

i) a)  $P(R_3) = \frac{1}{6}$ ,  $P(W_2) = \frac{1}{6}$

$P(R_3 W_2) = \frac{1}{6} \times \frac{1}{6} = \frac{1}{36} = 0.028$   $\text{prob.}$

b) Sum 5  $\Rightarrow$   $R_1 W_4$ ,  $R_2 W_3$ ,  $R_3 W_2$ ,  $R_4 W_1$

Total events  $6 \times 6 = 36$

Probability  $\frac{4}{36} = \frac{1}{9} \approx 0.111$   $\text{prob.}$

2)

## Sample space

consisting of 3! = 6 outcomes based on  $\{1, 2, 3\}$

$$S = \{234, 243, 324, 342, 423, 432\}$$

Events,

$$E_1 = \{234, 243, 423, 432\} \quad O_1 = \{324, 342\}$$

$$E_2 = \{243, 324, 342, 423\} \quad O_2 = \{234, 432\}$$

$$E_3 = \{234, 324, 342, 432\} \quad O_3 = \{243, 432\}$$

(a)

$$P[E_2 | E_1] = \frac{P[E_2 \cap E_1]}{P[E_1]} = \frac{P[243, 423]}{P[234, 243, 423, 432]} = \frac{2/6}{4/6} = \frac{1}{2}$$

(b)

$$P[E_1, E_2 | E_3] = \frac{P[E_1, E_2, E_3]}{P[E_3]} = 0$$

$$\textcircled{c} \quad P(E_2 | O_1) = \frac{P(O_1, E_2)}{P(O_1)} = \frac{P(O_1)}{P(O_1)} = 1$$

$$\textcircled{d} \quad P(O_2 | O_1) = \frac{P(O_1, O_2)}{P(O_1)} = \frac{0}{P(O_1)} = 0$$

3) Experiment with Equiprobable Outcomes  
Sample space:  $S = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$

$$P(S) = \frac{1}{4} \text{ for } s \in S$$

Let  $A_i, i=1,2,3$  be events in  $S$

Now to show that  $A_1, A_2, A_3$  are pairwise independent but not independent we have to show.

(Note where  $i < j$  and  $j < k$ )  
 $P(A_i \cap A_j) \quad A = \{1, 2\} \quad B = \{2, 3\} \quad C = \{3, 1\}$

For pairwise independence, we have to show

$$P(E_A \cap E_B) = P(E_A) P(E_B) \quad \text{for all pairs.}$$

$$P(A) = \frac{1}{2} \quad P(B) = \frac{1}{2} \quad P(C) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$P(A \cap B) = \frac{1}{4} \quad P(B \cap C) = \frac{1}{4} \quad P(C \cap A) = \frac{1}{4}$$

we can see,

$$P(A \cap B) = P(A) P(B) = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{4}$$

Similarly,  $P(B \cap C) = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{4}$

$$P(C \cap A) = P(C) P(A) = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\text{and } P(C \cap A) = P(C) P(A) = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{4}$$

Hence events are pairwise independent.

But, these 3 events are not independent.

$P(A \cap B \cap C) = P(A) P(B) P(C)$  for events to be independent.

$$\therefore P(A \cap B \cap C) = 0$$

$$\text{But } P(A) P(B) P(C) = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{8}$$

$\therefore 2^{\text{nd}} \text{ and } 3^{\text{rd}}$  events are not independent.

$$\therefore P(A \cap B \cap C) \neq P(A) P(B) P(C)$$

∴ Events are not independent.

$$\{E, S\} \Rightarrow P(E) = \frac{1}{2}, P(S) = \frac{1}{2}$$

∴ Events are not independent.

$$\text{Events } E \text{ and } S \text{ are independent. } P(E \cap S) = P(E) P(S)$$

4] For independent event  $A \& B$  — (1)

- (a)  $A$  and  $B^c$  are independent.  $\rightarrow$  same proof.  
(b)  $A^c$  and  $B$  are independent

If we prove (a); (b) can also be proved by simply changing argument variables name.

→ By definition from (1)

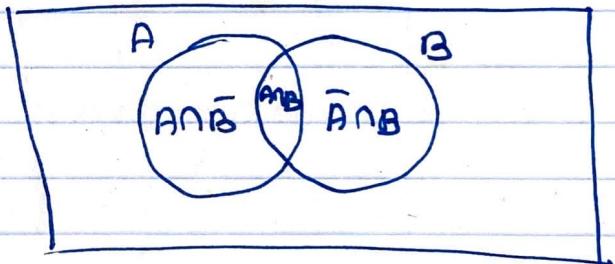
$$P(A \cap B) = P(A)P(B) \quad \text{i.e. } P(A|B) = P(A)$$

