_3 are disjoint sets, $P(A_1) = P(A_2) = P(A_3) = 0.3$.

- (a) What is $P(A_1 \cap A_2 \cap A_3)$?
- (b) What is $P(A_1 \cup A_2)$?

#2.9 (revised) Suppose a fair 8-sided die with sides labeled $\{1, 2, \dots, 8\}$ is rolled 4 times. There are many possible outcomes, for instance, $(2, 3, 3, 1)$ is one possible outcome.

- (a) How many possible outcomes are there?
- (b) If each outcome is equally likely, what must the probability of each outcome be?
- (c) What is the probability of getting 7's on all four rolls?
- (d) What is the probability of not getting all 7's on the four rolls.
- (e) What is the probability of not getting a 7 on any of the four rolls?
- (f) What is the probability of getting at least one 7? (Hint: Use your answer to part (e).)

#2.10 A department store models every person entering the store as either no spend, mid spend, or high spend. If the probability a person is no spend is 0.15 and mid spend is 0.4. What is the probability a person is high spend?

p.21 #3.2(a) Let X be uniform over the positive even numbers that are at most 100. What is the chance that X is a multiple of 4?

#3.2(b) Let Y be uniform over the positive even numbers that are at most 101. What is the chance that X is a multiple of 4? (Hint: The answer is not the same as the answer to (a).)

#3.6 Let $W \sim \text{Unif}(\{a, b\} \times \{c, d\})$. What is $P(W = (a, c))$?

#3.7 (revised) Let $X_1 \sim \text{Unif}(\{2, 3, 4\})$ and $X_2 \sim \text{Unif}(\{3, \dots, 7\})$ be independent. Evaluate $P(X_1 + X_2 = k)$ for all of the possible values of k .

#3.8 Suppose that (X, Y) is drawn uniformly from $\{1, 2, 3\} \times \{1, 2\}$. What is the chance of picking $X = Y = 2$?