So we need to show

$$P(\bar{A} \cap B) = P(\bar{A})P(B) \quad \text{— (I)}$$

From diagram,

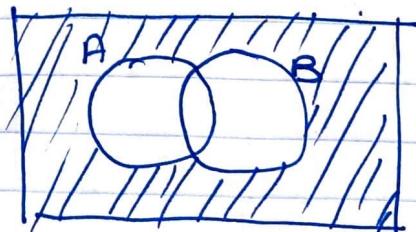
$$\begin{aligned} P(\bar{A} \cap B) &= P(B) - P(A \cap B) \\ &= P(B) - P(A)P(B) \\ &= P(B) \circ (1 - P(A)) \\ &= P(B)P(\bar{A}) \end{aligned}$$



∴ If  $A \& B$  are independent, then so are  $\bar{A}$  and  $B$ .  
(and so are  $A$  and  $\bar{B}$ )

(c)  $A^c$  and  $B^c$  are independent  
we know that,

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{A \cup B} &= \bar{A} \cap \bar{B} \\ \therefore P(\overline{A \cup B}) &= P(\bar{A} \cap \bar{B}) \quad \text{— (II)} \\ &\quad \text{— (De Morgan's Law)} \end{aligned}$$



By definition,  $P(A \cap B) = P(A)P(B)$  i.e.  $P(A|B) = P(A)$   
we need to prove,

$$P(\bar{A} \cap \bar{B}) = P(\bar{A})P(\bar{B}) \quad \text{— (III)}$$

Q.5 Given  $X$  is non-negative integer-valued random variable forming discrete distribution prove that

$$E[X] = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} P[X \geq k]$$

Let's write

$$P[X=k] = p_k \text{ for } k=0, 1, 2, \dots \infty$$

$$E[X] = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} P[X \geq k]$$

from definition of Expectation

$E[X] = \sum (x_1 p_1, x_2 p_2, \dots, x_n p_n)$  where  $x$  is a random variable with probability function  $f(x)$ ,  $p$  is the probability of occurrence.

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore E[X] &= (0 \times p_0) + (1 \times p_1) + (2 \times p_2) + \dots + (\infty \times p_{\infty}) \\ &= (p_1) + (p_2 + p_3) + (p_3 + p_4 + p_5) + \dots \\ &= (p_1 + p_2 + \dots + p_n) + (p_n + p_{n+1} + \dots + p_{\infty}) + \dots \\ &\quad \underbrace{p_1}_{P[X \geq 1]} \quad \underbrace{p_2 + p_3}_{P[X \geq 2]} \end{aligned}$$

$$= P[X \geq 1] + P[X \geq 2] + \dots + P[X \geq \infty]$$

$$E[X] = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} P[X \geq i] \Rightarrow \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} P[X \geq k]$$

$$P[X \geq i] = P[X \geq k] \quad \left[ \begin{array}{l} P[X \geq i] \\ P[X \geq k] \end{array} \right]$$

(Q16) If  $X$  is binomial with parameters  $n, p$ , then variance and standard deviation of  $X$  is,

$$\sigma^2_x = np(1-p)$$

$$\sigma_x = \sqrt{np(1-p)}$$

(a) ~~Ans~~ here  $n=5, p=0.5$

$$\therefore \sigma_x = \sqrt{5 \times 0.5 (1-0.5)}$$

$$= 1.12$$

(b) The standard deviation is 1.12 from previous question.

The expected value (mean) is given by  $\mu = np$

$$\therefore [\mu - \sigma, \mu + \sigma] = [1.38, 3.62]$$

$$\therefore P[\mu - \sigma \leq X \leq \mu + \sigma] \approx P[1.38 \leq X \leq 3.62]$$

$$= P\left[\frac{1.38 - 1.12}{1.12} \leq \frac{X - \mu}{\sigma} \leq \frac{3.62 - 1.12}{1.12}\right]$$

$$= P[-1 \leq Z \leq 1]$$

$$= P(-1 < Z < 0) + P(0 < Z < 1)$$

$$= 0.3413 + 0.3413$$

$$= 0.6826$$

$$= \underline{68.26\%}$$

7) the variance of  $Y = ax + b$  is  $\text{Var}[Y] = a^2 \text{Var}[x]$  — to prove.

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \text{Var}(ax+b) &= E[(ax+b)^2] - [E(ax+b)]^2 \\ &= E(a^2x^2 + 2abx + b^2) - [aE(x) + b]^2 \\ &= a^2 E(x^2) + 2abE(x) + b^2 - [a^2 E(x)^2 + 2abE(x) \\ &\quad + b^2] \\ &= a^2 E(x^2) - a^2 [E(x)]^2 \\ &= a^2 [E(x^2) - E(x)^2]\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Var}(ax+b) = a^2 \text{Var}(x)$$

$\therefore \text{Var}[Y] = a^2 \text{Var}(x)$  — hence proved.

8) random variable  $X$

$$\text{Given } E[x] = \mu_x, \text{Var}[x] = \sigma_x^2$$

find expected value and variance of  $Y$

where

$$Y = aX + b$$

$$\therefore E[Y] = E[aX + b] = aE[X] + b$$

$$= E\left[\frac{X - \mu_x}{\sigma_x} + \frac{\mu_x}{\sigma_x}\right] = \frac{E[X]}{\sigma_x} - \frac{\mu_x}{\sigma_x}$$

given  $E[X] = \mu_x$

$\rightarrow (X) \text{ r.v. } D = (Y) \text{ r.v. } \rightarrow d + X D \sim Y \rightarrow \text{is invariant w.r.t. } E$

$$\therefore E[Y] = \frac{\mu_x}{\sigma_x} - \frac{\mu_x}{\sigma_x} = 0$$

$$(d + X D) \sim (d + X D)^T \sim (d + X D) \text{ r.v.}$$

$$\text{Var}[Y] = E[Y^2] - (E[Y])^2$$

$$E[(d + X D)^2] - (E[d + X D])^2 = E\left[\left(\frac{(X - \mu_x)^2}{\sigma_x}\right)\right] = 0$$

$$= E\left[\frac{X^2 + \mu_x^2 - 2X\mu_x}{\sigma_x^2}\right] = \frac{E[X^2]}{\sigma_x^2} + \frac{\mu_x^2}{\sigma_x^2}$$

$$(X) \text{ r.v. } D \sim (d + X D) \text{ r.v.}$$

$$+ \frac{2\mu_x E[X]}{\sigma_x^2}$$

Dividing both sides by  $\sigma_x^2$  we get  $E[Y] = \frac{0}{\sigma_x^2} = 0$

given  $E[X] = \mu_x$  substituting:

$$\text{Var}[Y] = \frac{E[X^2]}{\sigma_x^2} + \frac{\mu_x^2}{\sigma_x^2} - \frac{2\mu_x^2}{\sigma_x^2}$$

$$E[X^2] = \text{Var}[X] + (E[X])^2$$

$$\text{Var}[Y] = \frac{\text{Var}[X]}{\sigma_x^2} + (E[X])^2 - \frac{\mu_x^2}{\sigma_x^2}$$

Since  $\text{Var}[X] = \sigma_x^2$  and  $E[X] = \mu_x$

$$\therefore \text{Var}[Y] = \frac{\sigma_x^2 + \mu_x^2}{\sigma_x^2} - \frac{\mu_x^2}{\sigma_x^2} = 1$$

Q.9) If a random variable  $K$  is a poisson distribution with parameter  $\alpha$ , then

Poisson PMF is given by

$$P_k(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\alpha^x \cdot e^{-\alpha}}{x!} & \text{if } x=0, 1, 2, \dots \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

$$E[K] = \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} x P_k(x) = \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} x \cdot \frac{\alpha^x \cdot e^{-\alpha}}{x!}$$

$$\text{Let } x \neq 0, e^{-\alpha} \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^x}{x!} \cdot \frac{e^{-\alpha}}{(x-1)!} \Rightarrow e^{-\alpha} \cdot \alpha \sum_{x=1}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha^{x-1}}{(x-1)!}$$

Now we are multiplying with  $x = 1, 2, \dots, n$

$$E[K] = e^{-\alpha} \cdot \alpha \cdot e^{\alpha} = \alpha$$

$$(9 \times 0) + (9 \times 1) + (9 \times 2) + (9 \times 3) + \dots + (9 \times n)$$

$$\therefore \text{Var}[K] = E[K^2] - (E[K])^2$$

$$E[K^2] = E[K(K-1)] + E[K]$$

$$= \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} x^2 \frac{1}{x!} \alpha^x \cdot e^{-\alpha}$$

$$E[(x-x)^2] = E[(x-x)(x-x)]$$

$$E[(x-x)^2] = \alpha e^{-\alpha} \sum_{x=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^x}{(x-1)!} \cdot \frac{\alpha^{x-1}}{(x-1)!} \cdot (x-1)^2$$

$$= \alpha e^{-\alpha} \left( \sum_{x=1}^{\infty} \frac{(x-1)}{(x-1)!} \alpha^{x-1} + \sum_{x=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(x-1)!} \cdot \alpha^{x-1} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 E(K^2) &= \alpha e^{-\alpha} \left( \alpha \sum_{x=2}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha^{x-2}}{(x-2)!} + \sum_{x=1}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha^{x-1}}{(x-1)!} \right) \\
 &= \alpha e^{-\alpha} \left( \alpha \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{j!} \alpha^j + \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha^j}{j!} \right) \\
 &= \alpha e^{-\alpha} (\alpha e^\alpha + e^\alpha) = \alpha(\alpha + 1)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$E[K^2] = \alpha^2 + \alpha$$

$$\text{Now, } \text{Var}[K] = E[K^2] - (E[K])^2$$

$$E[K^2] = \alpha^2 + \alpha \quad E[K] = \alpha$$

$$\boxed{\therefore \text{Var}[K] = \alpha^2 + \alpha - \alpha^2 = \alpha}$$